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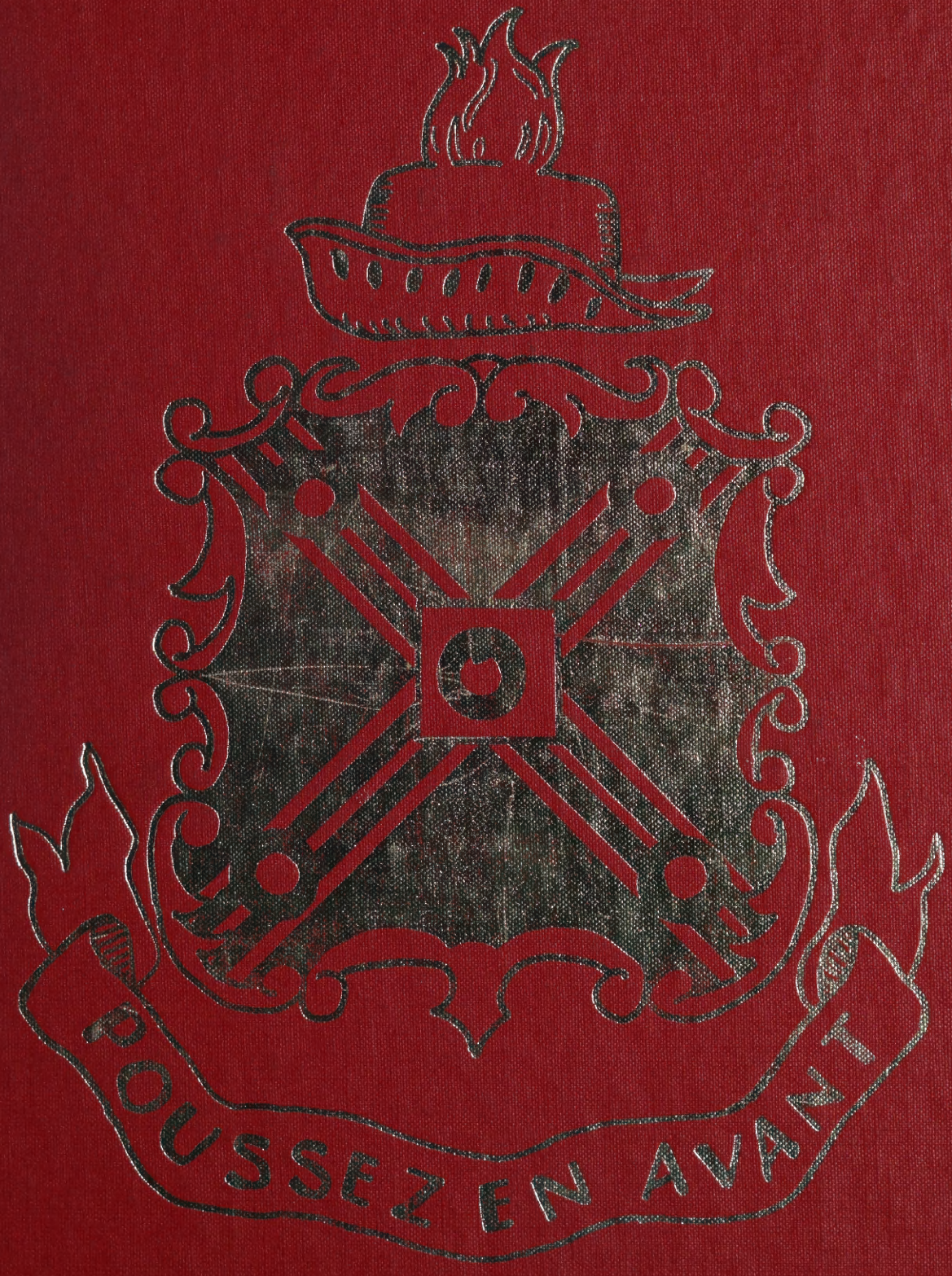

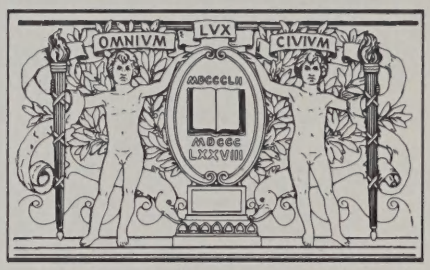

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DEDICATED TO.....

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.....all of whom had the dream of having a Benjamin Genealogy published and whose efforts are in part, within.

A Prayer of the Benjamin Family in the 1800's:

Forsake me not, O God, until I have shown my strength to this generation and to all that are to come.

PURPOSE

There have been four or five genealogies already published on the John[1] Benjamin line and one on the Richard[1] Benjamin line. However, each one of these earlier genealogies dealt only with one particular branch of the Benjamin family, with a carry down to a particular individual.

The first four generations of both the John[1] and Richard[1] lines were published by Dr. William Virgil Wison in the Grafton Magazine of History and Genealogy; Vol. 1 and 2; 1908-1910; p. 38 and 46.

This book is an effort to continue his work, and to carry all Benjamin lines through at least eight generations, or to a point where a researcher should be able to find records on his own interest in easily accessible areas.

The reader is warned that this genealogy is in no way perfect or complete. Much research remains to be done. There are still many areas that remain a mystery. Where a question mark preceeds a name, the carry down is doubtful. However, your compilier felt that "educated guesses" should be included--if they were noted--in hopes that further research might prove or disprove the carry down.

This genealogy is an effort to get what Benjamin information is known in a compilid state for future researchers, in hopes that their efforts can then be directed to unraveling some of the mysteries.

If you are able to add or correct any of the information, I would appreciate hearing from you.

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HOW TO USE THIS BOOK

The numbering system used is the "new" or modified version of the Register Plan. The first known ancestor was given the number one, his children were given consecutive numbers, and so on. If the child had carry down information in the following generation, his number is preceeded by the symbol *. If there is some doubt about either the child being placed in that particular family or in his carry down, the symbol ? is placed in front of his number.

If there is to be carry down for a child, only his name and birth date (if known) is recorded under his father's name. Information regarding his death, marriage, and children are listed in the next generation, which will appear in the next chapter under his number. No carry down for a child may be because nothing further is known about him, or he may have married but had no issue. In the latter case, all known information regarding him is listed under his father.

The John[1] line and the Richard[1] lines are treated separately, since the relationship between the two is not established.

Abbreviations have been kept to a minumum. However, the following have been used:

c--Circa or about; used when a date is doubtful.
b.--born.
d.--died.
bp. or bapt.--baptised.
m.--married.
m/1 or m/2--first marriage or second marriage.
unm.--unmarried.
dau.--daughter.
issue--children.
vr.--vital records.
cr.--church records.
gs--grave stone or cemetery records.
co.--county.
p.--page.

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1541/2 Jan 23 Nicholas Foster and Johan Beniamyn married.
1544 Jul 29 Rychard Tampson and Eliz Beniamyn married
1545 Apr 8 John Beniamyn the son of Thomas Beniamyn bapt
1546/7 Feb 28 Henrye son of Thomas Beniamine bapt
1550 Apr 11 Johan Beniamyn jun the daughter of Thomas buried
1550/1 Jan 21 Nycholas the sonne of Thomas Beniamyn bapt
1550/1 Feb 5 Nycholas the sonne of Thomas Beniamyn buried
1552 Nov 4 Thos and Sara the son and dau of Thos Beniamyn bapt
1552/3 Feb 21 Thos Beniamyn buried
1552/3 Mch 7 John Beniamyn buried
1553 Aug 27 Gylbert Ware and Johan Beniamyn married
1553 Nov 5 Gyles Beniamyn and Ales Yonge married
1554 Oct 4 John the son of Gyles Beniamyn bapt
1554 Oct 24 John the son of Gyles Beniamyn buried
1555 Sep 27 Rychard Colvell and Julyan Beniamyn married
1555 Dec 31 Johan Beniamyn buried
1556 Nov 1 Thos Beniamyn was bapt.
1560 Oct 21 Annes the daughter of Gyles Beniamyn bapt
1563 Sep 27 Gyles the son of Gyles Beniamyn bapt
1563 Oct 8 Gyles the son of Gyles Beniamyn buried
1564 Nov 5 Alexander son of Gyles Beniamyn bapt
1564 Dec 3 Alexander Beniamyn buried
1566/7 Feb 15 Willm son of Gyles Beniamyn bapt
1566/7 Feb 26 Willmm son of Gyles Beniamyn buried
1570 Apr 23 Eliz dau of Gyles Beniamyn bapt
1575 Dec 2 Richard son of Thos Beniamyn bapt
1581 Oct 8 John son of Thos Beniamyn bapt
1582 Jun 5 John son of Thos Beniamyn buried
1583 Apr 19 Ales dau of Thos Beniamyn bapt
1585/6 Feb 7 John son of Thos Benjamin bapt
1585/6 Mch 12*? John son of John Benjamin bapt.
1586 Nov 7 Jhane dau of Thoos Beniamin junior and Jane bapt.
1587/8 Mch 9 Eliz dau of Thos Beniamin the uounger bapt.
1588 Sep 3 Rychard Tredcroft and Annes Benaimine married
1588 Oct 6 Susanna dau of John Beniamine bapt
1588 Mch 9 Thos Beniamine buried
1590 Nov 23 Richard Hooper mynyster and Margery Beniamine, widow, married
1591 Aug 20 Jane the wffe of Thss Beniamine buried
1591/2 Jan 23 Thos son of John Beniamyne bapt
1593 May 29 Alice Beniamin widowe buried
1594 Nov 6 Thos Beniamin buried
1595 Jun 22 Johane the dau of John Beniamin bapt
1595 Oct 4 Eliz dau of Thos Beniamin deceased buried
1597/8 Jan 12 Nicholas son of Thos Beniamin deceased buried
1600 May 6 Gyles son of John Beniamyn bapt

1602 Jul 16 *?Richard son of John Beniamin bapt
1607/8 Jan 16 John Beniamin buried
1619 May 23 Johane Beniamin widowe buried

HEATHFIELD PARISH REGISTER to 1660

1581/2 Jan 25 Gyles Beiamyn and Joan ----
1581/2 Mch 9 Sar daughter of (?) John bapt
1587 Jul 23 Elizabeth Beniamyn dau of John Beniamyn bapt
1588 Aug 10 Daughter of John Beniamyn buried
1589 Mayll Doretye daughter of John Beniamyn bapt
1593 Aug 11 Richard Daye and Agnis Beniamyn married
1598 Oct 26 The wyf of John Beniamyn buried
1602 Dec 9 Peter Austen and Abigail Beniamyn married

Of the first eight pages of the Parish Register only fragments remain but the indications are that the Register started in or before 1573. From the beginning to 1581 when the first complete entries start only a very few entries are legible. From 1581 to 1660 there are many entries which are faded and illegible particulary entries which extend to the edge of the pages which are now worn away and discolored.

ARCHDEACONRY OF LEWES WILLS:

A5/358 17 Sep 1565 John Benjiamyn of Hethfeld yeoman....body to be buried in chuch porch of Hethfield....to Thomas Wykenden my godsonne 2-6d and to any of my other god children 6 d....to Johane Collyn stock of cowes cattell money and ymplements of household as was wylled to her by her own fathers will....to John Beniamyn my sonne certain ymplements of household....John Welshe my servant.... to Richard Beniamyn Abraham Beniamyn and Gyles Beniamyn my sonnes L20....to Catherine Ceniamyn Alice Beniamyn and Fayth Beniamyn my daughters L20....if Abel Beniamyn my sonne happen to die before Fayth Beniamyn my daughter comes to 21 years....my brother Nycholas Foster Wm. Atwood and Robt Olyll shall have custocy and keeping of L20 willed to my three daughters....Johane Beniamyn my wyffe.... Proved 20 August 1566

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MARRIAGE REGISTER GOUDHURST, KENT, ENGLAND

1582 May 19 Abraham Benjamin to Mercye Vousde
1583 Richard Benjamin to Elizabeth Nicol
1640 Jan 17 Elizabeth Benjamin to John Oswell
1620 June 19 An Benjamin to William Weller

BAPTISMAL REGISTER GOUDHURST

1583 Jan 6 Richard, son of Abraham Benjamin
1584 Aug 2 John son of Richard Benjamin
1586 Oct 16 Joan, daughter of Richard Benjamin
1588 Apr 28 Elizabeth daughter of Richard Benjamin

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Chapter I

FOREBEARERS

The parentage of the John and Richard Benjamin that came to America from England in 1632 has never been established. Ship records show that they came from Heathfield, Cambridge, Sussex Co., England. However, you might note the Parish Records shown on page vii. These tend to indicate they were brothers.

There are several traditions about the origin of the Benjamin family. In A Genealogy of the Family of Lieut. Samuel Benjamin by Mary Louise Benjamin, 1900, states one tradition that gives descent from a German Count of Jewish lineage. Of course, he lost his "Jew ishness" in movement through Europe to England. Another branch claims a Norman-French descent through the Barons de Lacey. Still others claim no nobility, but state rather flatly that they are of Welsh extraction. None are proved!

The most widely accepted account of descent seems to be the one concerning the de Lacey family. (Probably because it provides the "acceptable nobility" to which one can point with pride!) This line of descent is as follows:

The pedigree of the ancient house of Benjamin, originally Berington, runs back to Walter de Lacey (1074), Great Baron under William the Conqueror at the time of the Norman invasion of England.

The line seems to be the above Walter de Lacey; Roget de Lacey born 1095 under William Rufus; Ilbert de Lacey born 1137; John de Lacey born 1222 under Henry III's reign. In the time of Henry III the Confederacy of Barons was dissolved and from them emerged the caste known as "landed gentry" which became the leaders in politics and society.

The Laceys appear under the name Beryton of Stoke-Lacey, later as Berington of Stoke-Lacey and Windesley Mote Hall of Sallop, Hereford, England.

In Edward III's reign, Beryton of Stoke-Lacey married the dau ghter and heiress of Roland de Windesey and had from her the ancient seat of Windesley, which has continued in the family ever since. In later years the family name was changed to Berington. The ancient seat of Windesley, which came into pissession of the Berringtons by the above marriage lies in the Parish of Hope-under-Dinmore.

John Berington II, Esq., of Stoke-Lacey (the second John from John de Lacey of 1222), was heir of Rowland de Wyndesey of Windesley. John Berington II is supposed to have been the ancestor of the American Benjamin family.

Tradition says that in 1494, owing probably to some religious dispute, a younger branch of the family moved to Lower Hereford and changed their surname to Benjamin.

The coat of arms is one used conjointly by the Berrington and

Benjamins, and is supposed to have been granted at the knighting of a Berington on July 21, 1403 on the field of Shrewsbury, which is just north of Hereford.

The Benjamin Coat of Arms (Burke's General Armory) has a crest which is a Duke's hat of crimson velvet, faces with ermine on the rim, and with a flame of fire on top. The flame is an emblem of ardent courage and perserverance. The motto below it is: "Poussez en Avent" which means "Press On". The ermine hat is associated with the robes of royal or noble personages, an emblem of dignity and position near royalty. The capeau or hat is the "Cap of Estate" and was anciently worn by all peers in Parliament.

The Coat of Arms also has a golden shield on a Saltire (or cross) quartering, pierced with a sable (black). Five amulets or rings counter changed (i.e.: gold on black and black on gold). Andrew's cross is a symbol of resolution and the reward of such heros as have scaled walls of towns, etc. The finger ring or amulet is the emblem of fidelity. The square figure on the center of the saltire represents honesty and betokens noble birth. Amulets designate the fifth son and his descendants used as marks of cadency about the time of Henry VII.

But, back to the parentage of our John Benjamin.

In the Genealogy of Park Benjamin by Hoover, 1948, he states: "Concerning John Benjamin's forebears in England, we know nothing certain". He also goes on to say that some of his earlier ancestors were inhabitants of Lower Hereford, near the Welsh border, but this has not been verified, either. There are records that would indicate that this branch lived in Heathfield Parish, County Sussex and had close connections with the adjoinging county of Kent. There is a record of a Peter Austin of Tenterden, Kent "who was licensed to Marry December 8, 1602 Arabella Benjamin, daughter of John Benjamin of Heathfield, Sussex, yeoman". It would seem from collateral data that this would be the father of our John Benjamin and Arabella was a sister. Peter Austin and his wife are supposed to have come to America before John Benjamin.

Another possible sister is Ann, first wife of John Ellis. John Ellis came to America in 1621 on the "Fortune"and was one of the first settlers of Sandwich, Mass. in 1643. Ann probably died in England, since he married second in 1643 Elizabeth Freeman. His children from that first marriage were:

1. Ann Ellis born about 1618 in England and married Edward Culver at Dedham, Mass. in 1638. Thoas Fanning and his wife Frances (Ellis) Fanning brought the youngest daughter of John Ellis by his first wife to America with them. Edward Culver was in their company on their trip to America. This daughter was probably Ann.

2. John Ellis born 1620 in England; m/1 Susanna Lumbard in 1641. She died in 1654 at Medfield and he m/2 Joan, widow of John Clapp of Dorchester. The Lumbard and Famming surnames are closely associated with the Benjamin family.

3. Other children were probably Joseph Ellis who m. Ruth --- and Richard Ellis who m. Elizabeth --- and both resided in Dedham in 1645. A Richard Ellis arrived in Boston from England in 1632 aboard the same ship as did John and Richard Benjamin.

A daughter of John Ellis' second marriage, Bennet Ellis, born

1648/9 and married Obadiah Eddy, son of Samuel and Elizabeth (Savery) Eddy. All these facts seem to tie the Ellis family in very closely with the Benjamin family.

However, in all the years of searching...with some done on "the spot" in England, no one has been able to come up with the actual parentage or siblings of John Benjamin. The Chalvington Parish records certainly tend to give substance to the fact that his father was named John Benjamin, but reading any other relationships into those records is most difficult.

All Benjamins, who's ancestor was in this country before 1800 and are not of Jewish descent are believed to be of either the John Benjamin or Richard Benjamin line.

THE EDDYE FAMILY

The parentage of Abigail Eddye has been firmly established. She was the daughter of William Eddye (Eddie), who was born in 1562 at Bristol, Gloucester, England and died November 23, 1616 at Cranbrooke, Kent County, England. William married first Mary Fosten of Cranbrooke, the daughter of John and Ellen (Munn) Fosten on November 20, 1587 at St. Dunstan's Church. She was born in 1568 and died July 18, 1611. William m/2 Elizabeth Taylor, a widow of Cranbrooke on February 22, 1614. Elizabeth's will is dated in 1637. William's will is dated August 20, 1616 and proved December 4, 1616 and names son Phinehas as executor. He left his property and an annuity to Phinehas and bequests of money to each of his other children. Phinehas was to see that the other children were brought up "in good and virtuous educationt".

William was educated at Trinity College, Cambriage University. He graduated in 1582/3 and was licensed as the cure at Staplehurst on August 24, 1587. He was "of Staplehurst" where he was married and when his first son was born. On January 12, 1591 he was inducted as Vicar of St. Dunstan's Church and held that office until his death. The old rectory where he lived still stands. The church was founded in 1177, but little of the original building remains, though the church is still in use. Three memorial windows and a tablet, in memory of Rev. William Eddye were errected thru the bequest of Robert Henry Eddy of Boston. They were dedicated by Fredrick Temple, Archbishop of Canterbury nn the Festival of St. Michael and All Angel's in 1902. The tablet reads" "In memory of his ancestor, the Reverand William Eddye, Vicar of St. Dunstan's Church from 1591-1616, whose sons, John and Samuel, and whose daughter Abigail, were among the Pilgrim settlers of New England and there implanted for a numerous posterity, the religious principles here taught them. Rev. Eddye took no extreme position while at Cranbrooke, but in many ways the Puritan influence had great bearings on his life. He kept the Cranbrooke Register, which was begun in 1559. Cranbrooke is a small town 45 miles southeast of London.

Children of William and Mary (Fosten) Eddye:

1. Nathaniel Eddye bp. March 30, 1589; died young.
2. Mary Eddye bp. Sept. 1591; m. Samuel/Simeon Evernden.

3. Phineas Eddye b. Sept. 1593; m/1 Catherine Courthopp; m/2 Christina ---; remained in Cranbrooke, England.
4. John Eddye b. March 1597; d. Oct. 12, 1684 at Watertown Mass.; m/1 Annie Doggett of Groton, Suffolk Co., Eng.; m/2 Joanna Meade at Watertown and she d. August 25, 1683. John came to America in 1630 on the ship "Hand maiden". He was an executor for John Benjamin's will. His issue was: Sarah Eddye b. prob. in Eng., m. John Merion; Mary bp. Mar. 10, 1625 in Eng., m/1 1632 Thos. Horton, m/2 1641 Robert Ashley; Ruth Eddye; Pilgrim Eddye m. Apr. 25, 1656 William Baker and m/2 --- Stedman; John Eddye b. Feb. 16, 1637; Benjamin Eddye buried 1639; Samuel Eddye b. Sept. 30, 1640, m. 1664 Sarah Meade; Abigail Eddye.
5. Ellen Eddye born August 1599.
*6. Abigail Eddye bapt. October 6, 1601, m. John Benjamin and came to America in 1632 on the ship "Lion".
7. Anna Eddye bapt. May 15, 1603; m. about 1632 Barnabas Wines. She is the Aunt Wines mentioned in the will of Mary Benjamin, dau. of John Benjamin, in 1646. Barnabas Wines resided in Watertown, Mass. and Southold, Long Island, N.Y. Issue: Anna Wines bc. 1633 at Watertown, m/1 Dec. 1645 Frances Nichols; m/2 1654 John Elton who d. 1675, and she m/3 1686 John Tooker (Tucker) of Southold. (This cousin is also mentioned in the will of Mary Benjamin.) Barnabas Wines bc. 1636, d. 1711, m. Mary ---; Sarah Wines bc. 1640, m. 1660 Joseph Youngs; Samuel Wines bc. 1645, mc. 1670/1 Mary Mapes, Prudence Wines bc. 1650, m. 1679 John Goldsmith.
8. Elizabeth Eddye born December 1606.
9. Samuel Eddye born May 15, 1609; d. November 12, 1687/8 at Swansea, Mass.; mc. 1630 to Elizabeth Savery. He came to America on the "Handmainden" Oct. 1630 and was one of the founders of Middleboro in 1640. Issue: John Eddye bp. 1637, m. 1665 Susanna Paddock; m/2 Deliverance Owen; Zachariah Eddye bc. 1639, m. 1663 Alice Paddock; Caleb Eddye b. 1643, m. Elizabeth Bullock; Obadiah Eddye b. 1645, m. Bennett Ellis; Hannah Eddye b. 1647.
10. Zachareas Eddye b. March 1610.
11. Nathaniel Eddye b. 1611; d. July 1611, 9 days after his mother.

Children of William and Elizabeth (--- Taylor) Eddye:

12. Priscilla Eddye bp. Dec. 11, 1614, but was not mentioned in her mother's will, so probably died before her mother.

The Eddye Coat of Arms is described as follows: Sable, three old men's heads croped at the shoulders argent. Crest: A cross-crosslet fitchee sable and a dagger argent, hilt or in saltire. The motto: "Crux Mihi grata Quies", which translated means "The

cross gives me comfort".

Sources for above: Gen. of Park Benjamin by Hoover, 1948; Bullard And Alliced Families by Bullard; Haight-Eddy=Sumner-Hatch Families, Reef, 1932; p. 23 Ancestors and Desc of Zachariah Eddy, Eddy Family in America by Eddy Family Association, 1930 and revised; Boston Transcript April 21, 1901, May 18, 1908, April 11, 1917; Hartford Times Dec. 1, 1956 and July 20, 1956; Gen. Dictionary of First Settlers of New England, Savage, 1969; Records of Mrs. Mary Fennell Fitzgerald of Bethel, Washington; Records of Mr. B. E. Staffin of Buffalo, New York.

Chapter 2

GENERATION I - JOHN LINE

1. JOHN BENJAMIN was born either about 1580 (Col. Banks) or about 1598 (Bullard and Allied Families) or was perhaps baptised on March 12, 1585/6 (Chalvington Parish Records) probably near Heathfield, Sussex County, England. He died June 14, 1645 at Watertown, Mass. (vr). He married Abigail Eddye (Eddie-Eddy) of Cranbrooke, Kent County, England about 1619 in England. She was the daughter of Rev. William and Mary (Fosten) Eddye and was bapt. at Cranbrooke on October 6, 1601 and died May 20, 1687 at Charlestown, Mass. at the home of her son-in-law, Joshua Stubbs. (Watertown vr). She was 87 years of age.

John Benjamin, with his wife and four children, sailed for America on the Ship "Lion" (Lyon). They left England on June 22, 1632 and at that time John took the oath of allegiance to the King and government of England before he embarked. After being at sea for twelve weeks, they arrived at Bostoh Harbor on Sunday evening, September 16, 1632.

Supposedly John Benjamin and John Winthrop were friends in England. John Winthrop arrived in America in 1630 and later became Governor of Massachusetts. It is thought that John Benjamin's friendship for John Winthrop played a great part in his decision to leave England and come to America. Also, two of Abigail's brothers had already come and settled in New England, and that may also have played a part in their decision.

In Planters of the Commonwealth 1630-1640 (p. 101) by Charles Banks, 1930, under a heading "Passengers and Ships" it states: "Ship Lyon, Walter Pierce, Master, sailed from London June 22 and arrived September 16 at Boston - John Benjamin, Mrs. Abigail Benjamin of Heathfield, Sussex, Cambridge." Children were not mentioned in this record. Supposedly there were about 50 children on this voyage, four of whom belonged to John and Abigail. This was the last voyage of the Lion. On the following November, while returning to England, it was wrecked on a shoal a few miles from the mouth of the Chesapeak River.

The Topographical Dictionary of English Emigrants to New England 1620-1650 by Charles Edward Burke, 1937, states: "Name of emigrant: Benjamin, John; Richard; English Parish Name: Heathfield; Ship's name: Lion".

The names of John and Richard Benjamin appear in the "Original Lists of Quality" in Emigrants from Great Britian to American Plantations 1600-1700 by John Hotten, 1931 (p. 1632).

The relationship between John and Richard Benjamin has not been established. Some genealogists call them father and son (though John Benjamin names son John and seven other children in his will and that number would exclude Richard as being

a son) while others have called them brothers (though there is about a generation between their ages). Chalvington Parish Records (p. vii) tend to substanciate the brother theory if the John Benjamin named as father is the same person. Also, on two of the ship's passenger lists Richard Benjamin has been named as a separate individual--almost as a head of a family--even though he must have been very close to the same age as John's eldest son, while the known children of John that must have been with him were not named. Obviously, there must have been a close relationship for them to have made this dangerous voyage together, to have come from the same Parish in England, and to have lived in the same areas here in America for many years. Even though their relationship is not established, your compilier feels safe in including the Richard line within the scope of this Benjamin Genealogy, and Richard's line will be dealt with in a later section of this book.

John Benjamin settled in Newtowne (now Cambridge), Mass. On November 6, 1632 he became a Freeman. A Freeman had the right of sufferage, enjoyed advantages in the division of land and, before the representative system started, Freeman were members of the General Court. The principal qualifications for this privilege seem to have been church membership. John Benjamin was one of the original proprietors of the Freeman of Boston. It is worthy to note that he became a Freeman within two months of arriving in this country, an unusual honor, and perhaps a record of the high regard the community placed on him.

John was a member of the Church of Christ in Cambridge, and later of the First Church of Watertown. The church in Watertown was the second oldest church in the Colony of Mass. and adopted "strick independency" or Congregationalism. John Knowles was the pastor at this time.

John was also one of the proprietors of Cambridge. On six acres of land in Newtowne he built what Governor Winthrop described as a "Mansion...unsurpassed in elegance and comfort by all in the vicinity. It was also a mansion of religion and hospitality; visited by the clergy of all denominations and by the literate at home and abroad". It would certainly seem that John Benjamin was both wealthy and well educated.

John was a man of consequence. He was addressed by the governor as 'Mister', a title of respect afforded to few at the time. He was appointed Constable by the General Court on May 20, 1633. The Constable in England and in the Colonies was the chief executive officer of the parish or town, hence an office of honor and importance.

On April 7, 1636 the Benjamin home in Newtowne was damaged badly by fire and records show a one hundred pounds loss. Tradition says he had a large, fine library, but details of the inventory of his will don't support this claim. Undoubtedly many of his books were lost in this fire.

In 1637 John moved his family to Watertown, Mass. Watertown records of 1642 say that John Benjamin owned the largest homestall in the town at that time. The records do not show

that he assumed an active part in the civil affairs of Watertown. Apparently he led a very quite life there. His homestead in Watertown was 60 acres and was situated east of Dorchester Field and bounded on the south by the Charles River, on the west by John Loveran and Ephraim Child, and on the north and east by Thomas Rogers. He had eighteen acres of upland with two acres of meadow, plus 80 acres of upland in the Second Division, and 24 acres of plowland.

He was excused from military training on November 7, 1634 eleven years before his death, "on account of age and infirmity", but was "required to have at all times arms for himself and servants". (It was this statement, plus the fact that John's birth in 1580 would make him more a contemporary with Governor Winthrop, that led Col. Banks into assuming that John Benjamin was born at an earlier date. The generally accepted birth date of 1598 was probably estimated from the birth dates of his children.) The earlier birth date would certainly explain many of the facts in his later life, particularly his exemption from military training. Of course, he might very well have been ill or in poor health to have been excused in 1634, when surely every hand might be needed on a gun. However, the excuse does also include the word 'age'.

On June 12, 1645, just two days before he died, John made a will. It is on file in the Probate Office, Suffolk County Court House and reads as follows: "I, John Benjamin, being in 'pfect' memory as touching my outward estates - do bequeath to sonne John a double portion, beloved wife two cowes, fourty bushels of Corne out of all my lands, to be allowed her toward the bringing up of my smale Children yearly such as growes vpon the ground, one part of flower of all my hous hold stuffe all the rest of my lands, goods, and chattels shal be equally divided between seven other of my children. Provided that out of all my former estate my wife during her life shall enjoy the dwelling house I live in and three acres of the broken vp land belong to the house.

That this will be truely pformed I do appoint my brother John Eddie of Watertowne and Thomas Marrit of Cambridg that they doe theire best Indivo^{r} to see this pformes." This was signed by John Benjamin and witnessed by George Munnge.

There was an addition to the will. He did further declare "that his wife should have the liberty to take wood for her use upon any of his lands 'dureing' her lifetime, upon the oath of John Eddie". It was dated June 13, 1645 and the witnesses to this addition were Governor Thomas Dudley and Deputy Governor John Winthrop.

The will covered two and one half pages and was handwritten by Deputy Governor John Withrop. In 1900 it was bought at an auction by Charles Gunther of Chicago, Illinois, because of the autograph of Governor Winthrop. A copy of it appears in the New England Historical and Genealogical Register Vol. 45, p. 19.

The inventory of the estate of John Benjamin appears as follows:

Mentions the lot bought of John Bernard.
Land of Capt. Sedg(wick).

House and meadow next the mill.	50 pounds.
10 acres of Meadow near Oyster Bank	10
House and 60 acres homestall	75
10 acres in Rocky meadow	13
8 acres in Great Dividends	13
16 acres in Watertown	10

The articles listed in the inventory consisted of the household goods and farming implements. There were several volumes of books, 7 treatisis, 2 concordances, and 3 or 4 other books mentioned. The inventory was taken by Simeon Stowe, John Eddye, and Thomas Maret and was placed before Governor Thomas Dudley on March 5, 1645. It showed that John Benjamin had property amounting to over 297 pounds. A large amount of property for that time.

Abigail Benjamin probably made her home in Watertown until about 1654, when she went to live with her daughter, Abigail Stubbs, in Charlestown.

Children of John and Abigail (Eddye) Benjamin:

*2. John Benjamin bc. 1620 in England.
*3. Abigail Benjamin bc. 1624 in England.
*4. Samuel Benjamin bc. 1628 in England.
5. Mary Benjamin bc. 1630 in England. Mary died unmarried in 1646 at Watertown, Mass. (vr), age 16. Her will was made May 16, 1646 and notices her Aunt Wines, sister Abigail Stubbs, her brother, and her cousin Ann Wynes.
*6. Joseph Benjamin b. September 16, 1633 at Cambridge, Mass. (vr).
*7. Joshua Benjamin b. May 6, 1642 at Watertown, Mass.
*8. Caleb Benjamin bc. 1643 in Watertown.
*9. Abel Benjamin bc. 1645/6 at Watertown, Mass.

Resources: Watertown, Mass. Vital Records Vol. I (copied by Mrs. Ray Fales of Mass.); Bond's History of Watertown, Mass.; Burke and Alvord Memorials; Rix Family Genealogy by Thomas Rix; Savage's Gen. Dictionary of Settlers of New England; Great Little Watertown, F. Robinson; Hoover's Gen. of Park Benjamin; Gen. of Lt. Samuel Benjamin, Mary L. Benjamin; Hinman's Gen. of Puritans of Colony of Conn, 1852; Paige's History of Cambridge; and Wilson Papers which are records of Benjamins collected by Dr. William V. Wilson and are found in the Rare Book Room of the Congressional Library in Washington, D.C.; Cutter's History of Stratford, Conn. p. 1090.

Chapter 3

GENERATION II-JOHN LINE

2. JOHN BENJAMIN[2] (John[1]) born about 1620 in England, the son of John and Abigail (Eddye) Benjamin. He died December 22, 1706, age 86, at Watertown, Mass. (Watertown vr Vol. I). He married about 1650 Lydia Allen of Boston, dau. of William Allen. Lydia died January 10, 1709 at Watertown, Mass. (vr).

John came to America in 1632 with his parents on the ship "Lion".

William Allen is supposed to mave married --- Riggs. He was "of Boston" on November 13, 1673, a refugee from Manhattan. He had been expelled by the Dutch when they captured that town. He made his will December 15, 1674 and it was proved January 26 1674/5 (Suffolk Probate Vol. 6 p. 133). The testator bequeathed "unto Lydia Benjamin, wife of John of Watertown". On January 26, 1674/5 John Benjamin appeared in court and renounced his executorship "in the right of Lydia, his wife, to the will". In the Boston Transcript November 23, 1940, there was some discussion as to why John refused the bequest of William Allen. They felt it was either too small to warrent the trouble of complying with the legal formalities involved in receiving it, or there was some question as to whether the property was honestly acquired.

John Benjamin was a blacksmith. In 1664 he was in Hartford, Conn., but returned to Watertown. In 1666 he was made a Freeman of Watertown. On April 5, 1681 he was exempted from military training. (He was 61 years of age at that time.) John was a member of the train band or Colonial Militia.

John's signature is shown on page 27 of Bond's History of Watertown, Mass.

On March 28, 1692 John sold his son Abel two parcels of upland in Watertown, one half of the homestead, 10 acres and one half of the barn, and one half of the house. The other parcel was one half of the Dividend acreage containing 25 acres. On January 12, 1696 he sold his sons, Daniel and Abel, 60 acres of land in Dorchester. His son John was to receive a double portion of the estate.

Children of John and Lydia (Allen) Benjamin:

*10. John Benjamin b. July 10, 1651 at Watertown. (vr).
*11. Lydia Benjamin b. April 3, 1653 at Watertown, Mass.
12. Abigail Benjamin b. July 14, 1655 at Watertown. (vr). She married Feb. 18, 1678 Samuel Neal of Braintree, Mass. (Braintree vr).
13. Mary Benjamin b. August 2, 1658 at Watertown, Mass.
*14. Daniel Benjamin b. July 12, 1660 at Watertown, Mass.
15. Ann Benjamin b. August 4, 1662, prob. at Hartford.

*16. Sarah Benjamin b. 1663 at Watertown, Mass.
*17. Abel Benjamin b. May 20, 1668 at Watertown, Mass.(vr

Resources: Watertown, Mass. vital records; History of Ashburnham by Sterns; The Wilson Papers; Savage's Genealogical Dictonary of N.E.; Bond's Hist. of Watertown, Mass.; Bullard and Allied Families by Bullard; New Eng. Hist. and Gen. Register Vol. 3 p. 239 and Vol. 10 p. 1777 and Vol. 37 p. 347; Gen. of Park Benjamin by Hoover, Grafton Magazine of Hist. and Gen. 1908-10 p. 38; Boston Transcript Jan. 1, 1908, Oct. 5, 1940, and Nov. 23, 1940.

3. ABIGAIL BENJAMIN[2], (John[1]), dau. of John and Abigail (Eddye) Benjamin was born about 1624 in England and died Oct./Nov. 30, 1704 probably in Watertown, Mass. age 80 years. She m/1 about 1640 Joshua Stubbs of Watertown. He died Nov. 1654 at Charles town, Mass. She m/2 in 1655/6 John Woodward of Watertown, the son of Richard and Rose (---) Woodward. John was b. 1621 and d. Feb. 17, 1695/6 at Watertown. He had m/1 Mary ---.

Joshua Stubbs was admitted a Freeman of Watertown on May 2, 1649. On Nov. 8, 1654 Joshua Stubbs, then of Charlestown, and wife Abigail, with the consent of the mother of Abigail, sold to Joseph Underwood for 30 pounds their homestall (house and 12 acres) and several other parcels of land in Watertown. He died soon after this date.

The Widow Stubbs, in May 1656 joined the church at Charlestown. As Widow Abigail Stubbs, she had land assigned to her on March 1658--so she may not have married until the summer of 1658.

John Woodward came to America from Ipswich, England with his father at the age of 13 in the "Elizabeth" on Nov. 1634. In Nov. 1639 he was admonished "to take heed of drinking strong water again". He was made a Freeman in 1690. John lived in Watertown, Sudbury, Charlestown, and Cambridge. He was reputed to be an atheist, but embraced Christianity in Watertown on April 12, 1690. He was m/1 to Mary --- who died July 8, 1654 at Sudbury. By this first marriage he had only one son, John Woodward b. March 20, 1650 and died young. He made his will January 10, 1697 and mentions son-in-law Richard Norcross and children of Elizabeth Stimson andMary Traine.

Abigail Woodward was a witness in Court June 1671 at which time she was age 47.

Children of Joshua and Abigail (Benjamin) Stubbs:
18. Samuel Stubbs b. Aug. 3, 1642 at Charlestown. He is believed to have died young as there seem to be no records for him.
*19. Elizabeth Stubbs bc. 1646 or 1650 at Charlestown.
*20. Mary Stubbs bc. 1644 or 1650 at Charlestown.

Children of John and Abigail (Benjamin Stubbs) Woodward:
*21. Abigail Woodward bc. 1656/7 at Sudbury, Mass.

*22. Rose Woodward b. August 18, 1659 at Charlestown.
*23. John Woodward b. December 12/13, 1661 at Sudbury, Ms.

Resources: Grafton Magazine of Hist. and Gen. 1908-10, p. 38; Records of Marjorie Heaney of Deland, Fla.; Hartford Times Jan. 3, 1967; Boston Transcript Mar. 9, 1932; Savage's Gen. Dictionary p. 646; Vol. 85 p. 447 N.E. Hist. and Gen. Register; Records of Mrs. Edward A. Adams of Windsor Locks, Conn.

4. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[2], (John[1]), born 1628 in England, the son of John and Abigail (Eddye) Benjamin; died September 25, 1669 at Hoccannum, Hartford, Conn. He married Mary --- sometime after 1656. She was a widow and resident of Weathersfield, Conn. in 1670.

Samuel came to America with his parents on the ship "Lion" in 1632.

When young, Samuel worried the Selectmen of Watertown by his idleness, but he appeared before them Dec. 11, 1656 and his report was "he hath given 'soe' good 'aacompt' of spending his time at 'yt' the 'seaven' men are well satisfied therewith".

Samuel took the Oath of Fidelity in 1652. On October 19, 1667 Samuel sold 10 acres of land to his Mother. This parcel included a house. On October 28, 1667 he and Mary sold three lots of land to Daniel Medup.

Some records say that Samuel lived in Watertown, Charlestown, Hartford, and Windsor, Conn. He died in Hoccannum, Hartford, Conn. and his will was dated Sept. 18, 1669 and proved Nov. 10, 1670. The inventory was taken Nov. 9, 1670 by Nathaniel Rusco and Stephen Hopkins. He made his wife Mary and brother Caleb Benjamin executors of his estate and it was valued at over 98 pounds. Thomas Atwood, age 60, and Thomas Edwards, age 47, testified "they heard him make his will, and heard him say "I give unto my loving wife, Mary, all my whole estate. My brother Caleb overseer." On Nov. 9, 1670 the Widow was engaged to pay Mary and Abigail, children of said Samuel, each 10 pounds at the age of 18.

In 1670 Widow Mary Benjamin made Caleb Benjamin trustee for her children--Mary and Abigail.

A Samuel Benjamin was in Court in 1661 for drunkedness in Dover, New Hampshire. His fine was paid by Philip Chesley.

Children of Samuel and Mary (---) Benjamin:
24. Abigail Benjamin bc. 1658/9 at Watertown, Mass.
25. Mary Benjamin b. May 12, 1666 at Watertown (vr).
*26. Samuel Benjamin bc. 1668 at Watertown.
*27. John Benjamin bc. 1669/70 at Watertown.

Resources: The Wilson Papers; Hinman's Gen. of Puritans of Conn. p. 114; Gen. of Families of Watertown by Bond, p. 27; Grafton Magazine of Hist. and Gen. 1908-10, p. 38; Vol. I of Early Conn. Probate Records; Stile's Hist of Ancient Weather-

sfield; Watertown vital records; N.E. Hist. and Gen. Register Vol. 68 p. 187; Maine and N.H. Gen. Dict.

6. JOSEPH BENJAMIN[2], (John[1]), born September 16, 1633 at Newtowne, (now Cambridge), Mass., the son of John and Abigail (Eddye) Benjamin; died April (spring of) 1704 at Preston, Conn. He m/1 Jemima Lumbert (Lumbard/Lambert, etc.) of Barnstable, Mass on June 10, 1661. She was the dau. of Thomas and Joice (---) Lumbert and was bc. 1636 at Dorchester, Mass. and died after March 7, 1664 and more probably in 1666 with the birth of her second daughter. He m/2 Sarah Clarke of Yarmouth, Mass. previous to Dec. 7, 1668 and more probably soon after the death of his first wife, since he had 2 very small children to care for. She was the dau. of Lt. William and Sarah (Lumbert-Lumbard) Clarke. She was born Aug. 1, 1639 and was still living in 1716.

William Clarke of Yarmouth died Dec. 7, 1668 and gave his property to Joseph Benjamin by nuncupative will. The estate was valued at 8.3.0 pounds. Sarah Clarke's mother was probably a sister to Thomas and Barnard Lumbert, which would make the two wives cousins. This, too, would account for Barnard Lumbert, age 60, testifying as to his presence and hearing the will of William Clarke.

In Savage's account of the Lumbert family, he indicates that the first marriage of Joseph Benjamin may have been "a run-away marriage".

Joseph was a watchman at Charlestown in 1665 and was named in the sessions (court rec.). He lived in Barnstable and then sometime before 1668 he moved to Yarmouth. He is mentioned in the Annals of Yarmouth in Oct. 3, 1663 and Apr. 29, 1673. In Yarmouth, his farm was near the Meadows. In 1680 he exchanged his farm for that of Joseph Gorham in Barnstable. He sold a farm in Cambridge, which he inherited, on Oct. 30, 1686.

The town of Preston, Conn. was established in 1686 and Joseph and his family moved there in 1696, where he bought 100 acres of land. His abstract of purchase was made July 27, 1696 and is as follows: "John Stanton Sr., of Stonington, New LondonCo. and Colony of Conn., for 13 pounds 12 shillings, sold to Joseph Benjamin, now resident of the Town of Preston, same county and Colony, 100 acres of upland, fresh meadow land and swamp in the township of Preston..." and then follows a description of the boundaries of the land. This deed was signed by John and Hannah Stanton and witnessed by Benjamin Howard, Elizabeth Mason, and Joseph Freeman, and is recorded in Vol. 1 p. 273 of the Preston Land Records.

The trees on the boundaries bore the mark ŦB for Joseph Benjamin and TP for Thomas Parke, and it was on this land that Joseph built his house. The land remained in the possession of the Benjamin descendants until the late 1800's.

In 1703 the father followed the common custom, and deeded his lands to his two sons, Joseph and John. On June 24, 1703

Joseph Benjamin of Preston, for various reasons but especially for natural affection to son Joseph Benjamin, deeded to said son, part of the lands southward of Pachug River, with Jonathan Tracy and Isaac Averill being the witnesses. On July 27, 1703 Joseph Benjamin deeded the other part of his land to his son John Benjamin, who was to possess the lands after the father's death, "only allowing my wife a third part of said farm during her widowhood". Both deeds were acknowledged on July 27, 1703 and recorded May 8, 1704, after Joseph's death. (Land records of Preston, Conn: 1-369, 370).

Joseph Benjamin died in the spring of 1704 and an inventory of his estate was taken April 27, 1704 by Jonathan Tracy, Samuel Lennerson, and Thomas Stanton. It included only household furniture and clothing. The names and ages of the children are given in the inventory: viz: Joseph, age 30, John, age 22; Abigail, Jemima, Sarah, Hannah, Marah, Marcy; all above 20 years. On June 5, 1704 the Widow Sarah Benjamin personally appeared and made oath to the truth of the Inventory (Probate Rec. New London, Conn. Book A p. 261). At the Court of Probate held at New London on June 9, 1704, the inventory of the estate of Joseph Benjamin of Preston, dec'd, was exhibited, proved, accepted, and ordered to be recorded and the Court granted power of administration to the widow and relict of said Benjamin, and defers distribution for the present. (Probate Journal, Vol. 1 p. 30). Only one document is now on file of this estate, and that is the inventory.

Children of Joseph and Jemima (Lumbard) Benjamin:

28. Abigail Benjamin b. March 23, 1662 at Charlestown, Mass. (vr). She d. unmarried after 1704.

*29. Jemima Benjamin b. Feb. 1666 prob. at Barnstable.

Children of Joseph and Sarah (Clarke) Benjamin:

30. Sarah Benjamin bc. 1667 at Yarmouth; she m. Nov. 31, 1708 as the 2nd wife of Thomas Knowlton. This child might very well have been born after John, since her marriage date is so late. However, she is placed thus in the listing of children in the inventory, and in most other listings of the child ren of Joseph.

*31. Hannah Benjamin b. Feb. 1668/9 at Yarmouth (vr).

*32. Mary (Marah) Benjamin b. April 1670 at Yarmouth (vr)

*33. Joseph Benjamin b. April 29, 1673/4 at Yarmouth.

*34. Mercy (Marsy) Benjamin b. March 12, 1674/5 at Yarmouth (vr).

*35. Elizabeth Benjamin b. Jan. 14, 1679 at Yarmouth (vr)

*36. John Benjamin b. 1682 at Yarmouth (vr-too badly worn to read).

37. Kesiah Benjamin b. 1688. In the Notes of Barnstable Families Vol. I, mention is made of a dau. Kesiah (p. 143), but Mrs. E. E. Rogers, when doing research for her manuscript could find no record of such a child born to Joseph. This might be the

above Sarah, or the name Kesiah is used quite often used as a nickname for Mary.

38. Jerusha Benjamin. Likewise, Dr. Wilson included a dau. named Jerusha in his manuscript and what was published in the Grafton Magazine. Because your compilier wishes to keep all avenues open to the researcher, they are included, tho no other reords have been obtained for them.

Resource: p. 106 Savage's Gen. Dictionary of N.E. Settlers; p. 1090 Cutter's Gen. and Family Hist. of Conn.; Gen.of Park Benjamin by Hoover; Grafton Magazine of Hist. and Gen. Vol 1 and 2 p. 38; Wilson Papers; History of Westminister, Mass. by Heywood, 1893; N. E. Gen. and Hist. Register Vol. 2 p. 64, Vol. 7 p. 178, and Vol. 19 p. 169; Hartford Times Dec. 14, 1946; The Benjamin Family of Norwich and Preston by E. E. Rogers.

7. JOSHUA BENJAMIN[2], (John[1]), was born May 6, 1642 at Watertown, the son of John and Abigail (Eddye) Benjamin; died May 6, 1684 at Charlestown, Mass, age 42. He is buried in Burial Hill at Charlestown. He married Thankful Stowe on August 14/24, 1682, the dau. of Nathaniel[2] and Elizabeth (---) Stowe. She was born Jan. 4, 1659 at Concord, Mass. and died March 4, 1691 of small pox.

After Joshua's death she m/2 Ebenezer (Eben) Austin of Charlestown on July 8, 1685. He was the son of Richard[2] and Abigail (Bachelor) Austin and was born Aug. 27, 1662 at Charles town and died Jan. 16, 1723. After Thankful died he m/2 Rebecca Sprague on Jan. 27, 1691/2 at Malden, Mass.

Joshua was a saddler and settled in Charlestown where in 1680 he bought a house from Thos. Allen.

Joshua (als. Josiah) Benjamin was credited under Capt John Cutler June 27, 1676. Capt. Cutler was engaged during King Phillip's War on various occassions in conducting supply trains to the garrison, and at the time of Capt. Wadsworth's destruction of Sudbury on April 21, 1676, narrowly escaped being cut off with his company returning from Marlborough.

Joshua's will was dated April 5, 1684 and proved June 17, 1684 with a value of 177 pounds. He devised to John Fowle 10 square feet of land for stables, with the residue to his wife, and then at the decease of his wife, to his brother Abel.

Joshua died without issue, as far as is known.

Children of Ebenezer and Thankful (Stowe Benjamin) Austin:
Sarah Austin b. Oct. 24, 1686, m. Matthew Butler.
Elizabeth Austin b. Apr. 26, 1687 at Charlestown, d. Apr. 5, 1759 at Charlestown; m. at Charlestown Sept. 20, 1711 John Sprague b. May 7, 1689 at Malden, Mass.

Children of Ebenezer and Rebecca (Sprague) Austin:
They had 11 children, including Joseph Austin who

m. Abigail Benjamin as his second wife. (see #51.)

Resources: Grafton Magazine of Hist. and Gen. Vol. 1 and 2 p. 38; Desc. of Richard Austin p. 9, 12; Gen. of Families of Watertown by Bond; Slason, Slauson, Slawson, Slosson Family, 1946; p. 219 Savage's Gen. Dictionary of N.E. Settlers; p. 286 Soldiers of King Phillip's War by Bodge, 1896; N.E. Hist and Gen. Register Vol. 42 p. 299.

8. CALEB BENJAMIN[2], (John[1]), born about 1643 at Watertown, Mass. the son of John and Abigail (Eddye) Benjamin; died May 13/18, 1684 at Weathersfield, Conn. He married Mary Hale about 1670, the dau. of Samuel and Mary (Smith) Hale of Weathersfield. She was born April 29, 1649 at Weathersfield and died about 1700.

After the death of Caleb, Mary m/2 Walter Harris Senior of Glastonbury and Weathersfield in 1686. Mr. Harris died in 1716. He m/2 in 1701 Mary Hollister, dau. of Lt. Thomas and Elizabeth (Lattimer) Hollister.

Samuel Hale was one of the first proprietors of Norwalk in 1654 and of Hartford in 1640, a soldier in the Pequot War and Pastor of the Church of Christ in Weathersfield. Mary was named in her father's will of Nov. 9, 1693 as was her daughter, Abigail Benjamin, who was left "all my bedsteads, beds, and bedding, and all my linnen that I shall leave at my decease. Also one cow, one mare, and my great brass kettle, fire pan, tongs, trammell, Frying Pan, and warming pan, pewter platters, and "bason" with my name on it".

Caleb was admitted Freeman of Conn. on May 13, 1669. He was a 'gr. ld' in 1672 and a fence viewer for Naubuc and Nayaug in 1678. He resided for a time in Hartford, Conn. and in 1682 he and 5 others petitioned the General Court for leave to settle and form a plantation in the Wabaquasset country (presently Windham County). He was granted 80 acres by the town of Weathersfield in S. Glastonbury Nov. 1672.

Caleb died intestate. He left 240 acres of upland and his estate was valued at 153 pounds 4 shillings. His estate was probated Sept. 4, 1684 and Samuel Haile (Hale) and Joseph Hills took the inventory. His wife Mary, was appointed administrator and the names and ages of his children were append ed to the inventory. (Vol. 4 p. 187 County Building, Hartford Conn.) John, the son, received a double portion of the estate, as he was the eldest living son.

Walter Harris and his wife, Mary, were charged Feb. 25, 1686/7 with incontience before marriage. This record indicates that Mary had issue by her second husband and makes it probably that she was the mother of Walter Harris Jr.

On Nov. 7, 1709 Walter Harris Sr. of Glastonbury was cited to appear and render an account of his own and his late wife's administration of the estate of Caleb Benjamin of Weathersfield.

Children of Caleb and Mary (Hale) Benjamin:

*39. Mary Benjamin b. Sept. 15, 1671 at Weathersfield.

*40. Abigail Benjamin b. Apr. 27, 1673 at Weathersfield.

41. Sarah Benjamin b. February 17, 1675/6 at Weathersfield, Conn. In Early Conn. Probate Rec. Vo. II, p. 23 "Sarah Benjamin, of lawful age, at the house of Mrs. Elizabeth Backlease of Weathersfield June 8, 1708 heard her will. Sarah testified to that on June 16, 1708."

*42. John Benjamin b. Nov. 5, 1677 at Weathersfield.

43. Samuel Benjamin b. February 14, 1680 at Weathesfield, Conn.; d. Dec. 29, 1684 at Derby, Conn. (vr 2-2), and is recorded as the son of Widow Mary Benjamin. He was age 4 years.

44. Martha Benjamin b. January 19, 1681 at Weathersfield she was living unm. in 1706 with Uncle Samuel Hale and in 1718 with Capt. Samuel Wells. Poor Martha was not very bright and the court records show she had at least 2 children, the last born in July 1718.

*45. Caleb Benjamin b. March 1683 at Weathersfield.

Resources: Gen. Dictionary of N.E. Settlers by Savage, Vol. I p. 165; First Puritan Settler's of Hartford, Conn. by Hinman p. 114-5; History of Glastonbury, Conn. p. 166; Ancestry and Desc. of William Hills; Hist. of Ancient Weathersfield p. 94; American Ancestry by Hughes; Probate Court Records of Hartford,Conn. Vol. 4 p. 187; Hale, House, and Related Families by Jacobus, p. 9, 819; p. 111 Public Rec. of Conn. prior to 1665, 1850; Wilson Papers; Early Conn. Probate Records Vol I p. 272, 456.

9. ABEL BENJAMIN[2], (John[1]), born about 1645/6 in Watertown, Mass., the son of John and Abigail (Eddye) Benjamin; died in 1710 at Charlestown, Mass., age about 65. He married November 6, 1671 Amithea (Amathea/Amity) Myrick (Merrick) of Windsor, Conn. She was the dau. of John and Elizabeth (Wyborne) Myrick and was born Feb. 1654 and died May 10, 1713 and is buried in the Phipps St. Burial Grounds at Charlestown.

Abel was a rope maker and settled in Charlestown, Mass. His wife, Amity, was admitted to full communion at the First Church of Charlestown May 14, 1676 and "Goodman" Abel Benjamin was admitted to the same church Sept. 8, 1699/0. He was admit ted a Freeman of Charlestown on May 14, 1676 and a Freeman of Conn. on Sept. 8, 1700. (This last date might very well be a record for his son.)

According to Charlestown records, Abel was overseerer of the swine, Tithingman, town messenger, and bell ringer. In 1695 he paid a fine of one penny in acknowledgment that his dung hill was in the street. March 2, 1695 he was made town messenger and in 1699 rang the tower bell. In 1702 he is running the line and surveying.

In 1692 he sold a house and shop to E. Austin, and in 1694, along with other Myrick heirs, sells some property to S. Codman. In 1710 he, with his wife, sold some marsh to son John in Cambridge, Mass.

Abel's will is dated July 3, 1710 and proved Dec. 2, 1710/1 with the Widow named as executor and his estate was valued at 128 pounds. In his will he names wife Amity, son John, grandson John, dau. Mary, dau. Abigail, and brother Joshua. Evidently son Abel was dead by the time of the writting of the will, since he is not named. (Vol. 12 p. 265 Middlesex, Cambridge Reg. of Deeds). Joshua, the younger son was given the house by "the meeting house" and marsh at Cambridge that Abel had received from his brother Joshua. He gave his son John the house and stable he had acquired from Mr. Pentecost.

In Frothingham's History of Charlestown, mention is made that Abel lived in Charlestown in 1677.

Children of Abel and Amithea (Myrick) Benjamin:

46. Mary Benjamin b. Dec. 22, 1672 at Charlestown, bapt. Mar. 28, 1676 at the First Church of Charlestown; m. Feb. 4, 1710 Samuel Smith.
47. Daughter, who died before the will was drawn; m. Samuel Phipps b. Feb. 10, 1684, son of Samuel and Catherine (---) Phipps.
48. Abel Benjamin b. Dec. 2, 1675 at Charlestown, died Feb. 12, 1675/6 at Charlestown; age 10 mos.
*49. John Benjamin b. Jan. 14, 1676/7 at Charlestown.
50. Abigail Benjamin b. Aug. 26, 1680 at Charlestown; bapt. June 20, 1680; single in 1733.
*51. Joshua Benjamin b. April 10, 1686 at Charlestown.

Resources: Bond's History of Watertown, Mass.; History of Charlestown Vol. 1 p. 77; Gen. Dictionary of N.E. by Savage p. 165; Genealogy and Estates of Charlestown by Wyman, p. 77; Bullard and Allied Families by Bullard, 1930; Microfilm of Charlestown, Mass. records found by Mrs. Fales in Boston Public Library; Family GroupSheet in Salt Lake City Archives; p. 77 Hammett Papers Vol. 1; N.E. Hist. and Gen. Register Vol. 26 p. 156, 157, and p. 250.

Chapter 4

GENERATION III--JOHN LINE

10. JOHN BENJAMIN[3] (John[2], John[1]) born Sept. 10, 1651 at Watertown (vr), the son of John and Lydia (Allen) Benjamin. He died at Watertown, Mass. on November 18, 1708, age 57. He married in 1678 Mehitable ---. There is no data on her. He m/2 Sarah --- about 1685. This might be Sarah Ralph, b. December 14, 1661, the dau. of Thomas and Elizabeth (Desborouth) Ralph. In his will, dated 1682, Thomas Ralph refers to a dau. Sarah Benjamin, and left her 7 pounds to be paid by her brother in seven years.

John resided in Watertown and Boston.

Children of John and Mehitable (---) Benjamin:

52. John Benjamin b. April 15, 1679 at Boston (vr), bp. Sept. 4, 1679 at Boston. There is some confusion about whether this John died on April 15, 1699--or if that is the date of the birth of another John. It would seem this John died young.

Children of John and Sarah (?Ralph) Benjamin:

53. Sarah Benjamin b. May 8, 1686 at Boston (vr); died unm. November 18, 1708, age 22.

*?54. Daniel Benjamin bc. 1693. (This is a possible placement, because of the name Daniel and the area of Boston.)

55. Lydia Benjamin bapt. Sept. 10, 1699 at Boston.

56. John Benjamin bapt. Sept. 10, 1699 at Boston. His birth is given as April 15, 1699. According to Hartford Times Feb. 2, 1957, John and Lydia were twins.

Resources: Watertown Vital Records; Grafton Magazine of Hist. and Gen. Vol. 1 p. 38; Wilson Papers; Boston Births, Bapt., Marriages, and Death Records 1630-1699, 1908 p. 148, 168; Gen. Dictionary of N.E., Savage; Genealogical Biographies of Ancient New England; Gen. Dictionary of Rhode Island, Austin, 1887.

11. LYDIA BENJAMIN[3] (John[2], John[1]) born April 3, 1653 at Watertown, Mass. (vr), the dau. of John and Lydia (Allen) Benjamin. She was bapt. Sept. 10, 1699. She married Thomas Batt (Ball/Bott) of Boston, the son of Christopher and Ann (---) Batt.

Christopher Batt came from Salisbury, Co. Wilts, England and embarked at Southampton in 1638. He was a tanner by trade and was aged 37, with wife Ann, age 32, and 5 children under 10 years of age. He removed to Boston where he was

accidently killed in 1661. One of the children was probably Thomas, for he carried on the business of his father in Boston.

Thomas and Lydia (Benjamin) Batt had only one child:
57. Elizabeth Batt, died in 1692 at Watertown, Mass.

Resources: Grafton Magazine of Hist. and Gen. Vol. 1 p. 38; Burke Alvord Memorial and Gen. by Boutelle and Burke; p. 140 Savage's Gen. Dictionary of N.E.; Bond's History of Watertown

14. DANIEL BENJAMIN[3], (John[2], John[1]) b. July/September 12, 1660 at Watertown, Mass. (vr); the son of John and Lydia (Allen) Benjamin. He died September/December 25, 1719 at Watertown (vr) age 59. He married March 25, 1687 at Watertown (vr) to Elizabeth Browne, the dau. of Jonathan[2] and Mary (Shattuck) Browne. She was b. Sept. 19, 1664 at Watertown and d. Aug. 8, 1740 or 1748 at Watertown (vr).

Elizabeth was a Mayflower descendant.

Daniel was a licensed innholder from 1694-1699 at Watertown and a tax collector and town assessor in 1702.

March 26, 1704 Samuel Stone sold to Daniel 2½ acres in Cambridge, Mass.

Daniel took the Oath of Fidelity Dec. 1677.

Children of Daniel and Elizabeth (Browne) Benjamin:
58. Daniel Benjamin b. Jan. 15, 1687/8 at Watertown (vr), d. March 17, 1688.
*59. Daniel Benjamin b. Dec. 27, 1688 at Watertown (vr).
60. John Benjamin bapt. Nov. 23, 1690 at Watertown (vr); died young.
*61. Jonathan Benjamin bapt. Nov. 23, 1690 at Watertown. (Watertown vr Vol. IV).
*62. Samuel Benjamin b. Jan. 30, 1694/5 at Watertown (vr)
*63. Elizabeth Benjamin b. March 22, 1697/8 at Watertown (vr).
*64. Lydia Benjamin b. Sept. 8, 1699 at Watertown.
*65. Patience Benjamin b. Oct. 17, 1701 at Watertown.
*66. Mary Benjamin b. Sept. 21, 1705 at Watertown (Weston vr).
67. John Benjamin b. August 4/5, 1709 at Watertown, Mass (vr Vol. I); d. unm. December 1729, age 20 yrs.

Resources: Grafton Magazine of Hist. and Gen. Vol. 1, 1910, p. 38; Gen. of Families of Watertown, Bond, p. 28; p. 313 Vol. VI, Colonial Families in U.S., 1911; p. 68 Desc. of Wm. Shalluck, 1855; p. 23 3100 Colonial Ancestors, Rexford, 1934; Watertown Vital Records Vol. 1 p. 59 and 60, Vol. II p. 3; Wilson Papers; Hist. of Ashburnham by Sterns.

16. SARAH BENJAMIN[3], (John[2], John[1]) bc. 1663 at Watertown, Mass.; the dau. of John and Lydia (Allen) Benjamin; died October

20/22, 1745 at Watertown, Mass. age 82. She married William Hagar, Jr., son of William and Mary (Bemis) Hagar of Watertown. He was b. Feb./March 12, 1659 at Watertown and died May 8, 1731 at Watertown.

William Hagar Jr. served under Capt. Nathaniel Davenport in King Phillip's War.

Children of William and Sarah (Benjamin) Hagar:

*68. William Hagar III bc. 1688 at Watertown, Mass.
*69. Sarah Hagar bc. 1690 at Watertown.
70. Mary Hagar bc. ?; died young.
*71. John Hagar b. April 29, 1697 at Watertown.
*72. Ebenezer Hagar b. August 13, 1698 at Watertown.
*73. Joseph Hagar b. January 1, 1702 at Watertown.
*74. Mehitable Hagar b. May 1, 1704 at Watertown.
75. Mary Hagar bc. 1705
76. Mercy Hagar bc. 1707 at Watertown; died unm. in Waltham, Mass. Nov. 23, 1772.

Resources: The Wilson Papers; Bond's Hist. of Watertown; Vital Records of Waltham, Mass.; Newton Gen. by Leonard p. 205; p. 328 Savage's Gen. Dictionary of N.E.; p. 140-143 Bullard and Allied Families, Bullard, 1930.

17. ABEL BENJAMIN[3], (John[2], John[1]) born May 20, 1668 at Watertown, Mass.; the son of John and Lydia (Allen) Benjamin (vr Vol. II). He married about 1694 Abigail Stimpson, dau. of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Stubbs) Stimpson. Abigail was born July 1, 1671 at Cambridge, Mass. and died March 30, 1755 at Hardwick, Vermont, at her son Caleb's home. (Some records state she d. June 24, 1756 and others say she d. at Windsor, Vt.)

Elizabeth Stubbs was the dau. of Joshua and Abigail (Benjamin) Stubbs, hence both Abel and Abigail were grandchildren of John[1] Benjamin.

Abel was admitted to full communion in Watertown on Feb. 6, 1798.

On Feb. 12, 1699 Abel sold his brother Daniel land that adjoined Daniel's property. (Cambridge Deeds Vol. 21 p. 159). Abel bought ½ of the homestead, which contained 10 acres, one half of the barn, one half of the house, and another parcel that contained 25 acres from his parents (Cambridge Deeds Vol. 16 p. 40).

Abel died intestate, and his estate was probated April 8, 1720, with the Widow and eldest son, Jonathan, appointed as executors. The Widow asked to have her son appointed joint administrator, since she was for some reason unable to manage it. Caleb Benjamin of Hardwick was appointed administrator of Abigail's estate on June 30, 1752 (Cambridge Probate Vol. 36 p. 6). Evidently she was unable to manage due to her advanced age of 81.

Children of Abel and Abigail (Stimpson) Benjamin:

77. Abel Benjamin b. October 12, 1695; died March 14, 1697; age 2 years. (vr). at Watertown, Mass.
*78. Jonathan Benjamin b. Feb. 18, 1697 at Watertown (vr Vol. II).
79. Abigail Benjamin b. September 7, 1699 (Watertown vr Vol. II); bapt. Sept. 10, 1699.
80. Susannah Benjamin b. unknown; bapt. Jan. 14, 1727/8 at Watertown; and owned ye covenant. (Watertown rec. Vol. IV). She was bapt. at the same time as were Caleb and Ann.
*81. Caleb Benjamin b. Jan. 28, 1702 at Watertown.
*82. Ann Benjamin b. Jan. 21, 1703/4 at Watertown.
83. Abel Benjamin b. March 31, 1706 at Watertown; died December 13, 1729, age 23. Both are Watertown vr Vol. I.
*84. Rebecca Benjamin b. June 11, 1708 at Watertown.
85. Elizabeth Benjamin b. Jan. 1, 1710; d. Jan. 3, 1710 at Watertown, Mass.
*86. Elizabeth Benjamin b. July 3, 1711/12 at Watertown.
87. Mary Benjamin b. August 8, 1714 at Watertown, Mass.

Resources: Watertown, Mass. Vital Records Vol. II and IV; The Benjamin Family by Mary L. Benjamin; records of Allen Benjamin of Wayland, Mass.; Bond's Gen. of Families of Watertown; Vol. VII p. 79 Colonial Families in U.S. by McKenzie; N.E. Hist. and Gen. Register Vol. 85 p. 447, Vol. 86 p. 86; Vol. 98 p. 83.

19. ELIZABETH STUBBS[3], (Abigail[2], John[1]) born either 1646 or 1650 probably at Charlestown, Mass.; the dau. of Joshua and Abigail (Benjamin) Stubbs; died January 10, 1726/7 at Weston, Mass. She m/1 July 8, 1669 at Cambridge, Mass. Jonathan Stimpson of Weston Farms, the son of perhaps Andrew and Jane (---) Stimpson. He was b. 1644 and d. Dec. 22, 1692 at Watertown, Mass. She m/2 March 12, 1700/1 at Watertown to Richard Barnes (Barns) of Marlboro. He d. Jan. 22, 1707/8 at Marlboro, Mass. She m/3 March 23, 1720/1 Jonathan Bullard, son of George Bullard.

Jonathan Stimpson became a Freeman April 18, 1690. Bond thinks he was a brother of the second Andrew Stimpson. His estate inventory was taken March 13, 1693 and was valued at 123 pounds. The Widow filed the inventory and said because of illness of children, she had not been able to work and she had spent more than 'ye movables income of ye said estate'. (Reg. of Deeds, Middlesex Co., Mass.)

In Vol. 28 p. 108 of the N.E. Hist. and Gen. Register, it is mentioned that a committee was appointed to set forth the widow's thirds. Joseph Sherman, John Chadwick, and Henry Spring were members of that committee. On July 14, 1701 she was given her thirds. The rest of the estate was divided in to eleven shares--a double portion to the eldest son James

and single shares for each of the other nine children. There was about 48 pounds left in the estate when it was divided. Mary's share had been used for her burial expenses.

Children of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Stubbs) Stimpson:

*88. Abigail Stimpton b. July 1, 1671 at Cambridge, Mass.; she mc. 1695 Abel[3] Benjamin. (See #17 for her carry down.)

*89. James Stimpson b. May 26, 1673 at Cambridge, Mass.

90. Jonathan Stimpson b. Aug. 8, 1675; m/1 March 21, 1698/9 Mehitable Spring, dau. of Henry and Susanna (Cook) Spring. He d. Apr. 15, 1728 at Weston, Mass. and she m/2 Feb. 17,1729 Gresom Brigham of Marlboro. There was no issue of this first marriage.

91. Abel Stimpson. (mentioned in his father's will--no data.

92. Elizabeth Stimpson b. Jan. 31, 1681 at Cambridge, Mass.; m. William Harvey and d. June 10, 1726/7.

93. Samuel Stimpson b. Feb. 15, 1683 at Cambridge, Mass.

94. Rebecca Stimpson bapt. Nov. 7, 1688; m. August 8, 1705 Jeremiah Willis at Watertown, Mass.

95. Joseph Stimpson b. May 24, 1688; d. 1719.

96. Mary Stimpson; died unm. 1692.

97. Benjamin Stimpson b. April 24, 1690; m. May 10, 1717 to Hannah Black.

Children of Richard and Elizabeth (Stubbs Stimpson) Barnes:

98. John Barnes b. between 1675-81; d. July 10, 1702; he resided at Shirley, Mass.

Resources: Bond's Hist. of Watertown, Mass.; Probate Court Records; p. 447 Vol. 85 N.E. Hist. and Gen. Register; p. 196-197 Savage's Gen. Dictionary of N.E.

20. MARY STUBBS[3], (Abigail[2], John[1]), born either 1644 or 1655 at Charlestown, Mass.; the dau. of Joshua and Abigail (Benjamin) Stubbs. She married March 24, 1674/5 John Traine of Watertown and Waltham, Mass. He was the son of John and Margaret (Dix) Traine and was b. Setp./May 25, 1651 at Watertown and died February 19, 1718.

Children of John and Mary (Stubbs) Traine:

99. John Traine b. June 3/5, 1677; died the same day.

100. Abigail Traine b. June 3/5, 1677; m. May 14, 1702 William Sanderson, who was b. Sept. 6, 1670. He m/2 May 14, 1704 Anna Shalluck, and had 7 children with the second marriage. There was no issue of the first marriage.

*101. Elizabeth Traine b. January 6, 1680.

102. John Traine b. October 31, 1682; m. May 5, 1705 Lydia Jennison.

*103. Margaret Traine b. August 18, 1685.

104. Thomas Traine b. May 20, 1688.

?105. Rebecca Traine (perhap?)

Resources: p. 321 Savage's Gen. Dictionary of N.E.; Hist. of Watertown, Mass. by Bond; Records of Mrs. Edward Balduc of Virginia, Minn.

21. ABIGAIL WOODWARD[3], (Abigail[2], John[1]) born about 1656/7 at Charlestown, Mass.; the dau. of John and Abigail (Benjamin-Stubbs) Woodward. She died April 13, 1683 at Watertown, age 27. She married January 13, 1681/2 at Watertown Jeremiah Morse, son of Joseph and Hester (Pierce) Morse. He was born June 10, 1651 and died about 1719. He m/2 Sarah ---.

The inventory of his estate was taken Nov. 6, 1719 and was valued at 29 pounds by Benjamin Child and Ephraim Williams. He was the son of Joseph the second, and had lived with his father in Groton, but removed to Watertown with his mother, after his father's death.

Children of Jeremiah and Abigail (Woodward) Morse:
106. John Morse b. Mar. 23, 1683; d. June 3, 1683.

Children of Jeremiah and Sarah (---) Morse:
James Morse bapt. Apr. 24, 1689; d. Sept. 27, 1719.

Resources: Bond's Hist. of Watertown, Mass.; p. 240 and 371 of Savage's Gen. Dictionary of N.E.

22. ROSE WOODWARD[3], (Abigail[2], John[1]) born August 18, 1659 prob. at Watertown; the dau. of John and Abigail (Benjamin-Stubbs) Woodward. She died about 1694. Rose married August 10, 1686 Richard Norcorss Jr. of Watertown, the son ofRichard and Mary (Brooks) Norcross. He was born August 4, 1660 at Watertown. He m/2 Hannah Sanders on August 6, 1695 and she died May 14, 1743 at Weston, Mass.

He was a schoolmaster, like his father, and like him lived to a good old age.

Children of Richard and Rose (Woodward) Norcross:
107. Richard Norcross b. Dec. 30, 1687; died before 1707.
108. Samuel Norcross b. Oct. 14, 1689; d. 1724 at Durham, Conn.; was a soldier.
109. Abigail Norcross b. July 11, 1692; d. between 1729 and April 1732; m. Nov. 15, 1714 John Merriam at Littletown, Mass. He was "of Concord" and b. July 26, 1692 and d. 1735.

Children of Richard and Hannah (Sanders) Norcross:
John Norcross b. Dec. 28, 1696.
Hannah Norcross b. Feb. 16, 1699.
Joseph Norcross b. July 1, 1701.
Jeremiah Norcorss b. July 2, 1703.
George Norcross b. Aug. 22, 1705.
Rose or Ruth Norcross b. March 20, 1708.
Peter Norcorss b. Sept. 21, 1710; marriage intentions filed to Elizabeth Benjamin on March 27, 1742. She

was a dau. of Jonathan and Annabelle (Eve) Benjamin. William Norcross b. March 14, 1715.

Resources: Bond's History of Watertown, Mass.; Watertown Vital Records; p. 287 Savage's Gen. Dictionary of N.E.

23. JOHN WOODWARD[3], (Abigail[2], John[1]) born December 12/13, 1661; the son of John and Abigail (Benjamin-Stubbs) Woodward; died December 26, 1736 at Sudbury, Mass. He married in 1692 Susanna Grout of Sudbury. She was the dau. of Capt. John and Sarah (Busby Cakebread) Grout and was b. 1664 at Sudbury.

His will was dated Oct. 2, 1736 with John Woodward III named the executor and residuary legatee of his father's estate. Named in the will were John, Daniel, and granddau. Susanne Haynes.

Children of John and Susannah (Grout) Woodward:
110. John Woodward III; resided in Sudbury, Mass.
111. Daniel Woodward; m. 1716 in Sudbury Sarah Goodnow, dau. of Edward and Rebecca (---) Goodnow Sr.
112. Daughter, who m. --- Haynes and had dau. Susanne Haynes.

Resources: Bond's Hist. of Watertown, Mass p. 268; p. 319 of Savage's Gen. Dictionary of N.E.

26. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[3], (Samuel[2], John[1]), born about 1665 in Watertown, Mass.; the son of Samuel and Mary (---) Benjamin. He was of Hoccanum, Hartford and Weathersfield, Conn. We have no record of his marriage or his wife's name.

Dr. Wilson's records indicate that there was a Samuel Benjamin in this line for the next 4 generations.

Children of Samuel Benjamin:
*113. Samuel Benjamin bc. 1690 poss. at Stratford, Conn.
114. Mary Benjamin (of Hartford, Conn.) m. perhaps Benjamin Buck. Thomas Buck, minor, age 16 (bc. 1719) chose John Benjamin of Hartford to be his guardian June 3, 1735. He is perhaps the son of Benjamin Buck and Mary --- (perhaps Benjamin?) who's inventory was taken June 6, 1734 at Farmington, Conn.
115. Abigail Benjamin bc. 1699/0; d. May 15, 1754 at Griswold, Conn.; perhaps unm.
?116. Hannah Benjamin.

Resources: Gen. of Families of Watertown by Bond; Grafton Magazine of Hist. and Gen. Vol. 1, 1908, p. 38; p. 146 Early Conn. Probates Vol. III; Wattles Gen.; Bradford Gen.; Orcutt' Hist. of Stratford, Conn. p. 1146.

27. JOHN BENJAMIN[3], (Samuel[2], John[1])born about 1670 at Watertown, Mass.; the son of Samuel and Mary (---) Benjamin; died November 5, 1753 at Hartford, Conn. He married (date unknown)

Hannah Stow, dau. of John and Mary (Wetmore) Stow. She was born August 25, 1680 at Middletown, Conn. and died in 1754/5 at Hartford, Conn.

John was involved in a good number of land transactions between 1727 and 1750 found in the East Hartford Town Hall records. April 24, 1727 John Benjamin sold land to John Jr. On that same date, Mary Benjamin (prob. his mother) also sold him land. Dec. 15, 1746 John sold land to David, and on April 5, 1749 he sold land to Gideon Benjamin and finally on October 18, 1750 he sold land to John Jr.

On June 7, 1734 he conveyed all rights from his wife's grandfather, Thomas Stow, and from her mother and father.

He is named "Sgt". twice in the Hartford Town records, but why he had a military title has been lost. In 1714 Sgt. John Benjamin was collector three times for the school committee. On Jan. 1724/5 Sgt. Jno. Benjamin and wife were admitted to the church by Rev. Samuel Woodbridge (E. Hartford Private rec. p. 8.)

John's land in Hougoanum is mentioned in the will of David Forbes, which was dated Feb. 30, 1729. John also helped with the inventory on that date.

Either he, or son John, are chosen by Thomas Buck, minor, age 16, to be his guardian on June 3, 1735. He was perhaps the son of Benjamin and Mary (perhaps Benjamin) Buck, who's will was inventoried June 6, 1734 at Farmington, Conn.

John's will was dated Oct. 14, 1753 and probated Nov. 8, 1753 (Hartford rec. Vol. 17, p. 3-5, 8-10) and made son Gideon his executor. Samuel and John received 50 pounds each. Caleb got the house and 4 acres on the East side of the river. Ann was to receive 30 pounds when she was 18 years of age. David had died, but his children were mentioned.

Hannah's will was probated Dec. 7, 1754 (Vol. 17 p. 159 and p. 166) and she names Gideon, Samuel and Caleb Benjamin in her will.

Orchard Street in East Hartford was onced called Benjamin Lane.

NOTE: Jacobus, in Hale, House, and Related Families, 1952 has this John as a son of Caleb^2 (see #42), with a first marriage to Ann Latimer and a second marriage to Hannah Stow. Dr. Wilson (in the Grafton Magazine of History and Genealogy Vol. 1 #4 p. 34-41) and and Hinman (in Gen. of the Puritans of the Colony of Conn., 1852, p. 197) both have this family listed as above. At first your compilier felt that perhaps, because Jacobus was not researching ALL Benjamins, he may not have been aware that there were two John Benjamins, born about the same time and living in the same area. However, because of some land records that show a close connection between later generations, your compilier--after much soul searching--has decided to continue this carry down in the Caleb line, and not here. However, to allow all avenues of research to remain open, your compilier has placed this information here. See #42 for the carry

down for the following children:

Children of John and Hannah (Stow) Benjamin:
117. Gideon Benjamin bc. 1698 in Hartford, Conn.
118. John Benjamin bc. 1700 in Hartford, Conn.
119. David Benjamin bc. 1702/3 in Hartford, Conn.
120. Ann Benjamin b. Jan. 1704 in Hartford, Conn.
121. Samuel Benjamin b. May 30, 1708 in Hartford, Conn. (vr
122. Caleb Benjamin b. July 15, 1710 at Hartford, Conn. (vr

Resources: Orcutt's History of Stratford, Conn. p. 1146; Grafton Magazine of Hist. and Gen. Vol. 1, 1908; p. 38 Wattles Gen.; Bradford Gen.; p. 60 Hist. of E. Hartford by Goodwin, 1879; Early Conn. Probate Records Vol. III; Gen. of Puritans of Conn. by Hinman, 1852; Vol. 20 p. 234 N.E. Hist. and Gen. Register; p. 217 Savage's Gen. Dictionary of N.E.

29. JEMIMA BENJAMIN[3] (Joseph[2], John[1]) born February 1666 at Barnstable, Mass.; the dau. of Joseph and Jemima (Lumbert) Benjamin; was still alive in 1742. She married November 8, 1686 at Stow, Mass. to Stephen Gates, the son of Stephen and Sarah (Woodward) Gates. He was born July 17, 1665 at Lancaster, Mass. and died November 4, 1732 at Preston, Conn.

He removed to Preston, Conn., for he is found to have bought land there in Feb. 1696, but after the date of 1707 he is put on the town records as having removed. However, it is certain he must have returned, for after the distribution of his father's farm in 1710/1, he sold his part of the farm at Stow and in that year in Preston 14 acres of land was granted to Stephen if he built a grist mill and maintained it for the accomodation of the farmers. This mill was run by the Gates family for three generations. Stephen lived in Hopeville, in the town of Griswold, and the mill was on the west and south side of the Patchaug River.

In 1708 Stephen and Thomas Gates of Preston, for $30.00 each, sold to "our loving brother Simeon Gates of Stow, with the consent of our beloved wives, Jemima, wife of Stephen; and Margaret, wife of Thomas; all of the land given us by our late father, Stephen Gates."

In his will, proved Sept. 6, 1733, he calls himself "of Preston" and bequeths his property to sons Stephen and Isaac and 5 daughters--Thankful Woodward, Marcy Souther, Sarah Clark, Jemima Clark, and Elizabeth Dowing. He does not mention his wife. The amount of the estate was over 534 pounds.

Children of Stephen and Jemima (Benjamin) Gates:
*123. Thankful Gates b. April/Aug. 7/25, 1687 at Stow, Mass.
*124. Stephen Gates bc. 1789 at Stow, Mass.
125. Mercy Gates m. July 3, 1711 Thomas Foster. She m/2 --- Souther.
126. Sarah Gates b. November 10, 1690 at Preston, Conn.; m. Benjamin Clark of Preston, Conn.
127. Isaac Gates b. December 6, 1701 at Preston, Conn.; d.

Aug. 16, 1788 at Preston; m/1 Aug. 21, 1733 Deborah Partridge; m/2 1760 Sarah ---; m/3 1765 Charity Lathrop of Norwich, Conn.

128. Jemima Gates b. Jan. 13, 1698/9; m. June 20, 1723 Samuel Clark of Preston, Conn.

129. Elizabeth Gates b. Feb. 1704/5; m. Jonathan Dowing who was b. Sept. 11, 1703 at Groton and d. Sept. 24, 1786 at Canterbury, Conn.

130. Susannah Gates b. Feb. 1706/7; d. young.

Resources: Stephen Gates of Mass., Gates, 1898, p. 12 and 14; Hartford Times Nov. 9, 1846 and Dec. 10, 1955; p. 149 Anc. and Allied Fam. of Nathan Blake, Almira Blake, 1916; Records of Fawn K. Barnes of Houston, Texas.

31. HANNAH BENJAMIN[3] (Joseph[2], John[1]) born February 1668/9 at Yarmouth, Mass.; the dau. of Joseph and Sarah (Clark) Benjamin; married Simeon Gates May 4, 1688 at Stow, Mass. He was the son of Stephen and Sarah (Woodward) Gates and was born June 5, 1666 at Cambridge or Stow, Mass. and died in 1752 at Stow.

Children of Simeon and Hannah (Benjamin) Gates:

131. Simeon Gates.
132. Joseph Gates; m. 1728 Prudence Hamlin.
133. Benjamin Gates; m. 1727 Bethulia Rice b. Mar. 24, 1704.
134. Elisha Gates.
135. Israel Gates.
136. Amos Gates b. 1719; m. Elizabeth Laws.
137. Hannah Gates b. Feb. 13, 1688/9; m. Oliver Heald.
138. Elizabeth Gates; m. 1722 Thomas Wheeler.
139. Mary Gates; m. Dec. 20, 1720 Joseph Haynes.
140. Susanna Gates; m. John Fitch, for whom Fitchburg was named. She died at Providence, R.I. on the homeward journey from captivity in Canada on Dec. 24, 1748.

Resource: p. 12, 14 Stephen Gates of Mass., Gates, 1898; p. 206 Wisconsin Families, Mar. 1941, Vol. 4.

32. MARY (MARAH) BENJAMIN[3] (Joseph[2], John[1]) born April 1670 at Yarmouth, Mass.; the dau. of Joseph and Sarah (Clarke) Benjamin; died February 1723 at Ipswich, Mass. She married August 16, 1695 at Barnstable, Mass. (vr) John Clark. He was born 1645 at Plymouth, Mass. and died August 16, 1705 at Yarmouth, Mass. He is the supposed grandson of Thomas Clark, so called mate of the Mayflower. He may be the son of Deacon Thomas and Susanna (Ring) Clark.

Mr. Clark removed first to Barnstable, and then to Yarmouth, where he was a school teacher in 1701. Besides his salary, he was furnished with a horse, since the school was movable from one village to another. In 1681 he testified that he was 30 years old, which would make him bc. 1650/1.

Salt Lake City Family Group Sheets indicate that he had the same father as above (Thomas), but that his mother was

Abigail --- and that he was born November 13, 1660. It also indicated that two sons by the name of John were born to this couple, the first b. 1697 and died as an infant, with the second John b. May 9, 1703 at Ipswich.

Children of John and Mary (Benjamin) Clark:

141. John Clark b. November 16, 1697 at Ipswich, Mass.; m. Mary (or Sarah) Tobey and had a dau. Sarah Clark, who m. John Crapo.

Resources: p. 7 Clark Family of Rhode Island, Morrison, 1902; p. 18 Desc. of Thomas Clark, Johnson, 1884; p. 447 Gen. of Herbert Graves, Baker; Boston Transcript July 11, 1921 and July 27, 1921 and August 10, 1921.

33. JOSEPH BENJAMIN[3] (Joseph[2], John[1]) born April 29, 1673/4 at Yarmouth, Mass.; the son of Joseph and Sarah (Clarke) Benjamin; died May/June 1738 at Preston, Conn. He married Elizabeth Cooke of Preston on August 25, 1698 at Preston (vr 1-26). She was the dau. of Richard and Grace (?Larabee?) Cooke of Stonington and Preston. She was bapt. June 30, 1678 at Stonington at the First Church (cr p. 195).

Joseph was a blacksmith and settled in Preston about 1700. He served in 1695 under Capt. Gorum in the campaign against the Indians at Pemaquid and was severly wounded and pensioned in 1700.

On April 4, 1700 Josiah Loomis sold land to Joseph Benjamin, blacksmith of Sheffield, Mass., lot #35. (Reg. of Deeds, Pitsfield, Mass. Book 5 p. 74 and 549). On December 24, 1700 Joseph and his son Joseph Jr. owned land in Preston, Conn., but were not on the list of property owners in 1691.

Elizabeth Cooke Benjamin was admitted as a member of the First Congregational Church of Preston on June 4, 1702.

The will of Joseph Benjamin was dated May 26, 1732 and proved June 6, 1738 and mentions sons Joseph, Obed, Jedediah, Daniel, and Abial and daus. Elizabeth Park, Sarah Park, and Grace Wheeler. (Probate Rec., New London, Book D p. 328).

Children of Joseph and Elizabeth (Cooke) Benjamin:

*142. Joseph Benjamin b. Aug. 15, 1699 at Preston (vr 1-27).
*143. Obed(iah) Benjamin b. Aug. 1701 at Preston (vr 1-18).
*144. Elizabeth Benjamin b. Nov. 11, 1703 at Preston (vr1-26
*145. Sarah Benjamin b. January 17, 1707 at Preston.
146. Hannah Benjamin bp. March 3, 1706 at Preston (cr 1-19); probably died young, as she is not mentioned in her father's will.
147. Grace Benjamin b. January 10, 1709/10 at Preston; bp. April 23, 1710 at Preston (cr 1-21); m. Oct. 14, 1729 Jonathan Wheeler (Griswold, Conn. cr 1-252) and had 2 daughters.
*148. Jedediah Benjamin b. July 15, 1711 at Preston (vr 1-26
*149. Daniel Benjamin b. Sept. 7, 1714 at Preston (vr 1-26).
*150. Abial Benjamin b. Dec. 16, 1716 at Preston (vr 1-26).
?*151. John Benjamin.

Resources: The Benjamin Family of Columbia Co., N.Y., Reuben M. Benjamin, 1911; Lineage of My Children, Keogh, 1926; The Park Benjamin Gen., Hoover, 1906; The Park Family of Conn., S. Parks, 1906; Preston, Conn. Vital Records and Probate Court Records; The Benjamin Family of Norwich and Preston by Mrs. E. E. Rogers; Hist. of Norwich, Caukins; p. 192 Rix Gen.; p. 1085 Wheeler Gen., Wheeler, 1914; Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey, Book 4.

34. MERCY (MARSY) BENJAMIN[3] (Joseph[2], John[1]) born March 12, 1764/5 at Yarmouth, Mass.; the dau. of Joseph and Sarah (Clarke) Benjamin; and still living in 1716. She married Isaac Gates on July 2, 1696 at Concord, Mass. (vr p. 42); the son of Stephen and Sarah (Woodward) Gates. He was born 1673 at Boston, Mass. and died November 22, 1748 at Stow, Mass. He m/2 Elizabeth Farrar, who was b. 1670 and buried March 15, 1755.

Isaac settled in Stow, known as Stow-leg, a narrow strip of land about 200 rods wide and 6 miles long, between Lancaster and Groton, and was afterward a part of the town of Howard.

Children of Isaac and Mercy (Benjamin) Gates:

152. Jacob Gates b. 1698; d. Aug. 22, 1769; m/1 Elizabeth Hapgood b. 1704, d. Jan. 24, 1741/2; he m/2 Sarah --- b. 1709, d. Dec. 3, 1762, age 53. He had a dau. Elizabeth Gates who m. Jacob Holmes.
153. Isaac Gates; m. --- French.
154. Jonathan Gates bc. 1706; d. Dec. 24, 1772 at Harvard, Mass.
155. Stephen Gates; m. Betty ---.
156. Phineas Gates.
157. Hannah Gates b. April 2, 1714; m. 1733 Simon Davis.
158. Daughter b. July 8, 1716; d. within a few days.

Resources: p. 15 Stephen Gates of Mass., Gates, 1898; Record of Mrs. Christian F. Schnell of Chathamport, Mass.; Hartford Times Feb. 14, 1942; Boston Transcript April 21, 1908 and May 18, 1921.

35. ELIZABETH BENJAMIN[3] (Joseph[2], John[1]) born January 14, 1679/80 at Yarmouth, Mass.; the dau. of Joseph and Sarah (Clark) Benjamin.

There is some confusion regarding this daughter. Her birth is recorded, but her marriage is in doubt. She may have died before 1704, since she is not included in the listing of daughters in her father's inventory. Some genealogists have said that she m. --- Park of Groton, Conn. at Watertown. However, your compilier feels that this is confused with Elizabeth[4], dau. of Joseph[3] (see #144). Your compilier feels it is a better possibility that she is the one who mc. 1699 John Huntley, the son of Aaron and Mary (Champion) Huntley. He was b. November 24, 1677 at Lyme, Conn. and died after 1749 at Lyme.

Children of John and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Huntley:

159. John Huntley b. Oct. 19, 1699 at Lyme; d. May 25, 1727; m. Lydia Robbins, the dau. of Joseph Robbins.
160. Elizabeth Huntley b. Jan. 2, 1701/2 at Lyme; d. young.
161. Mary Huntley b. June 20, 1703 at Lyme; m. April 27, 1732 Joseph Algar.
162. Peter Huntley b. March 24, 1705 at Lyme; d. before 1783; m/1 Mar. 22, 1729 Mary Ransom, dau. of Joseph Ransom; m/2 Feb. 17, 1732/3 Sarah Robbins, widow.
163. Joseph Huntley b. Jan. 27, 1707 at Lyme; d. June 13, 1758 at Lyme; m/1 Jan. 7, 1729 Ruth Williams, dau. of Thomas and Sarah (Rogers) Williams; m/2 Oct. 24, 1741 Eunice Welch, dau. of John Welch.
164. Lucy Huntley b. Dec. 15, 1711; died young.
165. Samuel Huntley b. Dec. 23, 1713 at Lyme; d. by 1770; m. May 5, 1736 Ruth Huntley.
166. Lucy Huntley b. April 22, 1716 at Lyme.
167. Sarah Huntley b. June 17, 1718 at Lyme; m. May 25, 1761 Timothy Mather Jr.
168. Elizabeth Huntley b. September 30, 1721 at Lyme; d. June 19, 1737.

Resources: The Benjamin Family of Norwich and Preston, Conn. by Mrs. E. E. Rogers; John Huntley of Lyme, Conn., Horn, 1953; Records of Clifford Straitor of E. Detroit, Michigan.

36. JOHN BENJAMIN[3] (Joseph[2], John[1]) born about 1682 at Yarmouth, Mass.; the son of Joseph and Sarah (Clarke) Benjamin; died Augst 2, 1716 at Preston, Conn. He married Phebe Larabee (Laribe-Larrabee) of E. Norwich, Conn. on August 7, 1705 at Preston, Conn. (vr 1-84). She was the dau. of Greenfield and Alice (Parke) Larabee and was born Dec. 13, 1680 at E. Saybrooke, Conn. After John's death, she m/2 Peter Randall of Preston on Sept. 1719. He was the son of Jonn and Elizabeth (---) Randall and was bc. 1673/4. He was a widower with two small children, Prudence and Peter. He had m/1 Elizabeth Polly. (Note: Another source says that Peter was the son of Mathew and Eleanor (---) Randall.

John was given part of his father's farm in Preston, by a deed dated July 27, 1703, and was to inherit, on the death of his father, the rest of the farm--with the proviso being stipulated that his mother should have the use of one third of the farm during her widowhood. His father died in 1704, and John came into possession of his part of the farm then.

On Feb. 14, 1706/7 John Benjamin bought 15 acres of land from James Morgan for three pounds. (Land Rec., Preston, Conn. 2-116). April 11, 1707 he bought for 12 pounds land adjoining the land formerly sold to his father from John Stanton of Preston (Ibid. 2-136).

John sold a small piece of land on March 5, 1709/10 to John Tomsen and on Jan. 21, 1710/11 another piece to Samuel Lenersen, and on that same day of the Lenersen sale, an agreement between Lenersen, Joseph Prentice, and John Benjam

in was made concerning an open highway through their properties. (Ibid 2-262). The brothers, Joseph and John Benjamin, sold a small parcel of land to Joseph Parke on March 1714.

The land which the Benjamin owned lay in the northern part of the old town of Preston, and bordered on the Pachaug River, near the present little settlement known as Pachug.

John Benjamin died leaving a widow and six small children, the youngest only three weeks old. The Widow's account shows the amount paid for "Bringing up a child from three weeks old to three years old". John was well on the road to prosperity when his career was ended abruptly by death.

An inventory of the Estate of John was taken August 27, 1716 by Thomas Stanton and Nathaniel Larabe and was valued at 271-04-07 pounds and included a dwelling house, barn, and seven acres of land, stock, household goods, a Bible, etc., with "money due to this estate 11 pounds". This inventory was originally recorded in the Fourth Book of Wills of New London, but these books were burned when Arnold set fire to New London on Sept. 6, 1781. The record was copied from the original into Book B p. 225 of the present records. There are 14 papers on file for this Benjamin estate, and one of them gives an account of Phebe's administration charges. This is dated at Preston July 12, 1725 and is signed by Phebe Randall as administratrix. It included "To Samuel Guild for fetching Dr. Law before his death, 8 shillings; for bringing up a child from three weeks old to three years old, 12 pounds; paid to ye widow Benjamin, ye mother of ye Deceased for part of her thirds or Right in sd. farm, 38 pounds 6 shillings 10 pence; to three 'truils' to ye Court of Probate 23 miles Each and 'ferridg', each 'trail 2 days 1 pound 5 shillings 6 pence." There remained for distribution 232 pounds 17 shillings 8 pence, which the Court ordered distributed as follows: "To sd Phebe Randall, Relict of sd Deceased, one third of the personal estate forever and one third of the real estate during life; To John Benjamin, eldest son, a double portion 44.7.2 pounds; to Jabez, the other son, a single portion; to each of the four daus., namely, Phebe, Jemimah, Marcy, and Elizabeth, a single share to be paid in movables as far as it will go; and court appointed Moses Belcher, Thomas Kenne, and John Cooke to divide the estate.

Marcy and Elizabeth Benjamin, being of age to choose a guardian, chose their "father-in-law" Peter Randall of Preston and the Court appointed him guardian for John, the eldest son and Nathaniel Larabee of Norwich to be the guardian of Jabez. (Probate Journal 3-28.) Jan. 14, 1734 Jabez chose John Benjamin of Preston to be his guardian (Ibid 2-136.)

Children of John and Phebe (Larabee) Benjamin:

169. Phebe Benjamin b. July 4, 1706; bapt. Aug. 4, 1706 (Preston First Church rec 1-20); m. February 22/23,

1725 Nathaniel Tyler (Tiler) of Preston, Conn. (Griswold, Conn. Cong. cr 1-251.)

*170. Jemima (Jerusha) Benjamin b. Feb. 2, 1708 at Preston.

*171. Mercy (Mary) Benjamin b. Aug. 18, 1709 at Preston.

*172. Elizabeth (Elipalet on bapt. rec.) Benjamin b. March 13, 1711 at Preston, Conn.

*173. John Benjamin b. Oct. 31, 1714 at Preston, Conn.

*174. Jabez Benjamin b. July 1716 at Preston, Conn.

Children of Peter and Phebe (Larabee Benjamin) Randall:
Elizabeth Randall.
Greenfield Randall.
Samuel Randall.

Resources: Gen. of Park Benjamin, Hoover, 1906; Grafton Magazine of Hist. and Gen. Vol. 1, 1908 p. 38; The Benjamin Family of Norwich and Preston by Mrs. E. E. Rogers; Preston, Conn. Town Records; p. 165 Hist. of Parshall Family, Parshall, 1903; p. 112 Rasselas Wilcox Brown, Brown, 1922; p. 32 Book 5 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey.

39. MARY BENJAMIN[3] (Caleb[2] John[1]) born September 15, 1671 at Weathersfield, Conn.; the dau. of Caleb and Mary (Hale) Benjamin; married (date unknown) Benjamin Dibble of Simsbury, Conn.

On April 21, 1734 Abraham Dibble of Simsbury sold to John Benjamin of Stratford, land "that fell to my mother Mary Dibble, from her father Caleb Benjamin". (Glastonbury Deeds 4:138).

Benjamin Dibble's estate at Simsbury was administed in 1712. He had run away and left his wife and children by March 8, 1700.

Children of Benjamin and Mary (Benjamin) Dibble:

175. Abraham Dibble; had 8 children recorded at Simsbury, Conn. between 1725-42.

176. Abigail Dibble b. March 16, 1699/00 at Simsbury. She was an orphan, living with Richard Butler, when bapt. at Weathersfield July 17, 1715.

Resources: Hale, House, and Related Families, Jacobus, 1952.

40. ABIGAIL BENJAMIN[3] (Caleb[2], John[1]) born April 27, 1673 at Weathersfield, Conn.; the dau. of Caleb and Mary (Hale) Benjamin; died 1755 at East Hartford, Conn. She married Dr. Ebenezer Hills of E. Hartford, the son of William and Sarah (Elsen/Elson) Hills. He was born 1676 at E. Hartford and died February 12, 1750, age 73 (g.s.) at E. Hartford, and is buried there.

William Hills[1] came on the "Lion" in 1632 with John and Richard Benjamin. William Hills m. Phillice Lyman.

Ebenezer was chosen fence viewer for the east side of Hartford on December 26, 1704.

On p. 225 Vol. 2 of Early Conn. Probate Records, Ebenezer Hills, Doctor, Hartford, was listed as an heir of Caleb Benjamin, late of said town, desc.

Children of Ebenezer and Abigail (Benjamin) Hills:

177. William Hills b. June 16, 1702 at E. Hartford, d. 1782 at E. Hartford, Conn.; m. Elizabeth ---.
178. Abigail Hills b. Dec. 10, 1703 at E. Hartford; m. Oct. 31, 1726 Joseph Dewey.
179. Sarah Hills b. Feb. 8, 1706 at E. Hartford; m. March 7, 1728/9 Samuel Roberts, son of William and Dorothy (Farlus) Roberts.
180. Ebenezer Hills b. Jan. 14, 1708; d. Jan. 12, 1772 at E. Hartford, Conn.; mc. 1732 Sarah Arnold.
181. Esther Hills b. Sept. 8, 1710; mc. 1731 Joseph Case.
182. Hannah Hills b. Sept. 8, 1710 (a twin); though another record has her b. 1716; m. Jan. 19, 1736/7 Elisha Loveland.
183. Abraham Hills bc. 1712/3 at E. Hartford; d. prior to May 12, 1761 at Glastonbury, Conn.; m. Hannah Loveland.

Resources: Records of Mrs. J. P. Little of Topeka, Kansas; p. 14 Gen. and Desc of William Hills, Hills, 1906; p. 593 Hale, House, and Related Families, Jacobus, 1952; Records of Eugene Pellett of E. Hartford, Conn.; Records of Mrs. Raymond Bostedt of South Bend, Ind.; Records of Patrick Simiskey of Circleville, Utah; Nutmegger Sept. 1971, p. 229.

42. JOHN BENJAMIN^3 (Caleb^2, John^1) born November 5, 1677 at Weathersfield, Conn.; the son of Caleb and Mary (Hale) Benjamin. He was still alve in May 1, 1710 and may have died November 5, 1753. He married July 26, 1699 at Weathersfield, Conn. Ann Latimer, the dau. of John and Mary (Bliss) Latimer, who was born February 24, 1681 at Weathersfield. He may have m/2 Hannah Stow of Harrford, the dau. of John and Mary (Wetmore) Stow. She was born August 25, 1680 at Middletown, Conn. and died 1754/5 at Hartford, Conn.

There is much confusion regarding this John.

p. 197 of the Gen. of Puritans of Conn. by Hinman states this John m/2 Mary Smith, and that he was the son of Caleb^2. However, the majority of records show that the John Benjamin that married Mary Smith was the son of this John, hence a grandson of Caleb.

Jacobus, in Hale, House, and Related Families, 1952, states that this John m/1 Ann Latimer and m/2 Hannah Stow.

To add to this confusion, your compilier has found an exact birth date for this John, but no death date...and a exact death date for John (#27) but an indefinate birth date for him. This might tend to substanciate the belief that they were one in the same. Certainly more research is needed in this area.

Salt Lake City Family Group sheet records indicate that the will for this John was probated Nov. 6, 1753, as does Jacobus. Other records indicate that he died quite young.

After much soul searching, plus the fact that land deed records indicate a relationship in later generations between

this family and others of the Caleb line, she has decided to include both marriages and continue the carry down for all children with this line, and not in the Samuel line. However, researchers are warned to check #27.

Under the date of April 27, 1699 "John Benjamin of Weathersfield, County of Hartford and Colony of Conn. in New England, weaver, eldest son of Caleb, late of Weathersfield, husbandman, deceased and one of the grandchildren of John Benjamin, for the sum of ten pounds current money from my kinsman, Daniel Benjamin of Watertown, Innholder, give all my right in the estate of said John Benjamin of Watertown". John Benjamin of Hartford conveyed for love, 23 Dec. 1725, to his son John Benjamin of Weathersfield, land that was formerly Caleb Benjamins. (Hartford Court Rec. 4:123.)

Children of John and Ann (Latimer) Benjamin:

*184. John Benjamin b. April 15, 1699 at Weathersfield.

185. Ann Benjamin bp. Jan. 1, 1704 At Weathersfield, Conn. (vr 1-21).

Children of John and Hannah (Stow) Benjamin:

*186. Samuel Benjamin b. May 30, 1708 at Hartford, Conn. (vr

*187. Caleb Benjamin b. July 15, 1710 at Hartford (vr).

*188. Gideon Benjamin b. ? at Hartford.

*189. David Benjamin b. ? in Hartford.

Resources: p. 9-10 Hale, House, and Related Families, Jacobus, 1952; History of Watertown, Bond, p. 681; Gen. of Families of Watertown, Bond; p. 94 Hist. of Ancient Westhersfield, Stiles; Vol. 16 p. 21 N.E. Hist. and Gen. Register; Conn. Church Records, Hale.

45. CALEB BENJAMIN[3] (Caleb[2], John[1]) born 1682/3 at Weathersfield, Conn.; the son of Caleb and Mary (Hale) Benjamin. He died July 15, 1709 at Weathersfield, Conn., age 18, and unmarried.

He died intestate and his inventory was taken April 10, 1710 by Jonathan Hill and John Goodwin. On Nov. 16, 1710 John Benjamin, administrator of the estate of Caleb Benjamin, late of Hartford and formerly of Stonington, Conn., desc. exhibited an account of his administration of the estate. The court then ordered that the said remaining estate be equally divided to the said John Benjamin and his four sisters, the next heirs of the said deceased, and appointed Lt. Jonathan Hills and Joseph Keeny of Hartford, distributors.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Records of Walter Benjamin; Vol. 2 p. 18 and Vol. Viii p. 30 Early Conn. Probate Records, Hartford District; p. 94 Hist. of Ancient Weathersfield, Stiles; Gen. of Puritans of Conn., Hinmann.

49. JOHN BENJAMIN[3] (Abel[2], John[1]) born November 14, 1676/7 at Charlestown, Mass.; the son of Abel and Amity (Myrick) Benjamin; bapt. Nov. 21, 1676 at Watertown; and died July 15, 1732 at Charlestown, Mass. He m/1 Mrs. Elizabeth (Rogers) Carter on Sept. 15, 1702, the widow of Samuel Carter and the dau. of

Thomas and Esther (Foxwell) Rogers. She was bp. Nov. 12, 1720 as an adult at the First Church of Charlestown and died Jan. 25, 1722 of smallpox, age 52 (gs). (bc 1669). He m/2 Jan. 3, 1722/3 Hannah Kettle, perhaps the dau. of Nathaniel and Hannah (Kidder) Kettle. She was born about 1676 and died July 15, 1732, age 56. (Note She d. the same day as her husband??)

John was a sea captain and blacksmith. On Feb. 26, 1710 he was then allowed, with John Benjamin, to be the town messenger, to ring the town bell at 5'o'clock in the morning and at 8 o'clock at night, to sweep the meeting house, to attend Selectmen's meetings, inspect inmates that shall come into town without leave of the Selectmen and the Selectmen promise to pay him one pound for the ensu ing year. Also in 1710 were records "Then to allowed to Jno. Benjamin for iron work for the bell wheel 7s 3d". In 1711/2 he was appointed constable.

He was taxed from 1727-30 and bought from William Rand a house at #42 South Ropemaker's Lane. In 1714 he gave to N. Wilson a morgage on the above house and dismissed it in 1715. He gave a quit claim to the estate of Samuel Carter in 1716. On June 16, 1715 John and wife Elizabeth sold an estate in Charlestown for 40 pounds and on Oct. 9, 1714 John sold to Jason Russell for 28 pounds land that had belonged to his father, Abel Benjamin.

John's will was dated June 14, 1732 and probated Aug. 22, 1732, with an inventory taken and the estate valued at 260 pounds. He devised all to his wife and one daughter, Elizabeth. (Cambridge, Mass. Registery of Deeds Vol. 19 p. 331).

Children of John and Elizabeth (Rogers Carter) Benjamin:

190. Elizabeth Benjamin b. June 8, 1703 at Charlestown, Mas bp. as an adult Nov. 19, 1721 at First Church of Charlestown; m. Dec. 2, 1726 William Windooer (Wind over) by Rev. Cotton Mather. William Windover of Charlestown, Sadler, received a quit claim Nov. 30, 1739 from Abigail and James Remick for house and land, part of the estate of John Benjamin, on Bow Street and Rope Lane in Charlestown.

191. John Benjamin b. July 29, 1705 at Charlestown, bapt. as an adult Dec. 17, 1721 at First Church of Charle stown; d. March 17, 1726, age 21 (per ship's log) at Jamaica. He was a mariner. There is no record of a marriage. He sailed with his uncle, Capt. Joshua Benjamin.

*192. Abigail Benjamin b. March 23, 1706/7 at Charlestown.

Resources: Gen. of Families of Watertown, Bond; p. 59 Desc. of Moses Cleveland; Vol. 1 p. 77 Gen. and Estates of Charles town, Wyman; Boston Transcript Sept. 1, 1920; Family Group Sheet at Salt Lake City; p. 135 Report of Record Commission, City of Boston, Marriages, 1898; Microfilm Records of Charle stown, Mass. found at Boston Public Library by L Fales; p361 Vol. 25 and Vol. 31 p. 328 N. E. Hist. and Gen. Register;

Maine and New Hampshire Gen. Dictionary, Libby.

51. JOSHUA BENJAMIN[3] (Abel[2], John[1]) born April 10/12, 1686 at Charlestown, Mass.; the son of Abel and Amithy (Myrick) Benjamin; died 1733/4 at Charlestown. He married November 10, 1724 to Abigail Phipps of Charlestown, the dau. of Samuel and Katherine (Brackenbery) Phipps. She was bapt. as an adult at Charlestown Aug. 30, 1724. After Joshua's death she m/2 Joseph Austin of Boston, son of Ebenezer and Rebecca (Sprague) Austin. He died before 1791 and had m/1 Rebecca Scottow. He was a mariner and resided at Boston.

There is a Boston marriage record (p. 86) of a Joshua Benjamin to Hannah (Anna) Ingols on April 22, 1720, so perhaps his m. in 1724 was his 2nd m. If he was m/1 to Hannah Ingolls, there seem to be no children recorded for this m.

Joshua was a sea captain and a log book exists with his name, dated 1710, which states "taken by the ship Kent, 70 guns, 440 men, from the 'Hardie Brithae' French ship, 400 ton, 32 guns, 165 men." He returned from London April 10, 1713, after an absence of 6 years 4 mos. to the Newcastle jarbor in the ship "Lusitiania' after serving Queen Anne on board the 'Devonshire', 'Northumberland', 'Grayhound', and 'Kent' man-o-war.

Joshua was left the house, etc. in Charlestown, that belonged to his Uncle. (Cambridge Reg. of Deeds Vol. 20 p. 414) On May 13, 1726 Samuel Phipps sold property to Joshua (Ibid Vol. 26:413). and on May 30, 1727 Joshua sold the same property to John Sprague (Ibid 26:414), which was a house behind the meetinghouse. In 1731 he received some land from Joseph Austin Jr. Abigail, along with Samuel Phipps, was an heir of Mary Phipps. Joshua was on the tax list of 1727-34.

Joshua's will was dated August 21, 1733 and proved Nov. 18, 1734. He left his estate to his wife, Abigail, and mentions his sister Abigail, his niece Mary Smith, and his brother-in-law, Samuel Phipps. It is strange that he didn't name his children,though the oldest was only 9 years old.

Children of Joshua and Abigail (Phipps) Benjamin:

*193. Joshua Benjamin b. August 22, 1725 at Charlestown.

194. Katherine Benjamin b. June 20, 1727 at Charlestown; bp. July 16, 1727 at First Church of Charlestown; died unmarried before 1755.

195. Abigail Benjamin b. Aug. 26, 1730; bp. August 30, 1730 m. March 8, 1753 (Boston vr) Ebenezer Welch.

*196. John Benjamin b. Sept. 6, 1731/2 at Charlestown.

Children of Joseph and Abigail (Phipps Benjamin) Austin:

Rebecca Austin b. Nov. 11, 1741; d. January 10, 1820 at Boston, Mass.

Resources: p. 18 Desc of Richard Austin, Moore, p. 77 Gen. and Estates of Charlestown, Wyman; p. 86 Boston Marriage Rec. 1898; Boston Transcript Dec. 3, 1923; Vol. 32,p. 64, 173, 287, & 169 N.E. Hist. and Gen. Register; Salt Lake Family Group Sheet.

Chapter 5

GENERATION IV-JOHN LINE

?54. DANIEL BENJAMIN[4] (John[3-2-1]) bc. 1693 probably at Watertown, Mass.; perhaps the son of John and Sarah (Ralph) Benjamin; married Elizabeth ---. There is no death date for him, nor is there data for Elizabeth.

This is a 'possible' placement because of the name Daniel and the location of Watertown.

August 7, 1757 Elizabeth Benjamin and Rachel, dau. of Elizabeth, 'owned ye covenant' at Watertown.

Elizabeth may have m/2 in 1760 Joseph Nielson (Nelson) Boston vr.

Children of Daniel and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin:

197. Samuel Benjamin b. Nov. 10, 1723 at Watertown (vr).
198. Rachel Benjamin bp. August 7, 1737 at Watertown.

Resources: Vital Records of Watertown, Mass.

59. DANIEL BENJAMIN[4] (Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born December 27, 1688 at Watertown, (vr Vol. 4); the son of Daniel and Elizabeth (Browne) Benjamin; bapt. March 17, 1688/9 at Watertown; died September 15, 1768 at Waltham, Mass (vr). He is buried in the Grove Hill Cemetery, near West Newton, Mass. He married November 23, 1710 Mary Bond, dau. of Deacon William and Hepzibah (Hastings) Bond of Watertown at Watertown (Vr Vol I She was born 1689 and died September 26, 1748 at Waltham, Mass. (vr), age 59 years 2 mos (gs) and is also buried in the Grove Hill Cemetery. Daniel m/2 Mrs. Lydia Warren of Weston, Mass. on April 12, 1749. She was the widow of Samuel Warren. Her maiden name was probably Cutting. She died August 11, 1769.

Daniel was listed as a trader in 1729. He was the first representative chosen by Waltham in 1738, but declined the honor. He was Selectman in 1735 thru 1742. He was the assessor many times between 1738 to 1752.

His will was dated Feb. 19, 1761 and named Benjamin Ward as his executor. Benjamin was his dau. Lydia's son.

Children of Daniel and Mary (Bond) Benjamin:

?199. John Benjamin.
200. Sarah Benjamin b. September 10, 1717 at Watertown; (vr Vol. I); d. November 18, 1723, age 5 mos. at Waltham, Mass. (vr).
201. Mary Benjamin b. April 12, 1720 at Watertown, Mass. (vr Vol. I); d. Dec. 30, 1723, age 3 years 8 mos. at Waltham, Mass. (vr).

*202. Lydia Benjamin b. Oct. 25, 1722 at Weston, Mass. (vr).
203. Daniel Benjamin b. Nov. 10, 1723/4 at Watertown; died Feb. 23, 1725/6, age 4 mos. at Waltham, (vr).
204. Daniel Benjamin b. Oct. 11, 1727; d. Feb. 23, 1728/9 and buried at Waltham, Mass.
*205. Mary Benjamin b. Jan. 21, 1730, though there is a bapt. rec. for Jan. 30, 1726.
206. Sarah Benjamin b. June 30, 1728, though, again, there is a bapt. rec. for Jan. 30, 1726.
?207. Hephazibah Benjamin (placed because of the name and area); mc. 1730/32 as his 2nd wife to Joseph Berry of Framingham, Mass. Their dau. Thankful Berry was the first wife of Brigadier Gen. John Nixon and the mother of his children.

Resources: Gen. of Families of Watertown, Bond; Boston Transcript May 19, 1915; Wilson Papers; Waltham, Mass. Vital Records; Weston, Mass. Vital Records; p. 188 Vol. 26 Daus. of Pat. and Found. of Am.; Boston Transcript May 16 and Nov. 10, 1919; Hist. of Framingham, Barry.

61. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[4] (Daniel[3], John[2-1]) bapt. November 23, 1690 at Watertwon, Mass.; the son of Daniel and Elizabeth (Brown) Benjamin; died August 28, 1742 at Watertown, Mass. He m/1 Annabelle Eve of Boston on December 23, 1714/5 at Watertown. She was the dau. of Adam and Elizabeth (Barsham) Eve and was born March 11, 1700/1 and died 1733 at Watertown. He m/2 Hannah (Cunnable) Bond, the widow of William Bond and the dau. of John and Sarah (Clays/Clayse) Cunnable on May/Sept. 7/30, 1734 at Boston. She was born August 5, 1697 at Boston and died August 8, 1748.

Hannah had 8 children born from her first marriage and 5 of them had died between May 20 and 31, 1730.

Hannah may have been the Hannah Benjamin who married Jan. 20, 1742 (Boston vr) Edward Drinker. This would have been her third marriage.

Jonathan was called Senior to distinguish him from his cousin, Jonathan Benjamin, son of Abel Benjamin, who was called Jonathan Jr.

On July 7, 1734 Hannah Benjamin was dismissed and recommended "to us by ye new North Church in Boston". (Watertown cr.)

Jonathan's will was dated August 8, 1741 and probated Sept. 13, 1742 with Daniel Benjamin of Waltham and Daniel Whiting of Watertown acting as executors. The executors sold land of Jonathan's in Waltham to Joseph Hasting on March 10, 1743.

His son Daniel was brought up by Ebenezer Wellington after his death.

Children of Jonathan and Annabelle (Eve) Benjamin:
*208. Elizabeth Benjamin b. January 10, 1715/6 at Watertown (vr Vol. I)
*209. Mercy Benjamin b. Dec. 2, 1717 at Watertown (vr Vol.I)

*210. Annabel Benjamin b. March 11, 1720/1 at Watertown, (vr Vol. I).

211. Jerusha Benjamin b. July 13, 1723 at Watertown (vr Vol I); prob. died young as not mentioned in father's will.

212. Mindwell Benjamin b. May 3, 1726 at Watertown (vr Vol. II); bapt. May 8, 1726; m. June 21, 1744 William Brown (Boston vr).

213. Sarah Benjamin b. February 5, 1728; bapt. Feb. 8, 1728 at Watertown, Mass. (vr Vol. II).

*214. Daniel Benjamin b. June 1, 1731 at Watertown, Mass.

Children of Jonathan and Hannah (Cunnable-Bond) Benjamin:

*215. Mary Benjamin bapt. February 16, 1734/5 at Watertown, Mass. (vr Vol. I).

*216. William Benjamin b. January 16, 1738 at Watertown.

Resources: Gen. of Families of Watertown, Bond; Vol. I p. 294 Gen. Gleanings in England, Waters; Watertown Vital Records; Waltham, Mass. Vital Records; Weston, Mass. Vital Records; Vol. 2 p. 297 Eve Fam. Gen.; p. 181 & 237 Report of Record of Commissioner of City of Boston, 1898; p. 32 Anc. of John Warden, Warden, 1901; Vol. 16 p. 286 and Vol. 42 p. 397 N.E. Hist. and Gen. Register; Wilson Papers.

62. SAMUEL BENJAMIN^{4} (Daniel^{3}, John$^{2-1}$) born January 30, 1694/5 at Watertown, Mass. (vr Vol. II); the son of Daniel and Elizabeth (Browne) Benjamin; died in 1755 at Watertown. He married November 28, 1722/3 at Newton, Mass. to Mary Hammond of Newton. She died 1748.

Samuel and Mary, his wife, 'owned ye covenant' at Watertown on January 15, 1726/7 and he did so again March 15, 1729/30/

In Cambridge, Mass. Reg. of Deeds (Vol. 31 p. 11) Daniel and Jnnathan Sr. gave a 'valuable sum' for his father's property on February 3, 1729. On Feb. 27, 1729 David Sanger, Issac Sanger, Rebekah Clegg, and Elizabeth and Mary Sanger sold to Samuel land in Watertown. (Ibid 31:1) and (Ibid 31: 3) Samuel sold Daniel Benjamin land which was next to Jonathan Benjamin's.

Samuel's will was dated 1753 and probated Oct. 20, 1755 (Cambridge Vol. 26 p. 471 and 473). He names his wife Mary, and gives the home of his grandfather to his only son Samuel, and names daus. Mary, Sarah, Elizabeth, Lydia, Catee, and Mehitable. In Vol. 30 p. 373 of the Cambridge Probate Records on Oct. 20, 1755 Samuel Fiske is appointed guardian of Samuel, Elizabeth, Lydia, Katherine, and Mehitable Benjamin and Uncle Daniel Benjamin gave surety.

Children of Samuel and Mary (Hammond) Benjamin:

217. Benoni Benjamin b. April 25, 1725; stillborn.

218. Samuel Benjamin b. November 28, 1726; bapt. Jan. 15, 1727; d. May 6, 1728, age 2 years at Watertown, Mas

219. Elizabeth Benjamin b. May 30, 1728; died young.

220. Sarah Benjamin b. March 25, 1729; bapt. March 30, 1729; d. Oct. 21, 1731; age 2 yrs. at Watertown.
221. Mary Benjamin b. Oct. 21, 1730; bapt. Jan. 24, 1730/1; died young.
222. Anna Benjamin b. Feb. 16, 1732/3; bapt. Feb. 18, 1733; m. April 11, 1754 in Watertown to Josiah Morse of Cambridge, Mass., the son of William Morse.
223. Sarah Benjamin b. Feb. 9, 1734/5; bapt. Feb. 16, 1735; d. Jan. 25, 1813 at Watertown, age 78, unmarried.
*224. Mary Benjamin (a twin) b. Feb. 9, 1734/5 at Watertown.
*225. Samuel Benjamin b. August 7, 1737 at Watertown.
226. Elizabeth Benjamin b. Aug. 31, 1739; bapt. Sept. 2, 1739 at Watertown; m. July 12, 1760 at Christ Churc (Boston vr) Joseph Wilson/Willson. (Other records name him Joseph Nilson/Nielson. Your compilier has found records for both surnames: Wilson and Nilson for the same date to Elizabeth Benjamin. I am sure much of this confusion must be due to poor hand-written records. There is also a m. intention and m. record for an Elizabeth Benjamin in Boston to Nehemiah Hill on Nov. 1, 1759.)
227. Lydia Benjamin b. April 7, 1742; bapt. April 11, 1742; m. Jonas Mills on January 13, 1761. He was b. Feb. 8, 1731. Was he killed in the Rev.? Or she may have m. John Miller/Muller of Needham on May 27, 17?? (This may again be a confusion created by poor writing.)
*228. Katherine Benjamin b. March 6, 1745 at Watertown, Mass.
*229. Mehitable Benjamin b. August 8, 1748 at Watertown.

Resources: Gen. of Families of Watertown, Bond; Watertown and Waltham, Mass. Vital Records; Wilson Papers; Cambridge Probate Records Vol. 30 p. 36, 87, 88, 316 and Vol. 29 p.471 and 473; Hartford Times June 1, 1957; Boston Transcript Oct. 7, 1903.

63. ELIZABETH BENJAMIN[4] (Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born March 22, 1697 at Watertown, Mass.; the dau. of Daniel and Elizabeth (Browne) Benjamin. She married August 20, 1718 William Bond, the son of Thomas and Sarah (Woolson) Bond. He was born Feb. 1, 1687/8 and died June 21, 1647 at Weston, Mass. He had m/1 in 1712 Mary Learned, who had died April 24, 1716.

Children of William and Mary (Learned) Bond:
Benjamin Bond.

Children of William and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Bond:
*230. William Bond b. December 20, 1738 at Weston, Mass. When William's father died, Benjamin Bond, his half brother and only child of William and Mary (Learned was made his guardian.

Resources: p. 29, 619 Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

64. LYDIA BENJAMIN[4] (Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born September 8, 1699 at Watertown, Mass.; bapt. Sept. 10, 1699 at Watertown (vr Vol. I); the dau. of Daniel and Elizabeth (Browne) Benjamin. She m/1 John Gale, who was born April 23, 1687 and died February 15, 1734/5 at Watertown, Mass. She m/2 John Sadler of Upton, Mass.

John Gale died intestate at Watertown and his estate was valued at 823.9.5 pounds. On May 10, 1736 Daniel Benjamin, a trader in Waltham in 1729, was appointed guardian of the children. (This would have been Lydia's brother.)

Children of John and Lydia (Benjamin) Gale:

231. Joshua Gale b. Oct. 17, 1721 at Watertown; d. unm.; mentions half sister Hannah, dau. of John Sadler of Upton, his mother's second husband, in his will.
232. John Gale b. January 23, 1722/3 at Watertown; probably killed in the French War.
*233. Jonas Gale b. September 23, 1724; m. March 10, 1747 Mary Benjamin, dau. of Daniel[4] and Mary (Bond) Benjamin. For his carry down see #205.
234. Sarah Gale b. 1726; m. Josiah Pierce.
235. Lydia Gale b. 1728; m. 1749 John Chaddick.

Children of John and Lydia (Benjamin Gale) Sadler:

236. Hannah Sadler.

Resources: p. 44 Gale Family Records, Gale, 1866.

65. PATIENCE BENJAMIN[4] (Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born October 17, 1701 at Watertown, Mass.; the dau. of Daniel and Elizabeth (Browne) Benjamin. She married March 24, 1719, probably in Watertown to David Sanger, the son of John and Rebecca (Park) Sanger. He was born March 21, 1696/7.

Children of David and Patience (Benjamin) Sanger:

237. Patience Sanger born and died in 1721 at Watertown.
238. Lydia Sanger b. Nov. 14, 1723 at Watertown.
239. John Sanger b. Jan. 14, 1724/5; d. October 9, 1755 at Deerfield, Mass.
*240. David Sanger Jr. b. May 23, 1727 at Watertown.
241. William Sanger born and died in 1729.
*242. William Sanger b. January 20, 1730 at Watertown, Mass.
*243. Nathaniel Sanger b. Nov. 1, 1733 at Watertown.
*244. Samuel Sanger b. June 1, 1736 at Watertown, Mass.
245. Solomon Sanger b. July 28, 1740; d. September 3, 1765 at Worchester, Mass.

Resources: p. 309 and 422 History of Watertown, Bond; Wilson Papers; Weston, Mass. Vital Records.

66. MARY BENJAMIN[4] (Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born September 21, 1705 at Watertown, Mass. (Weston, Mass. vr); the dau. of Daniel and Elizabeth (Browne) Benjamin. She married June 3, 1725 at Watertown John Ball. He was the son of John[4] and Bethia (Mettup) Ball and was born December 25, 1705 and died Decem-

ber 10, 1769. He m/2 on April 26, 1753 Anna Harrington.

John Ball was Selectman at Waltham, Mass in 1744, 52, 53, 1755 and 1756.

John Ball and his second wife had 5 children: John; William; Elijah, Aaron, and Moses; but all died under the age of 20 years.

Children of John and Mary (Benjamin) Ball:

246. Mary Ball b. March 14, 1726 at Waltham; d. March 1733.
247. Isaac Ball b. January 9, 1727/8; died 1744.
*248. Lydia Ball b. August 6, 1730 at Waltham, Mass.
249. James Ball b. October 1, 1731.
250. Hannah Ball b. June 16, 1733; died 1733.
251. Daniel Ball b. June 16, 1733; died 1733.
252. Samuel Ball b. August 24, 1734.
253. Daniel Ball b. February 24, 1735/6; died 1743.
254. Nathan Ball b. April 27, 1737.
255. William Ball b. September 1739; died the same year.
*256. Elizabeth Ball b. May 22, 1742 at Waltham, Mass.
*257. Sarah Ball b. April 22, 1747 at Waltham.

Resources: p. 13 and 28 Hist. of Watertown, Bond; Boston Transcript Dec. 26, 1908; Wilson Papers.

68. WILLIAM HAGAR[4] (Sarah[3], John[2-1]) born about 1688 at Watertown, Mass.; the son of William and Sarah (Benjamin) Hagar. He married December 13, 1711 Mary Flagg, the dau.of Michael and Mary (Bigelow) Flagg. She was born December 7, 1690.

William and Mary Hagar were dismissed from the church at Waltham to one in Weston, Mass. on May 10, 1741.

Children of William and Mary (Flagg) Hagar:

258. Submit Hagar bapt. May 10, 1713 at Waltham, Mass.; m. Nov. 28, 1734 Simeon Hunt of Concord, Mass.
*259. Mary Hagar bapt. Dec. 26, 1714 at Waltham, Mass.
*260. William Hagar bapt. Nov. 7, 1717 at Waltham.
261. Abigail Hagar b. October 20, 1720; prob. died young.
*262. Grace Hagar bapt. June 16, 1723 at Waltham.
*263. Sarah Hagar bapt. October 13, 1723 at Waltham.
*264. Abigail Hagar b. August 11, 1724/5 at Waltham.
*265. Daniel Hagar bapt. October 23, 1726 at Waltham.
*266. Benjamin Hagar bapt. October 23, 1726 at Waltham.
267. Dinah Hagar bapt. May 5, 1728 at Waltham; m. November 4, 1750 Abijah Bemis, who was born March 20, 1725/6 and settled in Paxton.
268. David Hagar; m. June 4, 1752 Esther Smith and resided in Newton, Mass. They had a son David Hagar Jr. who was b. March 29, 1753 at Newton, Mass. and m. 1782 Catherine Carty at Newton.
269. Simeon Hagar bapt. January 17, 1731/2; m. May 19, 1752 Susannah Priest. They had a son Simeon Hagar, who was b. December 11, 1766 at Lincoln, Mass.

Resources: p. 266 Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond; p. 140 Bullard and Allied Families, Bullard, 1930; Wilson Papers.

69. SARAH HAGAR[4] (Sarah[3], John[2-1]) born about 1690 at Watertown, the dau. of William and Sarah (Benjamin) Hagar. She married May 13, 1712 John Flagg, the son of John and Mary (Gale) Flagg. He was born November 6, 1677 and had five children by his first wife, Anna ---.

On April 6, 1735 Sarah, the widow of John Flagg was fined for selling liquor without a license.

Children of John and Sarah (Hagar) Flagg:

270. Asa Flagg b. November 18, 1712 at Waltham, Mass.
*271. Adonijah Flagg b. April 9, 1713/4 at Waltham.
272. David Flagg bapt. September 11, 1715 at Waltham.
273. Isaac Flagg bapt. March 28, 1725.
274. Eunice Flagg bapt. March 31, 1728.
275. Huldah Flagg bapt. Sept. 20, 1730 at Waltham, Mass.

Resources: p. 171 & 764 Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

71. JOHN HAGAR[4] (Sarah[3], John[2-1]) born April 29, 1697 at Watertown, Mass.; the son of William and Sarah (Benjamin) Hagar. He married Sarah ---.

He 'owned ye covenant' on August 26, 1722 at Watertown.

Children of John and Sarah (---) Hagar:

276. Thankful Hagar bapt. August 26, 1722 at the Second Church of Watertown, Mass.
277. John Hagar bapt. June 28, 1723 at Watertown; m/1 at Newton, Mass in 1760 to Sarah Whitmore; m/2 Mary Chubb.
*278. Martha Hagar bapt. March 12, 1727 at Watertown.
279. Jonas Hagar bapt. Sept. 15, 1728. Marriage intentions to Mary Brown of Newton were published Sept. 1750.
280. David Hagar bapt. June 21, 1731 at Watertown.
*281. Joseph Hagar bapt. December 26, 1731 at Watertown.
282. Prudence Hagar b. July 20, 1734.
*283. Lydia Hagar b. August 25, 1736 at Watertown.

Resources: p. 265 Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond; Records of Richard W. Smith of Chevy Chase, Maryland.

72. EBENEZER HAGAR[4] (Sarah[3], John[2-1]) born August 13, 1698 at Water town, Mass.; the son of William and Sarah (Benjamin) Hagar. He married February 23, 1725/6 at Watertown to Lydia Barnard.

They moved to Framingham, where the children were born, and later moved to Marlboro, Mass.

Children of Ebenezer and Lydia (Barnard) Hagar:

*284. Ebenezer Hagar b. March 16, 1727/8 at Framingham.
285. Lydia Hagar b. March 4, 1729; resided in Vermont.
*286. William Hagar b. April 21, 1733 at Framingham, Mass.
*287. Thaddeus Hagar.

Resources: p. 265-267 Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

73. JOSEPH HAGAR[4] (Sarah[3], John[2-1]) born January 1, 1702 at Watertown, Mass.; the son of William and Sarah (Benjamin) Hagar.

He married January 1, 1729/30 Grace Bigelow. She was the dau. of Thomas and Mary (Livermore) Bigelow of Marlboro. She was born February 7, 1709 at Marlboro and died October 1, 1776, probably at Waltham, Mass.

Joseph Hagar was Selectman of Waltham in 1747, 48, 51, and 1754.

Children of Joseph and Grace (Bigelow) Hagar:

*288. Joseph Hagar b. December 31, 1736 at Waltham, Mass.
289. Uriah Hagar b. January 1, 1738/9 at Waltham, Mass.
*290. William Hagar b. October 25, 1741 at Waltham.
*291. Isaac Hagar b. September 6, 1742 at Waltham.
*292. Grace Hagar b. May 7, 1744 at Waltham.
*293. Lydia Hagar b. November 6, 1745 at Waltham.
*294. Benjamin Hagar b. January 26, 1746 at Waltham.
*295. Jonathan Hagar b. August 31, 1751 at Waltham, Mass.

Resources: p. 267 Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond; p. 28 Livermore Fam. of Am., Thwing; Boston Transcript May 18,1903.

74. MEHITABLE HAGAR[4] (Sarah[3], John[2-1]) born May 1, 1704 at Watertown, Mass.; the dau. of William and Sarah (Benjamin) Hagar. She married Joseph Travers of Shelburne, Mass. on February 2, 1726/7.

Children of Joseph and Mehitable (Hagar) Travers:

*296. Sarah Travers b. April 21, 1728.

There may have been more children.

Resources: p. 267 Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

78. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[4] (Abel[3], John[2-1]) born February 18, 1697 at Watertown, Mass. (vr Vol. I); the son of Abel and Abigail (Stimpson) Benjamin; bapt. May 8, 1698 at Watertown, Mass. (vr Vol. IV); died May 24, 1731 at Watertown (vr), Mass. He married February 1, 1719/20 at Watertown (vr) Susanna Norcross, the dau. of Nathaniel and Mehitable (Hagar) Norcross. Another record says her mother was Susanna (Shattuck) She was born February 26, 1700/1 at Watertown and died February 26, 1735 at Watertown (vr Vol. I).

Jonathan was called Junior, because there was another Jonathan Benjamin living in Watertown at that time. Jonathan, son of Daniel[3], was a little older and he was called Jonathan Senior.

Jonathan was a cordwainer. He and Susanna were mentioned as heirs in the will of Nathaniel Norcross (vol 30 p. 50 Cambridge, Mass. Reg. of Deeds.)

Jonathan's children were separated at a young age. William Williams was appointed guardian of Joshua in 1735. Abel was cared for by Abigail and Edward Livermore, and the Widow was appointed guardian for Susanna in 1733.

Jonathan died intestate and on June 21, 1731 the administration of his estate was granted to his widow and to Ebenezer Goddard at the request of Caleb Benjamin, Jonathan's brother.

On September 3, 1733 the guardianship of Susanna, in her 14th year, and of Abel, in his 6th year, was committed to Nathaniel Norcross. On February 13, 1737 Ebenezer Goddard gave an accounting of the estate. In it, he mentioned the mother of Jonathan and the burial expenses of Jonathan's wife. He also mentions William Williams, who was the guardian of the eldest son, and Edward and Abigail (Benjamin) Livermore, who cared for Abel. On August 1, 1743, a division of the estate was made.

On February 17, 1745 Abel, in his 15th year, is comitted to the care of Isaac Jackson of Newton. There is a deed recorded in Middlesex Co., Mass. (Vol. 15 p. 413) which involves all the heirs of Jonathan Benjamin.

Children of Jonathan and Susanna (Norcross) Benjamin:

*297. Joshua Benjamin b. February 13, 1720/1 at Watertown.

298. Susanna Benjamin b. November 10, 1723 at Watertown; m. about 1754 to Capt. Francis Harris, son of Nathaniel and Hannah (Fulham) Harris, born at Watertown on October 3, 1721; buried at Shirley, Mass. October 11, 1793; resided in Luningburgh, Worchester Co., Mass.; and was a "husbandman".

*299. Mary Benjamin b. May 24, 1726 at Watertown, Mass.

*300. Jonathan Benjamin bapt. October 6, 1728 at Watertown.

*301. Abel Benjamin b. September 15, 1731 at Watertown, Mass

Resources: Gen. of the Family of Lt. Samuel Benjamin, M. L. Benjamin, 1900; Wilson Papers; Gen. of Families of Watertown Bond; N. E. Hist. and Gen. Register Vol. 86 p. 238 and Vol. 98 p. 83; p. 84 Desc. of William Shattuck, Shalluck; Vol. 20 21, 22, and 24 Middlesex Co. Probate Records; Vol. VIII Colonial Fam. in U.S., McKenzie; Vol. II p. 65 & 102 Watertown Vital Records; Boston Transcript September 8, 1908.

81. CALEB BENJAMIN[4] (Abel[3], John[2-1]) born January 24/28, 1701/2 at Watertown, Mass.; bapt. January 25, 1701 at Watertown (vr Vol. IV); the son of Abel and Abigail (Stimpson) Benjamin; died March 8, 1775 at Windsor, Vermont. On his tombstone, it says, "William Caleb Benjamin". He is buried in the Old South Cemetery at Windsor, which is the Old South Church Grounds. He m/1 August 16, 1726 Abigail Livermore at Watertown, Mass. (vr Vol. I). She was born June 24, 1706 at Watertown, Mass. and died June 24, 1756 at Hardwick, Mass. (vr). Caleb m/2 on November 18, 1760 at Rutland, Vermont (vr) to Mrs. Elizabeth Rice, widow of Aaron Rice. She died in 1775 at Windsor, Vermont.

On April 5, 1723 Caleb sold land to Joseph Ball Jr. and on March 1, 1743 he bought land in Hardwick, Mass. from Benjamin Grover. In 1743 he was chosen surveyor of highways at Hardwick and on March 1, 1744/5 he was elected constable.

Caleb was appointed administrator of his father's estate June 30, 1752 (Vol. 36 p. 76 Cambridge Probate Records.)

Caleb and Abigail Benjamin made public confession at Watertown December 31, 1726/7. (Vol. IV Watertown cr.)

In the Hampden County, Mass. records, Caleb of Windsor, County of Cumberland, New York (Vol. 9:482) in 1768 sold land to Caleb Benjamin Jr. In 1770 (Vol. 14:495) he sold land to Elephalet Washburn, and in 1772 (Vol. 14:514) he sold land to James Winslow. There is a deed at Windsor, Vt. (Vol. 12:128) which shows that Caleb received 12 pounds from Joseph Powers of Windsor, for land for Abigail's children. Joseph Powers Jr. was to have the west half and the rest was to be divided equally among the rest of her children.

In 1771 Caleb was one of the 35 heads of families in Windsor. He did not participate in the rioting over the New Hampshire Grants and Province of New York, due to age, but his son John did.

In 1771 Caleb and son John were each a grantee of 1000 acres of land.

Children of Caleb and Abigail (Livermore) Benjamin:

302. Anna Benjamin b. January 3, 1725/6; out of wedlock at Lexington, Mass. The Wilson Papers give the date as Nov. 23, 1725. She died before 1745.

303. Abigail Benjamin b. January 3, 1726/7 at Watertown; bapt. Jan. 14, 1728 (Watertown vr Vol. I); m. Dec. 25, 1751 at Hardwick, Mass. to Joseph Powers Jr. They had a son Joseph Powers III, among others. She died June 24, 1756.

*304. Caleb Benjamin b. May 26, 1729 at Watertown (vr Vol.I

305. Keziah Benjamin bapt. April 18, 1734; died July 2, 1740, at age 9 years at Grafton, Mass.

306. Daniel Benjamin b. April 14, 1734 at Grafton, (Wendall Mass. vr); d. June 18, 1736, age 2 yrs. at Grafton.

*307. Abel Benjamin b. August 6, 1735 at Grafton, Mass. (Wendall, Mass. vr).

308. Jonathan Benjamin b. May 16, 1738 at Grafton (Wendall vr); died June 27, 1740 at Grafton, age 2 years.

*309. John Benjamin b. April 20, 1741 at Grafton (Wendall vr

310. Mary (Marcy) Benjamin b. September 1, 1743 at Hardwick Mass. (vr); died at W. Windsor, Vt.; m. John Smead.

*311. Anne Benjamin b. June 5, 1745/6 at Hardwick, Mass. (vr

*312. Keziah Benjamin b. May 6, 1749 at Hardwick, Mass. (vr)

?313. Susanna Benjamin was listed as a child in the March 7, 1942 Hartford Times. She m/2 February 10, 1777 Thomas Hunter. This may well be the dau. of Jonath an and Susanna (Norcross) Benjamin (#78). (See #298

Resources: Watertown, Mass. Vital Records; Hardwick, Mass. Vital Records; Wendall, Mass. Vital Records; Wilson Papers; State of Vermont Vital Records; Records of Allen Benjamin of Wayland, Mass. and Mrs. Lucille Fales of Westford, Mass.; Birthplace of Vermont, Henry Steele Wardner; p. 2 & 121 of Early Mass. Marriages, Bailey; Rutland, Mass. Vital Records to 1849, 1905; Gen. of Families of Watertown, Bond; Vol. 86 p. 238 N. E. Gen. and Hist. Register.

82. ANN BENJAMIN[4] (Abel[3], John[2-1]) born January 21, 1703/4 at Watertown, Mass.; the dau. of Abel and Abigail (Stimpson) Benjamin; bapt. January 14, 1727/8 (Watertown vr Vol. IV). She married March 5, 1724 Nathaniel Bond of Watertown, the son of Deacon William and Hepzibah (Hastings) Bond. He was born July 20, 1701 at Watertown and is the brother of Mary Bond, wife of Daniel Benjamin (#59), and a brother to the William Bond, who married Hannah Cunnable (#61.).

Children of Nathaniel and Ann (Benjamin) Bond:

314. Anna Bond b. March 28, 1725 at Watertown, Mass.
315. Nathaniel Bond b. September 15, 1726.
316. Jonathan Bond. b. September 25, 1728.
317. Abigail Bond b. December 11, 1730 at Watertown, Mass.; m. at Sturbridge, Mass. June 6, 1750 Caleb Stacy.
318. Elizabeth Bond. b. February 4, 1732/3.
319. Seth Bond bapt. December 22, 1734 at Watertown, Mass.

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Bond; Boston Transcript Apr. 5, 1926; Wilson Papers.

84. REBECCA BENJAMIN[4] (Abel[3], John[2-1]) born June 11, 1708 at Watertown, Mass.; the dau. of Abel and Abigail (Stimpson) Benjamin; died January 1, 1750 at Sturbridge, Mass. She m/1 January 29, 1733/4 at Watertown, Edmund (Edward) Livermore, the son of Samuel[3] and Elizabeth (---) Livermore. He was born December 16, 1707 at Watertown and died July 2/30, 1750 at Sturbridge, Mass. She m/2 Thomas Ellenwood.

Rebecca was appointed administrator of Edward's estate on August 21, 1750 at Sturbridge.

Children of Edmund and Rebecca (Benjamin) Livermore:

320. Elizabeth Livermore b. November 12, 1734; m. February 3, 1753 in Sturbridge to Elephalet Allen.
321. Samuel Livermore b. June 1736; died September 8, 1753 at Sturbridge, Mass.
322. Josiah (Jonah) Livermore bapt. December 31, 1738; died young.
323. Josiah Livermore bapt. April 6, 1740; died in 1777/8 in the Rev. War. Another record gives his death as May 5, 1757 at Sturbridge.
324. Hannah Livermore b. May 4, 1743 at Sturbridge; m. 1762 Dr. Joseph Hitchcock.
325. Daniel Livermore b. January 26, 1746 at Sturbridge.
326. Rhoda Livermore b. April 23, 1750; d. Sept. 9, 1754 at Sturbridge, Mass.

Resources: p. 341 Hist. of Watertown, Mass.; Bond; p. 30 Livermore Family of Am., Thwing; Grafton Magazine of Hist. and Gen. Vol. I, 1908, p. 38; Wilson Papers.

86. ELIZABETH BENJAMIN[4] (Abel[3], John[2-1]) born July 3, 1711/12 at Watertown, Mass.; the dau. of Abel and Abigail (Stimpson) Benjamin; died December 5, 1774 probably at Watertown. She m/1 August 12, 1735 at Watertown Samuel Mansfield. He was

born in 1668 and died in 1756. She m/2 November 9, 1769 Captain John Clark.

Children of Samuel and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Mansfield:

327. Elizabeth Mansfield b. December 11, 1736; d. January 1737/8.
328. Samuel Mnsfield b. December 1737; d. January 1738, age 13 months.
329. Daniel Mansfield b. October 8, 1740; m. July 2, 1761 Eunice Fiske, the dau. of Capt. Thomas and Mary (Pierce) Fiske. They had a son Jacob Mansfield bapt. November 14, 1773.
330. Elizabeth Mansfield b. June 20, 1743; m. April 16, 1761 David Fiske, who was b. Oct. 8, 1731 and d. 1800. David m/2 Oct. 31, 1763 Rebecca Garfield of Lincoln, Mass.
331. SamuelMansfield b. Sept. 25, 1745; died young.
332. Lois Mansfield b. April 18, 1748; died young.
333. Samuel Mansfield b. Sept. 7, ?? (prob. 1750/1).
334. Jonas Mansfield b. Oct. 14, 1753.
335. Lois Mansfield b. Oct. 14, 1753 (a twin).

Resources: p. 355 Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond; p. 115, 150, 120 Fiske Gen.; Wilson Papers.

89. JAMES STIMPSON[4] (Elizabeth[3], Abigail[2], John[1]) born May 26, 1687 at Cambridge, Mass.; the son of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Stubbs) Stimpson; died February 18, 1744/5. He married Bethia Mansfield on January 1/4, 1698 at Watertown, Mass., the dau. of Samuel and Sarah (Barsham) Mansfieldand she was born March 13, --? at Lynn, Mass.

Children of James and Bethia (Mansfield) Stimpson:

336. Bethia Stimpson b. September 27, 1700 at Weston, Mass. d. May 9, 1721.
337. James Stimpson b. December 8, 1702; d. 1769; m/1 May 1, 1729 Sarah Cutter; m/2 May 16, 1744 Rebecca Myrick; m/3 April 3, 1746 Abigail Harrington.
338. Jonathan Stimpson b. July 31, 1705; d. January 15, 1758; m. June 8, 1733 Thankful Woolson.
339. Andrew Stimpson b. August 9, 1707; d. 1773.
340. Nathaniel Stimpson b. August 10, 1709; d. May 24, 1761 m. April 6, 1737 Elizabeth Myrick.
341. Sarah Stimpson b. April 22, 1711; d. 1729; m. Mr. Pratt.
342. Daniel Stimpson b. July 6, 1718; d. December 12, 1718.
343. Bethia Stimpson b. January 22,1722; m. August 26, 1741 David Stearns.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Edward A. Adams of Windsor Locks, Conn.

101. ELIZABETH TRAINE[4] (Mary[3], Abigail[2], John[1]) born January 6, 1679/80; the dau. of John and Mary (Stubbs) Traine; died August 6, 1753. She m/1 Thomas Spring of Weston Farms on

November 30, 1701. He died about 1710. She m/2 about 1713 Joseph Bullard and he died August 6, 1722. She m/3 Thomas Upham, a miller of Weston, on April 24, 1723. He died February 25, 1729/30.

Her will was dated January 16, 1753 and proved September 3, 1753 and mentions sons Thomas and Henry Spring; daus. Mary Parmenter and Elizabeth Upham; and grandsons Abraham and Isaac Bigelow.

Children of Thomas and Elizabeth (Traine) Spring:
*344. Mary Spring b. January 19, 1702/3 at Weston, Mass.
*345. Elizabeth Spring b. September 10. 1705.
346. Thomas Spring b. July 5, 1708; d. June 18, 1753.
*347. Henry Spring b. February 2, 1710/1.

Children of Joseph and Elizabeth (Traine Spring) Bullard:
348. Esther Bullard bapt. Dec. 5, 1714; died young.
349. Esther Bullard b. January 4, 1715/6.
*350. Abigail Bullard b. May 22, 1718.

Children of Thomas and Elizabeth (Traine, etc.) Upham:
*351. Elizabeth Upham b. January 15, 1724 at Weston, Mass.

Resources: p. 455, 606 Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond; p. 443 Spring Gen.; p. 148 Other Bullards, Bullard, 1929; p. 424 Barry Gen.

103. MARGARET TRAINE[4] (Mary[3], Abigail[2], John[1]) born August 18, 1685; the dau.of John and Mary (Stubbs) Traine. She married 1707 Samuel Perry, who died January 28, 1756.

Children of Samuel and Margaret (Traine) Perry:
352. Abigail Perry b. November 28, 1707.
353. Margaret Perry b. October 17, 1709.
354. Mary Perry b. October 7, 1711.
*355. Esther Perry b. November 25, 1713.
356. Samuel Perry b. February 14, 1714/5; d. Sept. 23, 1723
*357. Mary Perry b. September 7, 1718.
358. Susanna Perry b. November 19, 1720.
359. Samuel Perry b. December 29, 1725.

Resources: p. 403 & 602 Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

113. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[4] (Samuel[3-2], John[1]) born about 1690 in either Watertown or Conn.; the son of Samuel and --- Benjamin.

The Wilson papers indicate that there was a Samuel Benjamin in this line through the seventh generation.

There is no data concerning his marriage.

There is a Samuel Benjamin of Litch field, Conn. in the 1790 Federal Census with: 1-2-2, who might fit into this line some how, and another at the same place with: 1-0-1; which might indicate a father and son.

Children of Samuel and --- Benjamin:
*360. Benjamin Benjamin bc. 1715.
361. Abigail Benjamin.

362. Mary Benjamin.
*363. Samuel Benjamin bc. 1727/8 at Hartland, Conn.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Orcutt's Hist. of Stratford, Conn. Grafton Magazine of Gen. and Hist., Vol. I, 1908, p. 38.

123. THANKFUL GATES[4] (Jemima[3], Joseph[2], John[1]) born April/August 7/25, 1687 at Stow, Mass.; the dau.of Stephen and Jemima (Benjamin) Gates. She married March 1, 1710 at Preston, Conn. Lt. Daniel Woodward, son of Daniel[3] and Mary (---) Woodward. He was born 1683 and died May 24, 1752.

Children of Daniel and Thankful (Gates) Woodward:
364. Thankful Woodward b. January 12, 1711 at Preston, Conn m. at Preston on Dec. 13, 1733 to James Clark, son of Benjamin Clark and his 2nd wife. He was born February 13, 1711 at Plainfield, Conn. and died August 8, 1794 at S. Shaftsbury, Vermont.
Probably other children.

Resources: See #29.

124. STEPHEN GATES[4] (Jemima[3], Joseph[2], John[1]) born about 1689 at Stow, Mass.; the son of Stephen and Jemima (Benjamin) Gates; died March 14, 1782 at Preston, Conn. He m/1 November 6, 1713 at Preston to Hannah Woodward. She died October 2, 1762. He m/2 Mercy (Luck/Luce) Withey (or MacWithey), the widow of Ephraim Withey. She died May 14, 1796, age 76. (bc 1720.)

Children of Stephen and Hannah (Woodward) Gates:
365. Hannah Gates bp. April 17, 1713; m. Oliver Perkins.
366. Thankful Gates b. April 1716; died young.
367. Stephen Gates b. Jan. 13, 1717/8; m. Hannah Meech.
368. Joseph Gates b. Dec. 20, 1720; died young.
369. Nehemiah Gates b. March 17, 1722/3; m/1 Elizabeth Baker; m/2 Elizabeth (Partridge) Woodward.
370. Azariah Gates bp. March 19, 1725; m. Mary Jones.
371. Capt. Joseph Gates bp. April 16, 1727 at Preston, Conn d. at Preston 1795; m/1 Abigail Baker; m/2 Mabel Partridge; m/3 Dorothy Seaton.
372. Thankful Gates bp. April 4, 1729; m. Nathaniel Clark.
373. Phineas Gates bc. 1731; m. Esther Herrick.
374. Susannah Gates bp. Sept. 13, 1734 at Preston, Conn.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Terrelle B. Crum of Edgewood, RI.

142. JOSEPH BENJAMIN[4] (Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born August 15, 1699 at Preston, Conn.; the son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Cook) Benjamin (vr 1-27); bapt. June 7, 1702 at the First Congregational Church of Preston (cr); died 1803 at Egremont, Mass., at the home of his son Nathan. He married April 3, 1722 (First Cong. cr) at Griswold (now Preston), Conn. to Deborah Clark, the dau. of John and Deborah (Parke) Clark. She was bapt. April 23, 1710 and died at an unknown date at Egremont

Deborah and her husband Joseph Benjamin, took full communion on July 12, 1724 at Griswold, Conn. (cr 1-36).

Joseph was a sailor on the Conn. Colony Sloop "Defense", which accompanied the Joint Colonial Expedition against Louisburg in 1744, when that fortress was captured. Suits followed by the sailors to recover prize money collected by Captain John Prentice. The result was that his sailors got their share. One prize was several British ships and a French merchantman, with a cargo worth more than 200,000 pounds sterling.

Children of Joseph and Deborah (Clark) Benjamin:

*375. Joseph Benjamin b. December 17/19, 1723 at Preston.
*376. Elijah Benjamin b. June 4/8, 1725 at Preston, Conn.
*377. James Benjamin b. April 3, 1727 at Preston, Conn.
*378. Barzillia Benjamin b. March 28, 1730/1 at Preston.
*379. Deborah Benjamin b. March 26/28, 1732/3 at Preston.
*380. Josiah Benjamin b. March 13, 1734/5 at Preston.
*381. Nathan Benjamin b. April 19, 1737 at Preston, Conn.
*382. Mary Benjamin b. June 22, 1739 at Preston.
*383. Isaac Benjamin b. April 15, 1742 at Preston, Conn.

Resources: Benjamin Family of Norwich and Preston, Mrs. E.E. Rogers; The Benjamin Family of Columbia Co., N.Y., Reuben Benjamin, 1911; Rix Gen., Thomas Rix; Preston, Conn. Vital Records, 1st Edition; Colonial Families in U.S., McKenzie, Vol. 1 p. 18-22; Gen. of the Benjamin Family, Baker, 1898; Lineage of My Children, Keogh, 1926; Gen. and Family Hist. Cuttler, Vol. II p. 1090; Book 4 p. 32 Early Conn. Marriages Bailey.

143. OBED(IAH) BENJAMIN[4] (Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born August 15, 1701 at Preston, Conn. (vr 1-18); the son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Cook) Benjamin; bapt. June 7, 1702 at the First Congregational Church of Preston (cr 1-18); died 1746/7 at Preston, Conn. He married Mary Yarrenton (Yarrington) at Griswold, Conn. (at the First Congregationa Church cr 1-254). There is a record of the marriage, but it is not readable. It took place between April 19 and August 19, 1724. She was the dau. of Peter[3] and Abial (Woodward) Yarrington and was bapt. November 16, 1701 at Beverly, Mass. and died in 1755. She m/2 at Preston, Conn. between June 20, 1751 and Jan. 29, 1752 to Jacob Burton. (Griswold First Church records gives the year 1751, but no day or month.) He was the son of Isaac Burton and had m/1 Judith Herrick and m/2 Mary Herrick.

Obediah's will was dated August 7, 1746 with Nathaniel Coggelshell as executor. His estate was inventoried early in 1747.

(Note: Some records have him having a second marriage to Mary Hurd, but this would seem incorrect. This would be the marriage record of his son.)

Children of Obed and Mary (Yarrenton) Benjamin:

*384. Obed(iah) Benjamin bp, March 9, 1728/9 at the Second

or North Church of Preston (cr 1-60).

*385. Abel Benjamin bp. July 11, 1731, at the North Preston Church (cr 1-61 and vr 7-9).

*386. Ebenezer Benjamin b. December 14, 1735 at Preston, Conn. (vr 7-9).

*387. Elizabeth Benjamin bp. April 28, 1737 at Preston.

*388. Jacob Benjamin bp. March 18, 1739 (cr 1-67) at Preston, Conn.

?389. Caleb Benjamin (a correspondant wrote that a Caleb was listed in Obediah's will, thought it would seem this was probably a grandson--not a son. Obed Jr. had a son Caleb.)

?390. Esther Benjamin b. 1745; d. August 4, 1768, age 23; buried in the Griswold Cemetery, lot #2-47.

Resources: Benjamin Family of Columbia Co., N.Y., Reuben Benjamin, 1911; Benjamin Families of Norwich and Preston, Mrs. E. E. Rogers, 1917--a manuscript found in the Butler Library, Columbia University, N.Y.; Early Conn. Marriages Book 4 p. 39 and Book 5 p. 69; Abridged Compendium of Am. Gen.; Hartford Times March 23, 1946, Feb. 5, 1949, Sept. 28, 1946; p. 311 Potter Richardson Memorial; Hale Collection of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records; Cong. Church Records in Canterbury, Conn.

144. ELIZABETH BENJAMIN[4] (Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born Nivember 11, 1703 at Preston, Conn. (vr 1-26); the dau. of Joseph and Elizabeth (Cook) Benjamin; bapt. February 13, 1704 at Preston, Conn. (cr 1-18); died January 14, 1700 at Preston, Conn. (vr). She married Robert Parke of Groton, Conn. about 1725. (Griswold, Conn. cr 1-251). She was his second wife. He was the son of Robert and Mary (Rose) Parke and was bapt. October 10, 1697 at Stonington, Conn. and had m/1 Mary Rex (Rix).

He was a large land holder and farmer at Preston, Conn. and also carried on a trade as a blacksmith.

Children of Robert and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Parke:

391. Roswell Parke bp. Sept. 26, 1731; died 1762 in the Expedition to Havana; m. April 18, 1753 Deborah Avery; dau. of Theophilus Avery. She was b. May 27, 1735 at Groton. She m/2 Joseph Brewster and m/3 Silas Parke.

392. James Parke bp. Sept. 26, 1731 at Preston, Conn.

393. Mary Parke bp. Feb. 18, 1732/3; m. at Preston June 22, 1752 John Avery, son of John Avery b. Dec. 6, 1732 at Preston. He d. July 23, 1794 at Preston, Conn.

*394. Elizabeth Parke bp. Sept. 14, 1735 at Preston, Conn.

395. Hannah Parke bp. April 16, 1738; m. Jan. 23, 1755 Jared Mason.

396. Hesekiah Parke bp. April 15, 1740 at Preston.

397. Dorothy Parke; m. Mortimer Stoddard.

Robert Parke had three children by his first marriage:

Robert Parke bp. July 30, 1721; Mary Parke bp July 14, 1723, and died young; Elijah Parke, who died young.

Resources: p. 45 Park Fam. of Conn., Parks, 1906; p. 252 Groton Avery Clan, Avery, 1912; p. 1911 Spicer Gen., Meech, 1911; Hartford Times July 13, 1946; Boston TranscriptJuly 8, 1914.

145. SARAH BENJAMIN[4] (Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born January 17, 1707 at Preston, Conn.; the dau. of Joseph and Elizabeth (Cook) Benjamin; bapt. April 11, 1708 at the First Church of Preston (cr 1-20). She married November 5, 1731 Josiah Park, son of Thomas Park[4]. He was born May 18, 1709 at Preston.

Children of Josiah and Sarah (Benjamin) Park:
398. Benjamin Park.
399. Joseph Park.
400. Sybil Park.
401. Dorothy Park.
402. Amos Park.
403. Susannah Park.
404. Josiah Park.
405. Thomas Park.
406. Sarah Park.

Resources: p. 56 Park Family of Conn., Park, 1906.

148. JEDEDIAH BENJAMIN[4] (Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born July 15, 1711 at Preston, Conn. (vr 1-26); the son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Cook) Benjamin; bapt. August 17, 1712 at the First Congregational Church of Preston (cr 1-22). He died January 27, 1805 at Griswold, Conn. (cr 1-220). He married first November 11, 1732 Patience Stanton of Groton, Conn., the dau. of John and Ann (?Hucheson) Stanton. She was born November 10, 1710 at Groton. He m/2 December 6, 1778 Mary Main at Canterbury, Conn. (vr 1-71).

In the inventory of the estate of Capt. Obadiah Johnson, dated April 29, 1765 at Canterbury, Conn. was a list of notes and bonds on various people, and Jedediah Benjamin's name was included on that list.

Jedediah was listed in the 1790 Federal Census in New London Co., Conn. with: 1-0-1.

Children of Jedediah and Patience (Stanton) Benjamin:
*407. Phineas Benjamin b. October 5, 1733 at Preston, Conn.
*408. Patience Benjamin b. Feb. 25, 1735 at Preston (vr).
*409. Hannah Benjamin b. May 22, 1737 at Preston, Conn.
410. Jedediah Benjamin b. August 28, 1741 at Canterbury, Conn. (vr 1-77); d. Nov. 1745 at Canterbury.
*411. Simeon Benjamin b. October 28, 1744 at Canterbury, Conn. (vr 1-77).
412. Daniel Benjamin b. May 29, 1747 at Canterbury, Conn. (vr 1-77); died October 1, 1749.
*413. Joannah Benjamin b. July 10, 1749 at Canterbury, Conn. (vr 1-77).

414. Elizabeth Benjamin b. October 13, 1749 at Canterbury, Conn. (vr 1-77).
415. Doritha Benjamin b. April 22, 1752 at Canterbury, Conn. (vr 1-77).

Resources: p. 191-4 Rix. Fam. Gen.; The Lineage of My Children, Keogh, 1926; Wilson Papers; Benjamin Families of Norwich and Preston, Mrs. E. E. Rogers, 1917; Hist. of Capt. Edward Johnson, Johnson, 1914; Hale's Conn. Church Records; Records of the Cong. Church of Canterbury, Conn.; p. 143 Vol. 32 Daus. of Pat. and Founders of Am.; Boston Transcript Oct. 15, 1917, Jan. 18, 1928; Hartford Times Oct. 12, 1946.

149. DANIEL BENJAMIN[4] (Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born September 17, 1714 at Preston, Conn. (vr 1-26); the son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Cook) Benjamin; bapt. October 31, 1714 (Preston cr 1-23); died July 30, 1756 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-52). He is buried in the Griswold, Conn. Cemetery lot #1-18. He married March 13, 1739/40 Phoebe Guile, the only dau. of Benjamin and Phoebe (Denison) Guile. She was born March 20, 1716 and died July 26, 1758, age 42 years. She m/2 December 16, 1756 Israel Hutchinson (First Cong. cr 1-257). at Preston, Conn. He was born January 22, 1714.

Phoebe and husband Daniel Benjamin took full communion October 1744. (First Cong. cr 1-38).

Children of Daniel and Phoebe (Guile) Benjamin:

416. David Benjamin bc. 1743; died July 28, 1753, age 9 yrs.
*417. Daniel Benjamin bp. October 1744 at Preston (North cr 1-76).
*418. Phoebe Benjamin bp. September 29, 1745 at Preston. (North cr 1-76). She married Ebenezer Benjamin, a cousin. (See #386 for her carry down.)
419. Jedediah Benjamin bp. June 21, 1747 at Preston, Conn. (Griswold First cr 1-78).
*420. Elizabeth Benjamin bp. April 9, 1749 at Preston, Conn. (vr 7-10).
421. Grace Benjamin bp. February 24, 1754 at Preston, Conn. (cr 1-86); m. November 7, 1771 at Preston to Walter Fanning, son of Thomas Fanning. (vr 1-262). He was b. 1747 at Preston, Conn.
422. Benjamin Benjamin bp. June 20, 1756; b. March 20, 1756 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-52); died at Preston July 28, 1756, age 4 mos.

Children of Israel and Phoebe (Guile Benjamin) Hutchinson: Amos Hutchinson, m. Lucy Kinne at Preston. She was b. Sept. 9, 1762.

Resources: Rix Family Gen., Thomas Rix; The Benjamin Family of Columbia Co., N.Y., Reuben M. Benjamin, 1911; Putnam's Historical Magazine Vol. 8 p. 301; Fanning Gen, Brooks, 1905 Records of Ruth Keller of Litiz, Penn.; Bailey's Early Conn. Marriages Book 4 p. 36, 39, Book 5 p. 39; Bromley Gen., 1911 Hale's Collection of Conn. Church & Cemetery Rec.; Wilson Re.

150. ABIAL (ABIEL) BENJAMIN[4] (Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born December 16, 1716 at Preston, Conn. (vr 1-26); the son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Cook) Benjamin; bapt. April 28, 1717 at the First Church of Preston (cr 1-25); died at Griswold, Conn. on October 19, 1819, age 101 (g.s.) (Church records 2-172 say he d. Oct. 14, 1818, age 104 and DAR records say d. Dec. 20, 1820. To add to the confusion, an obit in Hale's Collection says he d. Oct. 20, 1819, age 104.) He m/1 December 16, 1736 Judith (Judath) Ford at Preston, Conn. (vr 1-115), the dau. of John and Judath (Richards) Ford. She was bp. April 15, 1716 at Preston (vr) and died November 26, 1777 at Griswold, Conn. (cr First Church of Preston 1-207). He m/2 on February 23, 1779 Margaret Wilberson (Willerson) of Stonington, Conn. at Preston (vr 6-6). She was born 1743 and d. October 7, 1825, age 82 (gs). Both Abial and Margaret are buried in the Griswold Cemetery lot #1-18, Rixtown Cemetery.

In the records of the 1779 marriage to Margaret, the first name of the Benjamin is given as Mical. I believe that this is again a problem of interpreting poor handwriting, and should indeed read Abial Benjamin. This would seem to be inforced with having a Margaret Benjamin buried in the same lot with him.

Abial joined the Church at Griswold in 1736. He became blind in later life. He is listed in the 1790 Federal Census in New London Co., Conn. with 1-0-1.

His will is dated August 2, 1806 and probated December 27, 1819 (Norwich District 13:57) and names wife Margaret; sons: Ezra, Jesse, Abial; and daus.: Lydia, "Juda", Anna, and Sarah.

Children of Abial and Judith (Ford) Benjamin:

423. Lydia Benjamin b. July 27, 1738 at Preston (vr 1-115); bp. July 30, 1738 at Griswold, Conn. (First Cong. cr); m. September 20, 1759 Jesse Kimball of Preston (vr 2-91).

424. Jesse Benjamin b. August 1, 1740 at Preston (vr 1-115) bp. August 3, 1740 at Griswold (cr 1-69; probably died young.

*425. Ezra Benjamin b. December 13, 1742 at Preston.

426. Zipporah Benjamin b. November 23, 1744 at Preston, Conn. (vr 1-115).

*427. Abial (Abiel) Benjamin Jr. b. August 16, 1747 at Preston, Conn. (vr 1-115).

428. Judith Benjamin b. April 11, 1750 at Preston (vr 1-115 bp. May 20, 1750 (Griswold cr); m. February 22, 1776 Peleg Sweet of Preston, Conn. (Preston vr1-154

429. Anne (Anna) Benjamin b. May 7, 1753 at Preston (vr 1-115); bp. June 10, 1753 (Griswold cr 1-86); m. Aug. 29, 1771 Samuel Prentice of Stonington, son of Elihu and Abigail (Jamison) Prentice. (Preston vr 2-141 and Preston cr 1-46). Samuel b. Oct. 4, 1749 (Note: One record says they were both "of Stonington:, but the Preston record says "both of Preston"

*430. Sarah Benjamin b. October 1, 1756 at Preston.
*431. Jesse Benjamin b. October 28, 1758 at Preston (vr 1-115).
432. Sallie (Sally) Benjamin; probably died young as not mentioned in father's will--or may refer to the above Sarah.

Resources: p. 191-4 Rix Family Gen., Thomas Rix; Hale's Collection of Conn. Vital, Church, and Cemetery Reoords; Bromley Gen., Bromley, 1911; Wilson Papers; p. 308 Gen. of William Chesebrough, Widdey, 1903; Hartford Times Nov. 9, 1846; p. 363 Index to Obits in Mass. Centinel and Columbian Centinel, 1784-1840, Vol. 1, 1961.

?151. JOHN BENJAMIN[4] (Joseph[3-2], John[1]) birth date unknown; the possible son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Cook) Benjamin; died about 1788 at Griswold, Conn.

This son is not always listed as a son of Joseph, although it is included in SOME records.

There is a record of a Eunice Benjamin, b. 1729 in the vicinity of Boston and died August 15, 1772, age 43 years, the wife of John Benjamin, and is buried in Preston, Conn.

There is also a record of a Lucy Benjamin, widow of John Benjamin of Preston, in the Second Church records. She died September 2, 1785.

A will is on file and probated Jan. 1, 1788 in the Norwich, Conn. records.

Children of John Benjamin:
433. Nathan Benjamin bp. May 29, 1742 at Preston, Conn. (vr 7-9).

Resources: Vital Records; Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records.

170. JEMIMA BENJAMIN[4] (John[3], Joseph[2], John[1]) born February 2, 1708/9 at Preston, Conn.;the dau. of John and Phebe (Larabee Benjamin; bapt. May 2, 1708 at Preston, Conn. (cr 1-20); and died before May 26, 1729. She married March 25, 1724/5 to John Utter, son of Thomas and Hannah (Cottrell) Utter. He was born January 29, 1703 at either Stonington, Conn. or Westerly, R.I. (records in both). He died before February 22, 1741. John m/2 about 1731 Elizabeth Pooler of Westerly, R.I., the dau. of John Pooler.

Jemima must have died before May 26, 1729, on which date John Pooler of Westerly was required to give bonds to "indemnify the town agains any charge cancerning John Utter's child". As the baby John was born in Preston, Conn., Westerly did not wish to become liable for his support. Shortly after that time, the child must have been given into the care of his grandmother, for "John Utter, grandson of Phebe Randall" was bapt. November 28, 1731 at the Second Church of Preston (cr).

Children of John and Jemima (Benjamin) Utter:

434. John Utter b. January 1726 at Preston, Conn.; bp. Nov. 28, 1731 at Preston (cr); m. Hannah ---. He was "of Richmond" in 1749 and may have been the John Utter who was "of Salem, N.Y. in 1757". On Jan. 1744/5 being "of Preston, and a minor over 14 and under 21" he chose Daniel Morgan of Preston as his guardian and on Nov. 4, 1747, just a few days befor he came of age, he and his wife, Hannah, signed a quit cliam to his right to lands "that my honored grandfather, Mr. John Benjamin, formerly of Preston, dec'd, died seized of". (Land Rec Preston Vol. 6 p. 52).

Children of John and Elizabeth (Pooler) Utter:

Abraham Utter b. Nov. 1732 at Westerly, R.I. He is the ancestor of the present Utter family in R.I.
Eleanor Utter.
Isaac Utter.
Jemima Utter...all born at the "usual two year intervals".

Resources: p. 25, 45, 64 Nicholas Utter of Westerly, R.I., Utter, 1941.

171. MERCY BENJAMIN[4] (John[3], Joseph[2], John[1]) born August 18, 1709 at Preston, Conn.; the dau. of John and Phebe (Larabee) Benjamin; bp. September 25, 1709 at Preston, Conn. She married March 28, 1732 William Wedge of Preston, Conn. (Norwich vr 1-139).

An acknowledgement was made at Preston on January 14, 1734/5 by William Wedge of Preston, and his wife Marcy, one of the daus. of John Benjamin of said Preston, dec'd, to land deeded them by her brother John Benjamin.

Vital records indicate that William was "of Preston" but Mercy was "of Norwich". Until 1786, the town of Norwich included a strip two miles wide on the east side of the Thames, Quinebaug, and Shetucket Rivers.

On Sept. 6, 1737, John Benjamin gave a quit claim to "loving sister Marcy Benjamin, alias Wedge, and to William Wedge, right to some land that was set out to my sister before her marriage--land bounded by Joseph Prentice, to a stone in the ground, near the Pachaug River, and so bounding up the stream by sd river to land set out to my sister Phebe". (Land Rec., Preston, 5-59).

On that same day, William Wedge of Voluntown, County of Windham, Conn., and wife Marcy, acknowlege that they have "received of their brother, John Benjamin of Preston, our full part of ye lands that our honored father, John Benjamin, late of Preston, dec'd, died siezed of, by two quit claim deeds bearing the dates Jan. 14, 1734/5 and Sept. 6, 1737. (Ibid, 5-50).

Children of William and Mercy (Benjamin) Wedge:
435. Jemima Wedge b. December 21, 1732 at Preston (vr); m. May 22, 1753 Jacob Stanton, b. 1732. (She was "of Stonington" at the marriage.

Resources: The Benjamin Family of Norwich and Preston, Conn., Mrs. E. E. Rogers, 1917; American Gen.

172. ELIZABETH BENJAMIN[4] (John[3], Joseph[2], John[1]) born March 13, 1711 at Preston, Conn. (vr 1-84); the dau. of John and Phebe (Larabee) Benjamin; died March 20, 1797 at Preston, Conn. (Second Church or Pachaug Church cr 1-216). She married on December 10, 1731 (Norwich vr 1-146) John Back of Norwich.

On April 26, 1739 John Back, formerly of Norwich, Conn., of late residing in Preston, for 40 pounds gave a quit claim with his wife, Elizabeth, "to all right to lands of our honored father, Mr. John Benjamin, late of Preston, dec'd, to brother John Benjamin of Preston".

Children of John and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Back:
436. Daniel Back b. June 15, 1732 at Preston (vr 1-29).
437. John Back b. October 22, 1734 at Preston (vr 1-29).
438. Judah Back b. July 10, 1737 at Preston (vr 1-29).
439. George Back b. July 28, 1739 at Pre ston (vr 1-29); m. Sept. 17, 1761 at Plainfield, Conn. to Hannah Russell. He d. May 5, 1825 at Hartland, Vermont.
440. Jesse Back b. August 7, 1742 at Preston (vr 1-29).
441. Elizabeth Back b. January 6, 1751 at Preston (vr 1-29) d. Jan. 16, 1835 and buried on Joel Kinney's farm at Voluntown, Conn.

Resources: The Benjamin Family of Norwich and Preston, Conn. Mrs. E. E. Rogers, 1917; Records of Mrs. Betty Church of New London, Conn.

173. JOHN BENJAMIN[4] (John[3], Joseph[2], John[1]) born October 31, 1714 at Preston, Conn.; the son of John and Phebe (Larabee) Benjamin; bapt. January 6, 1714/5 at the First Church of Preston (cr 23-141); and died May 7, 1791 at Preston, Conn. (Griswold cr 1-213). He m/1 Margaret Jameson (Jennison/Jemison) of Stonington, Conn. on January 3, 1739/40 at Stonington, Conn. (cr 4-41), the dau. of John and Abigail (Carter) Jameson. She was born June 21, 1716 at Stonington, Conn. and died October 13/18, 1769 at Preston. (Griswold cr 1-202). He m/2 Lois (?Louise) Palmer of Stonington, Conn. on May 11, 1775. She died November 7, 1793. She was a widow, and had a dau. Marvel Palmer when she married John. John MAY have had another marriage in between the above two. There is a record of Eunice Benjamin, wife of John Benjamin, b. 1729 in the vicinity of Boston, d. Aug. 15, 1772, age 43 and buried in Preston, Conn.

The Benjamin farm in Griswold (Preston), appears on map 11, Town of Griswold, in the Atles by Ellis, Beirs, and Soule, New York and Danbury, Conn., 1868. John was listed

in the 1790 Federal Census under New London County, Conn. with: 1-1-3.

The farm was located one fourth mile from the new Church of Preston, which was later the Pachaug Church or First Church of Griswold.

He was a cordwainer (shoemaker or leather worker), and also a farmer. He belonged to the Second Church of Preston and had his children baptised there.

John, as the eldest son, received, according to the old laws, a double portion of his father's estate. His father-in-law, or in reality, his step-father, was appointed his guardian in 1725 and on his coming of age and inheriting his share, he gave deeds for their portions to his brother and sisters. He, naturally, had the old homestead and when the new church was organized and built, his home was only about a quarter mile distant. This church grew in numbers and importance until it soon was nearly as strong as the churches in Norwich and Stonington.

On April 5, 1766, calling himself 'yeoman', he deeded to his son David, "for love, goodwill and parental affection" two tracts of land in Preston. These two tracts of land were soldby David to his father in 1784, and were then left to Rozel Benjamin, who removed to Chester, Mass., and he in turn sold the lands on June 3 and June 6, 1791 and Feb. 13, 1792 to Joseph Button, Eleazer Prentice, and his brother Daniel Benjamin. (Land Records, Preston 8-89, 11-160, 161, and 374).

In 1770 his farm was the south bound of the Pachaug school district. In 1778, he and Eleazer Prentice exchanged some land (Ibid. 9-326) and on Nov. 15, 1788 he sold three lots of land in Preston to Elezer Prentice for 179 pounds. (Ibid 11-29). Another tract of about 12 acres "in the so-called neck, near the Patchaug River" was sold by him on May 14, 1789 to Moses Lester. (Ibid 11-36).

John's will was dated February 7, 1787 and probated May 24, 1791 with Rozel Benjamin and Mr. Samuel Leonard and Capt. Eleazer Prentice, both of Preston, named executors. The inventory was taken May 24, 1791 and was valued at over 271 pounds. The estate included 42 acres of land with buildings worth 200 pounds. John preserved and increased his patrimony. He gave the southwardly part of his farm to son Daniel, and lands to sons David and Rozel. To his beloved wife the improvement of all the land he had given son Daniel, plus a riding horse and one cow, side saddle and bridle, household furniture, etc. At her death, the furniture was to be equally divided between her dau. Marvel Palmer and our dau. Lovise. He also left money to grandsons, sons of my son John, deceased, since he had given son John his full portion. He also mentions daus. Jemima Wheeler and Margaret Phillips.

At the Probate Court on May 1791, Daniel Benjamin chose Capt. Eleazer Prentice as his guardian and in November 1793 Louise chose Jeremiah Phillips as her guardian.

His will is among the Norwich Probate Records, Vol. 8, Will p. 385 and inventory p. 387.

Children of John and Margaret (Jameson) Benjamin:

442. John Benjamin b. November 20, 1740 at Preston; bapt. July 19, 1741 at Griswold (cr 1-70); died March 9, 1743/4.

*443. David Benjamin b. April 11, 1743 at Preston (vr 1-96).

444. Jemima Benjamin b. August 3, 1745 at Preston; bp. Aug. 11, 1745 at Griswold (cr 1-76); m. November 20, 1766 to Nathan Wheeler of Norwich at Preston (Griswold cr 1-260), son of Edward and Thankful (Geer) Wheeler. He was b. Aug. 12, 1744 at Norwich, Conn. (vr p. 302).

*445. Margaret Benjamin b. Oct. 25, 1747 at Preston, Conn. (vr 1-96).

446. Abigail Benjamin b. November 10, 1749 at Preston; bp. Dec. 17, 1749 (Griswold cr 1-80); d. October 25, 1754 at Preston, age 5 yrs. (vr 2-85).

*447. John Benjamin b. December 25, 1751 at Preston, Conn.

*448. Rozel (Roswell) (Ragel on some records) Benjamin born January19, 1755 at Preston, Conn.

Children of John and Lois (Palmer) Benjamin:

449. Daniel Benjamin b. April 21, 1777 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-85),

450. Lovise (Louise) Benjamin b. October 9, 1779 at Preston.

Resources: Preston, Conn. Town Records; Gen. of Park Benjamin, Hoover, 1906; The Benjamin Family of Norwich and Preston, Mrs. E. E. Rogers, 1917; The Jamisons in Am., Jameson, 1901; p. 14 Hist. of Wheeler Family in Am., Wheeler, 1914, #18861; Book 4 p. 42 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey; Benjamin Family of Peoria, Ill., F. A. Benjamin, 1921.

174. JABEZ BENJAMIN^{4} (John^{3}, Joseph^{2}, John^{1}) born July 1716 at Preston, Conn.; the son of John and Phebe (Larabee) Benjamin; bapt. September 9, 1716 at the Second Church of Preston (cr 1-24); died at Canterbury, Conn. before May 6, 1763. He married Rhoda Smith of Preston, Conn. on October 1737 at Preston.(Griswold cr 1-253). There is no data on her.

They first resided at Preston, and two children were born there. They were admitted to the Second Church of Preston on August 5, 1739. "Dismissed" is written after the admittance. They then moved to Canterbury, where the births of these two children, plus six more are recorded. In the Congregational Church records of Canterbury, Rhoda was received on November 1, 1745 and had a sentence of noncommunion voted against her on February 6, 1755. Jabez was admitted to the same church September 25, 1746 (cr p. 31).

Jabez's father died when he was three weeks old. In New London on July 14, 1725 Nathaniel Larabee of Norwich was appointed his guardian.

On October 6, 1737 John Benjamin of Preston quit claimed

"to loving brother Jabez Benjamin" certain lands (Land Rec. Preston 5:54, 57). The next day Jabez Benjamin, yeoman, relinquished to brother John Benjamin, rights in lands of "father, John Benjamin, dec'd" only excepting certain land which said John had acquited to Jabez.

Children of Jabez and Rhoda (Smith) Benjamin:

451. Samuel Benjamin bc. 1738; bp. August 5, 1739 at Griswold (First cr 1-68).

*452. Mercy Benjamin bp. October 23, 1743 at Preston, Conn. (First Cong. cr 1-68).

453. Bethiah Benjamin b. October 23, 1743 at Canterbury, bp. October 23, 1743 (First Cong. cr 1-68); died March 10, 1749/50 at Canterbury (vr 1-79,96).

454. Sarah Benjamin b. February 4, 1746 at Canterbury; perhaps m. June 3, 1765 Samuel Clark. (Boston vr).

455. Ebenezer Benjamin b. February 4, 1746/7 at Canterbury, Conn. (vr 1-79).

456. Phillips Benjamin b. ? in Canterbury.

457. Daniel Benjamin b. May 19, 1752 at Canterbury, Conn. (vr 1-79). There is a record of a Daniel Benjamin, farmer, b. Conn. c. 1752, who enlisted July 5,1775 with the Orange Co., N.Y. Troops. (New York Hist. Doct. Vol. 15 p. 166).

*458. Bethia Benjamin b. March 8, 1754 at Canterbury, Conn. (vr 1-96).

?*459. Barzillai Benjamin bc. 1759.

Resources: Gen. of Park Benjamin, Hoover, 1906; Book 5 p. 35 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey; Records of Cong. Church in Canterbury, Conn. 1711-1842, p. 77, 102, 120, 173; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church Records; p. 140 Vol. 29 Daus. of Founders and Pat. of Am.; Benjamin Family of Norwich and Preston, Conn., Mrs. E. E. Rogers, 1917.

184. JOHN BENJAMIN[4] (John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born May 12, 1700 (or April 15, 1699) at Weathersfield, Conn.; the son of John and Ann (Latimer) Benjamin; bapt. May 12, 1700 at Weathersfield (cr SM-22); died April 13, 1773 at Stratford, Conn., age 73 years. (gs). He is buried in the Churchyard of the Episcopal Church of Stratford Ferry. He married about 1723 Mary Smith of East Hartford, Conn., the dau. of Philip and Mary (Bliss) Smith. She was born February 23, 1698/9 at Springfield, Mass.

John came to Stratford about 1725. He is said to have been a goldsmith and to have made the weathercock still standing on the Episcopal Church tower. He purchased on Jan. 10, 1726 a certain piece of land, tenement, and shop at a place called Pond Brook, and the one-forth acre of land whereon the house and shop stood. The property he exchanged in 1736 with Richard Rogets of New London, for a dwelling house near Stratford Ferry, and this he exchanged with Josiah Curtis for land, dwelling house and barn lying near the Old Society meeting house and six acres of land

lying at a place called Intack.

On Jan. 4, 1725/6 John was a witness for the will of Philip Smith of Hartford. (Early Conn. Probate Vol.2 p.576). On Oct. 26, 1726 he took the inventory of the estate of Mathias Treat of E. Hartford. (Ibid, p. 593). And on Feb. 30, 1729 his land in Hougoanum is mentioned in the will of David Forbes. He also took the inventory of the estate of David Forbes on that date. (Ibid Vol. 3 p. 48).

In the Commemorative Biographical Record of Fairfield County by Beers, 1899, it says this about the Benjamin family: "One of the wealthiest and most influential in the town of Stratford...It's members have distinguished themselved in various lines of effort and by inter-marriage the family has become related to many others of note".

John's will was dated May 29, 1770 and probated April 23 1773. On March 23, 1735 John and Mary Benjamin of Stratford for 20 pounds, sell to "our brother David Smith of Hartford" other lands in Hartford, east of the river.

(Note: Dr. Wilson said that some of the descendants of Mary Smith Benjamin insisted that the line was John[1], John[2] (m. Lydia Allen), John[3](m.Mehitable---), and John[4] (m. Mary Smith). Others insisted that John[3] m. Mary Smith. The latter seems unlikely, as John[3] died in 1708 and John and Mary Smith's first child was born in 1728. Both Bond and Hinmann give it as shown above.)

Children of John and Mary (Smith) Benjamin:

*460. Mary Benjamin bc. 1724, prob. at E. Hartford, Conn.
*461. Eunice Benjamin b. 1726 or 1728 at Stratford, Conn.
*462. Phillip Benjamin b. May 1729 at Stratford, Conn.
*463. John B. Benjamin Jr. b. August 28, 1731 at Stratford.
*464. George Benjamin b. February 28, 1733 at Stratford.
*465. Sarah Benjamin b. January 1736 at Stratford.
*466. Ann (Anna) Benjamin bc. 1738 at Stratford.

Resources: p. 26 Foote Hist. and Gen.; p. 332 Hist. and Gen. of Families of Old Fairfield, 1932; Brown, Foster, and Related Families, 1967; p. 1146 Hist. of Stratford, Orcutt, 1886; Wilson Papers; Records of Irving Benjamin of Pacific Grove, Calif; Vol. 29 Nat. Cyclopaedia Of Amer. Bio.; Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

186. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[4] (John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born May 30, 1708 at Hartford, Conn. (vr); the son of John and Hannah (Stow) Benjamin; died about 1797 at Stratford, Conn. He married March 22, 1731 Elizabeth Bostwick (Bostinck/Bostink) of New Milford, Conn. at Stratford, Conn. She was the dau. of Joseph and Ann (Buzz/Buss) Bostwick. There seems to be no data for her, but an Elizabeth Benjamin died Nov. 3, 1759, age 63, and is buried in the Manchester, Conn. Cemetery lot #1-104. (bc 1695/6.)

In the East Hartford, Conn. Town Records of November 10, 1773 Samuel Benjamin sold some land. His will is dated July 12, 1796 and was probated February 6, 1797 (Stratford Rec-

ords 3:204). It names Elnathan as executor and Hannah, Abigail, and Elnathan receive the whole estate.

He is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Stratford, Fairfield Co., Conn. with: 1-0-1.

Children of Samuel and Elizabeth (Bostwick) Benjamin:

*467. Hannah Benjamin bapt. January 1732/3 at the Congregational Church in Stratford, Conn.

468. Abigail Benjamin bapt. January 1754 at the Episcopal Church at Stratford, as an adult.

*469. Elnathan Benjamin bc. 1737/8 at Stratford, Conn.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Gen. of Puritans of Conn., Hinman, 1852; Hist.of Old Fairfield, Jacobus, 1932, Vol. 1 p. 93; p. 10 Hale, House, and Related Families, Jacobus, 1952; p. 1147 Hist.of Stratford, Conn., Orcutt; p. 254 Vol 29 Dau. of Pat. and Found. of Am.; Records of Mrs. Byron Janes of Storrs, Conn.

187. CALEB BENJAMIN[4] (John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born July 15, 1710 at Hartford, Conn. (vr FFS-57); the son of John and Hannah (Stow) Benjamin. His death date is unknown. He married October 25, 1733 at Hartford, Conn. (Private rec.) Dorothy Gaines (Gains).

Caleb's name first appears among the town records in 1768. In the East Hartford Town Hall records he sold land on January 12, 1754.

The Reverened Mr. James Wellman began preaching in Windsor, Conn. in 1745 and payment of his salary was given in bond by 9 citizens of Windsor, including Caleb Benjamin.

Children of Caleb and Dorothy (Gaines) Benjamin:

*470. Caleb Benjamin

471. Jonathan (John) Benjamin bp. August 28, 1736 at E. Hartford, Conn. (cr p. 23).

472. Dorothy Benjamin bp. April 22, 1739 at E. Hartford. (private rec. p. 20).

473. Daniel Benjamin bp. June 7, 1741 at E. Hartford; perhaps d. 1807 (E. Hartford vr 1-65).

474. Allen Benjamin bp. February 3, 1744 at E. Hartford, Conn. (private rec. p. 23).

Resources: p. 60 Hist. of East Hartford, Goodwin, 1856; p. 137 Desc. of Thomas Wellman of Lynn, Mass., Wellman, 1918; Conn. Church Records collected by Hale.

188. GIDEON BENJAMIN[4] (John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1712 at Hartford, Conn.; the son of John and Hannah (Stow) Benjamin; died after 1762. He married April 6, 1736 (Hartford private record p. 16) to Amy Spencer, dau. of Desborough[3] and Abigail (Elmer) Spencer. She was bapt. August 6, 1717 at East Hartford, Conn.

Gideon was 'Collector' November 25, 1756 at Hartford. (Conn. cr 1-110). "Ame" Benjamin was admitted to the church August 6, 1757. (E. Hartford cr 1-2).

Gideon was the executor of his father's estate and residuary legatee. On October 2, 1762 Gideon sold to 'his brother, John of Stratford' a certain home lot in E. Hartford. In the E. Hartford Town Hall records, on July 15, 1749 Gideon sold land; on April 5, 1749 John Benjamin sold land to Gideon; and on May 3, 1754 Gideon again sold land.

There is a possibility that Gideon was married twice, and that Amy was his second wife. (Since some of the children seem to have been born before 1736, that possibility would seem to have to be open.)

Children of Gideon and Amy (Spencer) Benjamin:

*475. Jonathan Benjamin bc. 1737 at E. Hartford, Conn.
476. Hannah Benjamin bp. May 21, 1738 at E. Hartford, Conn. (private rec. p. 18).
*477. Gideon Benjamin.
?478. Benoni Benjamin bc. 1740. (This is a possible placement.) There is a record of a m. of Benoni Benjamin to Naomi Burnham b. July 20, 1743, the dau. of Timothy and Naomi (Gilman) Burnham of E. Hartford.
*479. John Benjamin
*480. Elisha Benjamin bc. 1745 at E. Hartford.
*481. Amy Benjamin bc. 1747 at E. Hartford, Conn.

Resources: p. 10 Hale, House, and Related Families, Jacobus, 1952; Gen. of Puritans of Conn., Hinman; p. 60 Hist. of E. Hartford, Conn., Goodwin; Vol. 27 p. 174 American Genealogist; p. 113 Thomas Burnham Gen., Burnham, 1894; Conn. Church Records collected by Hale.

189. DAVID BENJAMIN^{4} (John^{3}, Caleb^{2}, John^{1}) born about 1716 at Hartford, Conn.; the son of John and Hannah (Stow) Benjamin. He died between June and Sept. 1749 at Hartford, Conn. He married May 1741 Ruth May Burnham, perhaps the dau. of Samuel and Ruth (---) Burnham. She m/2 Amaziah Ashman of Canaan, Conn. She may have m/3 --- Wood.

According to E. Hartford Town Hall Records, on December 15, 1746 John Benjamin sold land to David.

David's will was dated June 6, 1749 and probated Sept. 4, 1749 and the inventory was taken September 4, 1749 and his estate was valued at over 221 pounds. The widow Ruth was the executor and appointed guardian of the children on February 4, 1752. Ruth and Samuel Burnham of Hartford gave bonds for 1000 pounds. The children's names and ages were given in these records as : Samuel 7 years; David about 4 years; and Jonathan about 2 years.

The children, Samuel, David, and Jonathan were all mentioned in the will of their grandfather, John Benjamin. (Vol. 17 p. 3-5, 8-10).

On Dec. 1755 Jonathan Hills signed the following statement: "I, the subscriber, after 20 days of advertising being set up, did on the 26th day above, at the dwelling house of Russell Woodbridge, sell to the highest bidder about 20 rods of the land with part of the dwelling house, being in Hart-

ford, east side formerly belonging to David Benjamin for over 110 pounds to Gideon Benjamin of Hartford. Said land butted west and north on the land of Timothy Williams, east on the highway, and south on Gideon Benjamin's land".

On November 26, 1749 Mrs. Ruth Benjamin 'owned ye covenant' at E. Hartford Church. (cr Vol. 1 p. 11).

Children of David and Ruth (Burnham) Benjamin:

*482. Samuel Benjamin bc. 1742/3 at Hartford, Conn.
483. David Benjamin bc. 1745/6 at Hartford.
*484. Jonathan Benjamin bc. 1747/8 at Hartford, Conn.

Resources: Vol. 16 p. 327, Vol. 17 p. 60 Probate Court Record, Hartford, Conn.; Hist. of Watertown, Bond; Vol. 3 p.327 Early Conn, Probate Records; Wilson Papers; Records of Ronald K. Branch of Rutherford, N. J.; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church Records.

192. ABIGAIL BENJAMIN[4] (John[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born March 23, 1706/7 at Charlestown, Mass.; the dau.of John and Elizabeth (Carter Benjamin; bapt. as an adult at First Church of Charlestown on November 19, 1721; died after 1756. She m/1 James Remick (Rennick) (intentions) September 5, 1729 at Charlestown. He was the son of Jacob and Mary (---) Remick. He was born January 23, 1701 at Kittery and died about 1740, possibly lost at sea. She m/2 (published) April 20, 1751 Samuel Henshaw of Charlestown and Medford, the son of Thomas and Hannah (Cleveland) Henshaw. He was born March 13, 1688 at Wolburn, Mass. and died before 1756, probably at Medford, Mass. Abigail was nearly 20 years his junior.

James is said to have been a decorative painter and well skilled in that trade, but his deeds describe him as a ship carpenter. James was taxed at Charlestown in 1729, 1737, and 1742 and his tax abated in 1730, 1731, 1732, and is listed in 1740 as "dead". By the terms of his father's will he was to receive ten shillings. One hundred and forty gold pistoles were left in the hands of Isaac Johnson of his account in August 1745. Lt. Remick thought James was still alive in 1746, despite the above record, and further states that he seems to have disappeared from the family.

On Nov. 8, 1733 James "Remech" of Newbury, Ship Carpenter and wife Abigail Remick, the great grand dau. of Richard Foxwell, late of Scarborough, County of York, sold to William Pepperrell, Jr. of Kitterly lands and marsh which Richard Foxwell had in the Towns of Scarborough and Biddleford. On Nov. 30, 1739 William Windover and his wife Elizabeth, of Charlestown, Sadler, acknowledged a quit claim given by James and Abigail Remick to House and Land in the estate of their father, John Benjamin.

James Remick died intestate and before his estate was brought to Court, guardians were appointed for two of the children. January 29, 1749 Moses Herrington and William Butterfield, both of Cambridge, were appointed guardians for Benjamin and on Nov. 17, 1755 John Wyeth of Cambridge was

appointed for Abigail, age about 19 years.

Benjamin also died, and an account of his administration of his father's estate is noted in Middlesex Probate 18656. On March 27, 1755 David Remick, John Hall, and John Mullakin all of Haverhill, were appointed administrators of the estate of James Remick. The inventory was taken January 28, 1757 and amounted to over 404 pounds.

Samuel Henshaw was taxed at Charlestown from 1727 to 1737 and was living in Medford, Mass. in 1755, when he and his wife quit their rights as heirs to John Benjamin, to a lot of land in Rope Lane, etc. to James Bradish; and that Abigail Henshaw of Medford, widow of Samuel, conveyed her rights to a lot next to the above in 1756.

Children of James and Abigail (Benjamin) Remick:

485. Benjamin Remick b. April 28, 1731 (or b. Feb. 22, 1732) at Charlestown, Mass.; died unm. about 1752 at Cambridge, Mass. The inventory of his estate was taken March 5, 1753 with an amount of 122 pounds and no land. (Middlesex Probate, 18655).

486. David Remick b. February 22, 1732/3; m. Susanna Whittier. He was a glazier and painter and resided at Charlestown and Haverhill.

487. Joseph Remick b. September 25, 1734; prob. d. young.

488. Abigail Remick b. October 20, 1736; m. at Cambridge, Mass. August 1, 1765 Edward Maylem (Maylern/Maylin/etc.) of Boston, perhaps the son of John and Anne (---) Maylem.

Resources: p. 59 Gen. of Cleveland Fam., Cleveland, 1891; Boston Transcript Feb. 1, 1815; p. 28 and 47 Remick Gen., Winifred Holman, 1933.

193. JOSHUA BENJAMIN[4] (Joshua[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born August 22, 1725 at Charlestown, Mass.; the son of Joshua and Abigail (Phipps Benjamin; bapt. August 29, 1725 at the First Church of Charlestown. There is no record of a marriage or death, and the list of children below is purely a guess!

Children of Joshua Benjamin:

*?489. John Benjamin.

*?490. Charles Benjamin bc. 1756-68.

?491. Andrew Benjamin.

196. JOHN BENJAMIN[4] (Joshua[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born September 6, 1731 or 1732 at Charlestown, Mass.; the son of Joshua and Abigail (Phipps) Benjamin; bapt. September 10, 1731 at the First Church of Charlestown. He married November 19, 1753 Margaret Phipps of Cambridge, Mass. (Boston vr).

On January 1 and June 4, 1762 James Babcock of East Greenwich, R.I. bought from "Jonathan" Benjamin of E. Greenwich for 1200 pounds, 60 acres of land with dwelling, fences, ways, wood, and water rights in Exeter and West Greenwich. In this deed he is also called "John" Benjamin. On April 19

1796 Jonathan Benjamin sells to David and Thomas B. Benjamin for 600 silver dollars, 60 acres of land in East and West Greenwich.

Jonathan is in the 1774 Exeter, R.I. Census with 2 males over 16, 1 male under 16, 1 female over 16, and 2 females under 16. In the 1790 Federal Census he is listed for Exeter, R.I. and had 1-1-2.

In 1755 he bought one-fourth of a house from Ebenezer Welch and wife Abigail. He also shared in E. Austin's estate. Margaret Benjamin became a member of the Baptist Church in Exeter in October 1777.

Children of John and Margaret (Phipps) Benjamin:

*492. David Benjamin b. before 1755.
*493. Samuel Benjamin bc. 1756.
*494. Thomas Benjamin bc. 1760.
*495. Silas Benjamin b. 1760-70.
496. Margaret Benjamin; m. July 2, 1764 Anthony DeCost. (Boston vr). This may be the second marriage of her mother, and not the record of a dau!
497. Ann Benjamin; m. --- Dexter.
*498. Mary Benjamin; m/1 James Sweet; m/2 --- Spencer; m/3 --- Place.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Records found in deed in Rhode Island by Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.; p. 162 1774 Census of R. I., Bartlett, 1858.

Chapter 6

GENERATION V - JOHN LINE

202. LYDIA BENJAMIN[5] (Daniel[4-3], John[2-1]) born October 25, 1722 at Weston, Mass. (vr); the dau. of Daniel and Mary (Bond) Benjamin. She married July 26, 1743 at Waltham, Mass. (vr) Thaddeus Ward of Waltham. He was the son of Caleb and Sarah (---) Ward and was born June 5, 1720/1 at Newton, Mass. and died November 19, 1770 at Waltham, Mass.

Children of Thaddeus and Lydia (Benjamin) Ward:

*499. Benjamin Ward b. June 4, 1744. He m. Mehitable Benjamin. (For his carry down, see #229.)
500. Thaddeus Ward Jr. b. November 5, 1745 at Waltham.
501. Sarah Ward bp. March 29, 1747.
502. Caleb Ward bp. November 27, 1748; m. Rebecca Foster of Ashburnham, Mass., the dau. of Jeremiah Foster.
503. Infant; died December 10, 1752.
504. Samuel Ward bp. October 27, 1754.
505. William Ward; d. June 4, 1757.

Resources: p. 619 Hist. of Watertown, Bond; Boston Transcript August 9, 1909.

205. MARY BENJAMIN[5] (Daniel[4-3], John[2-1]) with a birth record of January 21, 1730, though there is also a bapt. record at Waltham (vr) for January 30, 1726. She is the dau. of Daniel and Mary (Bond) Benjamin. She married March 10, 1747 at Waltham (vr) Jonas Gale, the son of John and Lydia (Benjamin) Gale. He was born September 23, 1724 at Watertown, Mass.

He married the dau. of his guardian, and soon after removed to Worcester, where he practiced the trade of jeweler until 1768, when he removed to Holden, where he died. His tombstone is still standing by his grave. Jonas served in the campaign for the relief of Fort William Henry in August 1757, but do not find his name among the soldiers of the Revolutionary War. His will was dated Sept. 30, 1784, only the day before his death, in which he gives: first to wife Mary, the use of the real and personal estate until the children become of age, if she remained a widow. Otherwise, only one third of the use. Secondly, to son Joshua 5 shillings in addition to what he had received; third, to dau. Mary £6 13s. 4d. in addition as aforesaid; fourth, to son Jonas, the jeweller's shop and £ 47 3s. 7d. in addition to aforesaid money to other children. All the legacies to be paid when son Oliver arrives at 21 years of age. The will

was proved October 5, 1784 and wife Mary and son Jonas were appointed executors and the inventory appraised the estate at the amount of £640 1s 10d.

Children of Jonas and Mary (Benjamin) Gale:
507. Joshua Gale b. May 28, 1750; m. Mrs. Molly Hubbard.
508. Mary Gale b. November 6, 1752; m. June 1, 1780 William Parker.
509. Jonas Gale b. December 15, 1754.
510. Sarah Gale b. July 29, 1759; m. November 21, 1780 Paul Raymond Jr. of Holden, Mass.
511. Isaac Gale b. November 30m 1761; m. Susannah Moore.
512. Abel Gale b. April 17, 1764.
513. Lydia Gale b. January 20, 1767; m. March 7, 1786 Solomon Smith of Holden, Mass.
514. Susanna Gale b. April 30, 1769; m. March 20, 1792 Ebenezer Wellington of Boylston.
515. Oliver Gale b. May 30, 1771; m. 1795 Esther Wellington of Worchester.

Resources: p. 56 Gale Family Record, George Gale, 1866.

208. ELIZABETH BENJAMIN[5] (Jonathan[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born January 10, 1715/6 at Watertown, Mass. (vr Vol. I); the dau. of Jonathan and Annabelle (Eve) Benjamin; died about 1747. She married September 22, 1742 at Weston, Mass. (vr) Peter Norcross, son of Richard and Hannah (Saunders) Norcross Jr. He was born September 28, 1710 at Weston, Mass. and died 1777 at Mendon, Mass. He may have m/2 Joannah (Hannah) Morse, dau. of Nathaniel Morse.

There is a deed (Worcester Co., Mass. Vol. 80:372-3) mentioning Peter and wife Joanna and children: Mary, wife of David Ward, and Hannah. The deed is dated 1778.

(Note: Hist. of Watertown, Mass. by Bond lists Elizabeth as the dau. of Samuel and Mary (---) Benjamin.)

Children of Peter and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Norcross:
516. Benjamin Norcross b. 1747; d. December 8, 1807, age 60 years. (Cong. cr at Medford, Mass.)
517. Daniel Norcross b. October 9, 1748 at Mendon, Mass (vr

Resources: Manuscript by Joel Norcorss at N. E. Gen. and Hist. Society; Hist. of Milford, Ballou; Records of Mrs. Virginia Toner of Lodi, N.J.; Town of Weston Vital Records.

209. MERCY (MARY) BENJAMIN[5] (Jonathan[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born either October 8, 1714 or December 12, 1717 at Watertown, Mass. (vr Vol. I); the dau.of Jonathan and Annabelle (Eve) Benjamin. She married November 23, 1738 at Watertown Nathan Monroe of Concord and Carlise, Mass.; the son of Joseph and Elizabeth (---) Monroe. He was born September 11, 1716 at Lexington, Mass.

Children of Nathan and Mercy (Benjamin) Monroe:
518. Mercy Monroe b. October 16, 1740 at Billerica, Mass.

519. Nathaniel Monroe b. December 24, 1742.
520. Grace Monroe b. March 24, 1745.
521. Amos Monroe b. May 31, 1747.
522. Jonathan Monroe b. August 16, 1749.
523. Hepzibah Monroe b. August 3, 1751.
524. Stephen Monroe, a twin, b. August 3, 1751.
525. Solomon Monroe b. September 13, 1753.
526. Aaron Monroe b. September 14, 1755.
527. Nathan Benjamin Monroe b. July 1759 at Billerica; bp. May 31, 1760; m. May 28, 1781/2 to Lucy Barrett b. 1761 in Mass.
528. Isiah Monroe b. July 19, 1763 at Billerica, Mass.

Resources: p. 81 Hist. and Gen. of Lexington Munroes, Richared S. Munroe; Boston Transcript May 27, 1931; Wilson Paper

210. ANNABELLE BENJAMIN[5] (Jonathan[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born March 11, 1720/1 at Watertown, Mass. (vr Vol. I); the dau. of Jonathan and Annabelle (Eve) Benjamin. She married May 24, 1739 at Watertown or Waltham (rec. in both places) to Ebenezer Wellington, son of John and Hannah (Morse) Wellington. He was bapt. September 14, 1718 at Watertown, Mass.
They settled at Worcester, Mass.

Children of Ebenezer and Annabelle (Benjamin) Wellington:
529. John Wellington b. April 1, 1741 at Worcester; m. June 2, 1763 Priscilla Heard of Holden, Mass.
530. Sarah Wellington b. May 26, 1743.
531. Annabelle Wellington b. November 12, 1745.
*532. Ebenezer Wellington bp. May 8, 1748.
533. Mindwell Wellington b. July 22, 1750.
*534. Daniel Wellington b. April 24, 1753.
535. Hannah Wellington bp. November 2, 1755.
536. David Wellington bp. July 16, 1758; d. intestate 1793; m. Worcester Dec. 23, 1782 Patty Crawford and had issue: William b. 1784; Benjamin b. 1786; and Sarah b. 1792.
537. Mary Wellington bp. November 8, 1761 at Worcester; m. Alvin Howe of Shrewsbury, Mass.

Resources: Hist. of Worcester and It's People, Nutt, 1919 via Charles Dechand of Bloomfield, Conn.; Records of Mrs. John Yoder of Gettysburg, Pa.; Hartford Times March 27, 1948; Boston Transcript June 15,1931.

214. DANIEL BENJAMIN[5] (Jonathan[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born June 1, 1731 at Watertown, Mass.; the son of Jonathan Sr. and Annabelle (Eve) Benjamin. He was bapt. June 6, 1731 at Watertown (vr Vol. II) and married April 13, 1756 at Roxbury, Mass. to Mary Phillips. It is possible that he might have married second Elizabeth Chipman (Chisman on intentions) (Boston vr) on April 24, 1800, since there is no known data for Mary.
After his father's death, Daniel was brought up by his

sister and her husband, Ebenezer Wellington.

Children of Daniel and Mary (Phillips) Benjamin:

*538. Daniel Benjamin bp. July 3, 1757 at Roxbury, Mass.(vr).

539. Elizabeth Gleason Benjamin bp. July 30, 1758 at Roxbury, Mass. (vr).

540. Mary Benjamin bp. May 27, 1759 at Roxbury, Mass. (vr); probably died young.

541. Sarah Benjamin bp. July 13, 1760 at Roxbury. (vr).

542. Mary Benjamin bp. September 5, 1762 at Roxbury. (vr).

543. Susanna Benjamin bp. January 6, 1765 at Roxbury, Mass. (vr); m. (intentions) in 1820 to Ebenezer Weld, Jr. at Roxbury. In Beacon Hill by Allen Chamberlain p. 233-4, mention is made that Susan Benjamin, later Mrs. Ebenezer Weld was assessed in 1801 for a neat new house and 'side rope walk; at #21 Pickney St. This was later sold to William Whitwell in 1824 and remodeled by him.

544. Mindwell Benjamin bp. February 15, 1767 at Roxbury, Mass. (vr).

Resources: Wilson Papers; Watertown Vital Records; Roxbury, Mass. Vital Records.

215. MARY BENJAMIN[5] (Jonathan[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) bapt. February 16, 1734/5 at Watertown, Mass. (vr Vol. I); the dau. of Jonathan and Hannah (Bond) Benjamin; married February 26, 1756 at Waltham, Mass. to Jonas Hastings. He was the son of Joseph and Lydia (Brown) Hastings, and was born September 15, 1729 at Waltham and died about 1771 at Waltham, Mass.

(Note: In Bond's Hist. of Watertown, Mary Benjamin, wife of Jonas Hastings, is listed as the dau. of Samuel. In the Probate Court Records of Samuel Benjamin, his dau. Mary is mentioned as the wife of John Whitney. (Vol. 30 p. 317 of Middlesex Co., Cambridge Records.)

Children of Jonas and Mary (Benjamin) Hastings:

545. Mary Hasting b. April 22, 1757 at Waltham, Mass.

546. Jonas Hastings b. August 22, 1759; died young.

547. Jonas Hastings b. July 15, 1762 at Waltham, Mass.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Waltham, Mass. Vital Records; Records of Mrs. James R. McNamara of Fremont, Calif.

216. WILLIAM BENJAMIN[5] (Jonathan[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born January/June 16, 1738 at Watertown, Mass. (DAR records say b. 1737); the son of Jonathan and Hannah (Bond) Benjamin; bapt. January 18, 1738 at Watertown; and died December 1816 at Windsor, Vermont. He m/1 Sarah Child on January 2, 1760 at Waltham, Mass. (vr), the dau. of Daniel and Mary (Bright) Child. She was born August 11, 1740 at Waltham. He m/2 Dianah Cram (date unknown), dau. of Humphrey and Hannah (---) Cram, who was born December 10, 1737 at Windham, Conn. and died October 31, 1821 at Hartland, Vermont, age 84 (gs) and is buried in the Ralph-Walker Cemetery in S. Woodstock, Vermont.

William may also be buried in the South Woodstock Cemetery without a head stone, since there are several empty spaces in the plot. Dinah had m/1 Thomas Parke Rood of Norwich, Vt. He was the son of David and Joanna (Parke) Rood and was born in 1732 and died October 10, 1795/6.

William moved to Ashburnham, Mass. soon after his first marriage. In 1771 he was on the "Grand List" (Boston Archives) and was listed as having 1 horse, 1 mare, 2 cows, 7 sheep, 2 pigs, 2 acres pasturage, 2 acres tillage, and 4 acres of English and upland hay.

William and two sons served in the Revolutionnary War. William was a private in Capt. Deliverance Dan's Co., Col. Asa Whitcomb's Regt. He marched April 19, 1775 and April 22, 1775 to respond to an alarm and served six days.

He was made deer reve at the first town meeting of Ashburnham and was a Selectman in 1778. He is one of the earliest choristers on record, and led the choir for several years.

He bought land in South Woodstock, Vermont about 1783 and moved his family there in 1785. He was on the "Grand List" in Woodstock in 1787, with land valuded at 29 pounds. He moved to Berlin, Vermont in 1793 and sold his land in S. Woodstock in 1795. Both Asa and Levi lived in Reading-Windsor, and William may have died at their home.

He is located in the 1790 Federal Census in the home of Abijah Capen in Windsor, Vermont, a son-in-law.

Dinah and her first husband traveled from Conn. to Vt. by canoe.

Children of William and Sarah (Child) Benjamin:

*548. Jonathan Benjamin b. July 30, 1760 at Ashburnham, Mass. (vr).
*549. Jonas Benjamin b. May 5, 1762 at Ashburnham. (vr).
*550. William Benjamin b. August 1, 1764 at Ashburnham. (vr).
*551. Sarah Benjamin b. August 2, 1766 at Ashburnham. (vr).
*552. Josiah Benjamin b. June 19, 1769 at Ashburnham. (vr).
553. Lucy Benjamin b. July 7, 1771 at Ashburnham; m/1 Nathaniel Moulton of Windsor, Vt. and hd no issue. She m/2 Charles Kendall.
*554. Mary (Molly/Polly) Benjamin b. July 11, 1773 at Ashburnham.
*555. Hannah Benjamin b. August 7, 1775 at Ashburnham.
*556. Levi Benjamin b. September 7, 1777 at Ashburnham.
*557. Asa Benjamin b. July 28, 1782 at Ashburnham.

Resources: Hist. of Ashburnham, Stearns; Hist. of Watertown, Bond; Waltham, Mass. Vital Records; p. 943 Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in War of Rev.; Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass. and I. E. Bishop of Homewood, Ill. and Marion Harris of Sudbury, Mass.; Boston Transcript March 6, 1933.

224. MARY BENJAMIN[5] (Samuel[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born February 16, 1734/5 at Watertown, Mass. (vr Vol. I); the dau. of Samuel

and Mary (Hammond) Benjamin; married either May 3, 1753 (prob. date of intentions) or July 4, 1753 at Waltham, Mass. (vr) to John Whitney, son of Elnathan and Sarah (Perry) Whitney. He was born March 3, 1730.

John Whitney served in the Watertown Company in the Revolutionary War.

(Note: Both Dr. Wilson and Bond have placed this Mary as the dau. of Jonathan. See #215.)

In Probate Court Records (Middlesex Co., Cambridge, Vol. 30 p. 317) shows receipts relinquishing property to Samuel Benjamin from John and Mary Whitney, Joseph and Elizabeth Willson, Josiah and Ann Morse, and Jonas and Lydia Mills.

Children of John and Mary (Benjamin) Whitney:
558. Jonathan Whitney bp. March 21, 1755 at Watertown, Mass.
559. Samuel Whitney bp. June 6, 1756.
560. John Whitney Jr. bp. February 5, 1758 at Watertown.

Resources: Wilson Papers; p. 647 Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond; p. 53 Desc.of John Whitney, Pierce, 1895.

225.SAMUEL BENJAMIN^{5} (Samuel^{4}, Daniel^{3}, John$^{2-1}$) born August 7, 1737 at Watertown, Mass.; bapt. August 14, 1737 at Watertown, (vr); the son of Samuel and Mary (Hammond) Benjamin. He died September 26, 1829, age 94, at Watertown. He married Martha Cook of Watertown, the dau. of Stephen Cooke. There is no data on her.

On September 15, 1771 Samuel Benjamin of Watertown paid 100 pounds to clear the mortgage on property of his father. This was paid to Daniel McCarty of Boston and Mary, his mother, released her dower rights on this property. On December 18, 1788 Samuel was paid 3 shillings for his labor on the Great Bridge and on May 5, 1788 was paid 4 pounds 2 shillings for boarding his Sister Wilson, by the town.

On March 1, 1790 he was elected Tythingman at a public meeting of the Town of Watertown.

Stephen Cooke of Watertown made a will on August 14, 1757 and in dispursments of the estate named his eldest dau. Martha, wife of Samuel Benjamin.

Samuel was a Sergeant in Capt. Craft's Co., Lt. Col. William Bond's 37th Regt. in the Revolutionary War in July and November 1775. On Nov. 1776 he was listed as a Sergeant with Capt. Daniel Whiting's Co., Col. Asa Whitcomb's Regt., which was mustered at Ticonderoga.

A Samuel Benjamin Jr. was listed as a private in Capt. Samuel Barnard's Co., Col. Thomas Gardner's Regt. in April 1775 for 3 days service. It is difficult to discern which Samuel Benjamin of Watertown these records are for, but your compilier feels they apply here.

In the 1790 Census for Watertown, Mass. Samuel Benjamin is listed with 2-0-1.

Children of Samuel and Martha (Cooke) Benjamin:
*561. Samuel Benjamin bc. 1761 at Watertown, Mass.

Resources: p. 942 Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in War. of the Rev.; Boston Transcript July 1, 1925; Index of Obits in Mass Centinel 1794-1840, 1961; Wilson Papers.

228.CATHERINE (CATEE) BENJAMIN[5] (Samuel[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born March 6, 1745 at Watertown, Mass.; the dau. of Samuel and Mary (Hammond) Benjamin; bapt. March 24, 1744/5 at Watertown (vr), died February 12, 1818 at East Jaffery, New Hampshire. She married James Cutter (Cutting) on June 10/13, 1768 at Waltham, Mass. (vr). He was the son of Gershom and Anna (Fillebrown) Cutter, born March 27, 1742 and died April 13, 1790 at E. Jaffery. They are both buried at E. Jaffery Center, N.H. (Note: Abbott Gen. says his mother was Mehitable Abbott.)

James was a miller. They were dismissed from the church in Waltham to a church in Rindge, N.H. on Oct. 18, 1778, and afterwards were residents of E. Jaffery, N.H.

Children of James and Catherine (Benjamin) Cutter:
562. Catherine Cutter bp. July 24, 1769 at Waltham, Mass.
563. Polly Cutter bp. May 3, 1772 at Waltham; d. February 28, 1773 at Waltham, Mass.
564. James Cutter Jr. bp. May 27, 1776 at Waltham, Mass.

Resources: p. 41-2 Desc. of George Abbott, Abbott, 1906; Hist. of the Cutter Fam. of N.E., Cutter, 1871; p. 28, 191 Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

229.MEHITABLE BENJAMIN[5] (Samuel[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born August 28, 1748 at Watertown, Mass.; the dau. of Samuel and Mary (Hammond) Benjamin; bapt. September 11, 1748 at Waltham. She married Benjamin Ward of Waltham on December 3, 1767 at Watertown (vr. Also Waltham vr). He was the son of Thaddeus and Lydia (Benjamin) Ward and was born June 4, 1744 at Waltham and bp. September 11, 1748 at Watertown, Mass.

Benjamin Ward lived with his grandfather, Daniel Benjamin, and settled Daniel's estate. He sold the real and personal estate to Samuel Livermore, the highest bidder.

Benjamin and Mehitable were cousins.

Children of Benjamin and Mehitable (Benjamin) Ward:
566. Daniel Ward b. March 7, 1768 at Waltham, Mass.
567. Lydia Ward b. July 29, 1772 at Waltham.
568. Benjamin Ward Jr. bp. June 10, 1774 at Waltham.

Resources: p. 29, 619 Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

230.WILLIAM BOND[5] (Elizabeth[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born December 20, 1738 at Weston, Mass.; the son of William and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Bond; died February 2, 1781. He married Mary Stratton on July 9, 1761. She was born December 20, 1742 and died November 11, 1832. She m/2 Bezaleel Flagg on October 2, 1781. He died August 19, 1806 and was "of Waltham, Mass." He had m/1 Mary Headley in 1754.

When William's father died, his half brother, Benjamin

Bond was made his guardian.

Children of William and Mary (Stratton) Bond:
*569. Elizabeth Bond b. October 3, 1762 at Weston, Mass.
*570. Rhoda Bond b. November 14, 1765 at Weston.
*571. Anna Bond b. June 30, 1768 at Waltham, Mass.

Children of Bezaleel and Mary (Stratton Bond) Flagg:
Amos Flagg.
(Note: Bezaleel Flagg had 7 children by his first wife.)

Resources: p. 51, 595 Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

233. JONAS GALE[5] (Lydia[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born September 23, 1724 at Watertown, Mass.; the son of John and Lydia (Benjamin) Gale. For his carry down, see #205.

240. DAVID SANGER[5] (Patience[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born May 23, 1727 at Watertown, Mass.; the son of David and Patience (Benjamin) Sanger. He married February 20, 1755 Lucy Learned who was born July 15, 1735 at Watertown, Mass.

Children of David and Lucy (Learned) Sanger:
572. David Sanger b. February 15, 1756 at Watertown, Mass.; m. 1788 Grace Sanger.
573. Thomas Sanger b. January 8, 1758.
574. Nathaniel Sanger b. May 13, 1760.
575. Benjamin Sanger b. February 23, 1762.
576. Lucy Sanger b. April 15, 1764; m. December 6, 1783 Ebenezer Kent.
577. Seth Sanger b. December 29, 1765.
578. Jesse Sanger b. February 4, 1768.
579. Joseph Sanger b. June 16, 1770.

Resources: p. 336, 422 Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

242. WILLIAM SANGER[5] (Patience[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born January 20, 1730/1 at Watertown, Mass.; the son of David and Patience (Benjamin) Sanger; died April 21, 1798. He married July 24, 1755 Abigail Jennison, the dau. of Samuel and Abigail (Holden) Jennison. She was born October 7, 1736 and died August 22, 1813.

Children of William and Abigail (Jennison) Sanger:
580. John Sanger b. May 6, 1756; m. Amy Trask.
581. Abigail Sanger b. February 2, 1758; m. October 19, 1777 Cornelius Park of Boston, Mass.
582. Lydia Sanger b. September 21, 1760; d. 1846, age 86 yr
583. William Sanger b. April 11, 1763; died young.
584. Mary Sanger; m. October 29, 1783 David E. Morton.
585. William Sanger bp. June 22, 1766; resided at Templeton Mass.
586. Richard Sanger b. November 17, 1768; m. October 12, 1791 Elizabeth Sanger, a cousin, dau. of Samuel and Grace (Harrington) Sanger. (See #595.)
587. Abraham Sanger b. March 31, 1772; m. Caherine Goodhue

588. Aaron Sanger b. November 26, 1774; d. 1847; m. July 12, 1801 Abigail Jackson.

Resources: p. 422 Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

243. NATHANIEL SANGER[5] (Patience[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born November 1773 at Watertown, Mass.; the son of David and Patience (Benjamin) Sanger. In 1761 he married Anna Russell.

Children of Nathaniel and Anna (Russell) Sanger:
589. Catherine Sanger b. April 1762.
590. Spencer Sanger b. March 10, 1764 at Watertown, Mass.

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

244. SAMUEL SANGER[5] (Patience[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born June 1, 1736 at Watertown, Mass.; the son of David and Patience (Benjamin) Sanger; died October 27, 1775 at Watertown. He married August 24, 1758 Grace Harrington , who was born February 23, 1739/40.

Children of Samuel and Grace (Harrington) Sanger:
591. Lydia Sanger b. January 8, 1759; died young.
592. Samuel Sanger b. February 11, 1761.
593. Grace Sanger b. January 20, 1763; m. August 17, 1783 Josiah Learned, who was b. July 25, 1760.
594. Anna Sanger b. February 12, 1769; m. October 16, 1785 Paul Learned.
595. Elizabeth Sanger b. April 3, 1771; m. October 2, 1791 Richard Sanger, a cousin. (See #586).
596. Daniel Sanger b. March 12, 1773; m/1 1790 Sally Jones; m/2 Widow Fuller; m/3 Emma Carter.

Resources: p. 335, 423 Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

248. LYDIA BALL[5] (Mary[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born August 6, 1730 at Waltham, Mass.; the dau. of John and Mary (Benjamin) Ball. She married June 4, 1752 Josiah Hastings, son of Joseph and Lydia (Brown) Hastings, who was born February 22, 1727/8.
Josiah Hastings was a Selectman of Waltham in 1776 and 1777.

Children of Josiah and Lydia (Ball) Hastings:
597. Lydia Hastings b. 1753; d. 1754.
598. Lydia Hastings b. July 7, 1755; d. August 24, 1755.
599. Susanna Hastings b. Januar 6, 1758; d. December 14, 1784; m. April 4, 1782 Jonas Viles (Vilas/Viale/Vyall) of Waltham. He was born July 3, 1746 at Waltham, d. Oct. 8, 1799. He m/2 Irene Hastings on May 24, 1787. (See #601).
600. Josiah Hastings b. April 4, 1760; m/1 March 4, 1784 Mary Flagg; m/2 Susan Flagg, widow of John Adams. He died June 30, 1843 and was the Captain Josiah Hastings of Weston. He had 9 children with his first wife and 7 with his second.
601. Irene Hastings b. August 4, 1762; m. May 24, 1787

Jonas Viles, widower of her sister Susanna; had 5 children.

602. Samuel Hastings b. June 27, 1765; d. September 29, 1803; m. June 13, 1795 Abigail Sterns. She m/2 Deacon Thomas Bigelow of Weston. Samuel was a farmer at Weston.
603. Isaac Hastings b. October 12, 1768.
604. Elijah Hastings b. December 28, 1771.
605. Sally Hastings b. June 15, 1775; m. 1803 Ebenezer Chinery, who was b. January 23, 1765.

Resource: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

256. ELIZABETH BALL[5] (Mary[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born May 22, 1742 at Waltham, Mass.; the dau. of John and Mary (Benjamin) Ball; died before December 1787. She married June 7, 1757 Col. Samuel Lamson, son of John and Abigail (---) Lamson. He was bp. September 19, 1736 and he m/2 December 6, 1787 Elizabeth Sanderson, who in turn m/2 March 27, 1803 Samuel Wellington.

Children of Col. Samuel and Elizabeth (Ball) Lamson:

606. Sarah Lamson b. October 10, 1760 at Watertown.
607. Samuel Lamson b. January 14, 1763; m. intentions pub. April 9, 1785 to Miriam Stratton of Newton, Mass.
608. Isaac Lamson b. July 7, 1765; m. Dec. 23, 1788 Abigail Fiske, dau. of Jonathan and Abigail (Fiske) Fiske. She was b. April 4, 1769, d. Feb. 19, 1844; m/2 July 1, 1801 Deacon Isaac Warren of Charlestown, Mass.
609. Elizabeth Lamson b. February 9, 1768.
610. Lydia Lamson b. July 22, 1771.
611. Anne Lamson b. October 2, 1775; m. March 6, 1799 Francis Child of Dedham, Mass.
612. Elijah Lamson b. January 13, 1780 at Watertown; m. Oct. 2, 1806 Sally Mason Pierce, dau. of Isaac and Hannah (Mason) Pierce b. Nov. 6, 1785. She m/2 --- Brown of Newton, Mass.

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

257. SARAH BALL[5] (Mary[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born April 22, 1747 at Waltham, Mass.; the dau. of John and Mary (Benjamin) Ball; died April 28, 1768. She married October 21, 1762 Nathan Smith, son of Bradyl and Mary (Hagar) Smith. He was born December 7, 1742 and died February 1825. He m/2 December 22, 1768 Sarah Reed of Lunenberg. (See #619).

Children of Nathan and Sarah (Ball) Smith:

613. Sally Smith b. December 11, 1763.
614. Bradyl Smith b. January 16, 1766; m. February 3, 1789 Lois Garfield, b. March 13, 1768, the dau. of Joshua and Ruth (Hammond) Garfield.
615. Abigail Smith b. February 17, 1768; d. August 1770.

Children of Nathan and Sarah (Reed) Smith:
Nathan Smith b. July 26, 1769.
Faith Smith b. May 7, 1771.

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

259. MARY HAGAR[5] (William[4], Sarah[3], John[2-1]) bapt. December 26, 1714 at Waltham, Mass.; the dau. of William and Mary (Flagg) Hagar; died October 13, 1760. She married April 6, 1737 Bradyl Smith of Weston, son of William and Mary (---) Smith. He was born December 20, 1715 and m/2 February 23, 1763 Mrs. Sarah White of Medford, Mass., who died November 5, 1765. He m/3 September 6, 1766 Ruth Flint, widow of Ephraim Flint of Lincoln, Mass.

Children of Bradyl and Mary (Hagar) Smith:
616. Beulah Smith b. December 26, 1736 at Weston; d. May 15, 1738.
617. Beulah Smith b. May 19, 1738 at Weston; d. June 29, 1739.
618. Bradyl Smith b. February 7, 1739/40; d. Oct. 3, 1742.
619. Nathan Smith b. December 7, 1742; m. 1762 Sarah Ball, dau. of John and Mary (Benjamin) Ball. (see above #257 for carry down.)
620. Bradyl Smith b. January 7, 1744/5; d. Dec. 19, 1748.
621. Simeon Smith b. April 7, 1746; m. Dorothy ---.
622. Abigail Smith b. March 17,1748; d. April 23, 1762.
623. Mary Smith b. September 3, 1749; m. February 23, 1774 Jonathan Fiske of Athol, Mass.

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

260. WILLIAM HAGAR[5] (William[4], Sarah[3], John[2-1]) bapt. November 7, 1717 at Waltham, Mass.; the son of William and Mary (Flagg) Hagar. He married January 17, 1753 Mary Warren, dau. of Jonathan and Sarah (Whitney) Warren of Weston. She was born August 17, 1723.

Children of William and Mary (Warren) Hagar:
624. Sarah Hagar b. October 31, 1753; m. July 27, 1777 at Shrewsbury to Timothy Fay Jr. of Northboro.
625. Abraham Hagar b. March 11, 1755; m. 1781 Dolly Newton, dau. of Charles Newton, b. 1766, d. Feb. 11, 1786. Abrahm m/2 Dec. 26, 1786 Thankful Newton, dau. of Elisha Newton.
626. Hannah Hagar b. August 31, 1756; m. Sept. 12, 1786 James Alexander at Shrewsbury. (Note: Bond has some question about this m.)
627. Eunice Hagar b.January 5, 1757; m. 1781 Zachariah Sawtel of Northboro. (Note: Bond has some uncertainty about this m.)
628. Benjamin Hagar b. August 31, 1758.
629. Mara Hagar b. December 2, 1761; m. 1785 at Shrewsbury Moses Fay of Bennington, Vt. (Note: Some question about this m. also.)

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

262. GRACE HAGAR[5] (William[4], Sarah[3], John[2-1]) bapt. June 16, 1723 at Waltham, Mass.; the dau. of William and Mary (Flagg) Hagar. She married January 13, 1747 Josiah Adams, son of George and Judith (---) Adams of Cambridge Farms and Watertown. George Adams was a doctor. Josiah was born June 13, 1719 at Weston and died about 1771/2.

Children of Josiah and Grace (Hagar) Adams:

630. William Adams b. October 4, 1747; m. Dec. 8, 1768 Hannah Stratton. They had a dau. Sally Adams b. Aug. 16, 1769 at Weston, Mass.
631. Joel Adams b. April 1, 1749; m. April 24, 1772 Lucy Whitney at Lincoln, Mass.
632. Elijah Adams b. March 31, 1751 at Mendon, Mass.; d. Sept. 1751 at Weston, Mass.
633. Judith Adams b. January 2, 1754 at Weston; d. June 8, 1772 at Lincoln, Mass.
634. Josiah Adams b. September 12, 1755 at Lincoln; m. Sept. 19, 1785 at Braintree, Mass., Esther Wesson of Lincoln, Mass. (Note: Bond found that there was a Josiah Adams of Braintree, who m. Esther Wesson and he felt he was a son of Josiah.)

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

263. SARAH HAGAR[5] (William[4], Sarah[3], John[2-1]) bapt. October 13, 1723 at Waltham, Mass.; the dau. of William and Mary (Flagg Hagar. She married June 21, 1745 Elisha Fulham, son of Jacob and Tabitha (Whitney) Fulham, who was born June 26, 1725, a month after his father was killed by Indians.

Children of Elisha and Sarah (Hagar) Fulham:

635. Tabitha Fulham b. March 10, 1745/6; m. July 11, 1764 Josiah Coolidge at Weston (vr). He was born July 1744.
636. Sarah Fulham b. January 9, 1747/8; d. June 7, 1765 at Lancaster, Mass.
637. Lucy Fulham b. September 26, 1754.
638. Mary Fulham b. February 4, 1757.
639. Martha Fulham, a twin, b. February 4, 1757.

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bnnd.

264. ABIGAIL HAGAR[5] (William[4], Sarah[3], John[2-1]) born August 11, 1724/5 at Waltham, Mass.; the dau. of William and Mary (Flagg) Hagar; died January 17, 1824. She married March 30, 1749 (or 1747) Jason Livermore, son of Josiah and Thankful (Harrington) Livermore. He was born December 1, 1726 and died October 14, 1797.

Children of Jason and Abigail (Hagar) Livermore:

640. Jason Livermore b. April 28, 1750; d. April 1, 1816; m. Mary Jackson; they had a dau. Martha Livermore

bp. in Shrewsbury Sept. 8, 1782.

641. William Livermore b. January 20, 1752; d. April 1806; m. Mary Bigelow.

642. Abigail Livermore b. June 1754; d. 1756.

643. Abigail Livermore b. January 21, 1758; d. May 1833; m. Silas Livermore.

644. Josiah Livermore b. May 20, 1760; d. Feb. 1841; m. Rebecca Worcester.

645. Bradyl Livermore b. October 4, 1763 at Weston, Mass.; d. Sept. 24, 1845 at Paxton; m. May 2, 1785 Mary Flint, dau. of John and Mary (---) Flint, b. Oct. 16, 1766. Bradyl was a Justice of the Peace at Paxton.

Resources; Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

265. DANIEL HAGAR[5] (William[4], Sarah[3], John[2-1]) bapt. October 23, 1726 at Waltham, Mass.; the son of William and Mary (Flagg) Hagar; died May 13, 1775 at Lincoln, Mass. He married September 12, 1750 Sarah Travers of Framingham; the dau. of Joseph and Mehitable (Hagar) Travers. She was born April 21, 1728.

Children of Daniel and Sarah (Travers) Hagar.

646. Micah Hagar b. June 8, 1755.

647. Mehitable Hagar b. September 2, 1767.

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

266. BENJAMIN HAGAR[5] (William[4], Sarah[3], John[2-1]) bapt. October 23, 1726 at Waltham, Mass.; the son of William and Mary (Flagg) Hagar; died March 23, 1758. He married September 11, 1750 Abigail Warren, dau. of Jonathan and Sarah (Whitney) Warren of Weston. She was b. July 19, 1732.

Children of Benjamin and Abigail (Warren) Hagar:

648. Submit Hagar b. May 4, 1751/2.

649. Elizabeth Hagar b. February 4, 1753.

650. Abigail Hagar b. December 6, 1754.

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

271. ADONIJAH FLAGG[5] (Sarah[4-3], John[2-1]) born April 9, 1713 at Waltham, Mass.; the son of John and Sarah (Hagar) Flagg. He died February 20, 1755 and resided at Waltham. Marriage intentions were published April 1, 1749 to Mary Corey of Weston, the dau. of Samuel and Bethshula (---) Corey. She was born at Lexington, Mass. February 19, 1724 and died January 28, 1767.

Children of Adonijah and Mary (Corey) Flagg:

651. Isaac Flagg b. June 14, 1749.

652. a child, who died young. b. July 14, 1753.

653. Hannah Flagg b. February 8, 1755.

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

278. MARTHA HAGAR[5] (John[4], Sarah[3], John[2-1]) born March 12, 1727 at Watertown, Mass.; the dau. of John and Sarah (---) Hagar; died April 10, 1808 at Dumerston, Vermont (vr); married May 28, 1750 at Weston, Mass. to Amos Rice, son of Ephraim and Sarah (Whitney) Rice. He was born September 10, 1727 at Worcester, Mass. and died May 31, 1807 at Dumerston, Vt.(vr

Children of Amos and Martha (Hagar) Rice:
654. Marcy Rice; m. Lt. Asa French.

Resources: Hist.of Watertown, Mass., Bond; Records of Richard W. Smith of Chevy Chase, Md.

281. JOSEPH HAGAR[5] (John[4], Sarah[3], John[2-1]) bapt. December 26, 1731 at Watertown, Mass.; the son of John and Sarah (---) Hagar. Marriage intentions were published January 25, 1755 to Jerusha Ferguson.

Children of Joseph and Jerusha (Ferguson) Hagar:
655. Ezekiel Hagar b. March 16, 1756.
656. Sarah Hagar b. March 18, 1758.
657. Jerusha Hagar b. March 1761.

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

283. LYDIA HAGAR[5] (John[4], Sarah[3], John[2-1]) born August 25, 1736 at Watertown, Mass.; the dau. of John and Sarah (---) Hagar. She married April 9, 1764 Daniel Coolidge, the son of Josiah and Deliverance (Warren) Coolidge. Lydia died April 26, 1771 and he m/2 Anna ---.

Children of Daniel and Lydia (Hagar) Coolidge:
658. Lydia Coolidge b. October 26, 1766.
659. Charles Coolidge b. July 18, 1768 at Roxbury, Mass.
660. Eunice Coolidge b. May 23, 1770 at Roxbury, Mass.

Children of Daniel and Anna (---) Coolidge:
Warren Coolidge b. August 16, 1774 at Roxbury.
Anna Coolidge b. April 11, 1776 at Westnn, Mass.
Jane Coolidge b. January 5, 1778 at Weston, Mass.

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

284. EBENEZER HAGAR[5] (Ebenezer[4], Sarah[3], John[2-1]) born March 16, 1727/8 at Framingham, Mass.; the son of Ebenezer and Lydia (Barnard) Hagar. He married Abigail Stow of Marlboro on December 26, 1753. He was a wheelwright.

Children of Ebenezer and Abigail (Stow) Hagar:
661. Joel Hagar.
662. Ashbel Hagar.

Resource: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

286. WILLIAM HAGAR[5] (Ebenezer[4], Sarah[3], John[2-1]) born April 21, 1733 at Framingham, Mass.; the son of Ebenezer and Lydia (Barnard) Hagar; died in 1811, age 78 years. He married

February 12, 1761 Sarah Stow of Marlboro.

Children of William and Sarah (Stow) Hagar:
663. Ephraim Hagar b. February 16, 1764; d. Aug. 21, 1843 at Framinghma; m/1 Nov. 1789 Lucy Fairbanks; m/2 Hannah Adams of Marlboro; m/3 Fanny Angiers of Framingham, who d. April 22, 1842, age 75 years.

Resource: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

287. THADDEUS HAGAR[5] (Ebenezer[4], Sarah[3], John[2-1]) born on an unknown date and died at Framingham, Mass, at the age of 40 years, date unknown. He was the son of Ebenezer and Lydia (Barnard) Hagar. He married December 9, 1762 Lois Sawyer of Bolton. She died at Bolton.

Children of Thaddeus and Lois (Sawyer) Hagar:
664. Calvin Hagar b. August 23, 1763. He died at sea.
665. Lois Hagar b. January 31, 1767; m. --- Rumwell, and lived at Windsor, Vermont.

Resource: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

288. JOSEPH HAGAR[5] (Joseph[4], Sarah[3], John[2-1]) born December 31, 1736 at Waltham, Mass.; the son of Joseph and Grace (Bigelow) Hagar. He died at Waltham, Mass. October 1, 1776. He married May 3, 1764 Lois Fiske, dau.of Thomas and Mary (Pierce) Fiske. She was born October 16, 1741.

Children of Joseph and Lois (Fiske) Hagar:
666. Joseph Hagar b. February 16, 1765; m. April 25, 1787 Abigail Flagg. She was b. April 26, 1767, the dau. of Timothy and Elizabeth (Pierce) Flagg.
667. Lois Hagar b. March 30, 1767; m. Sept. 23, 1784 Jacob Gale.
668. Susanna Hagar b. August 20, 1769; m. April 14, 1787 Joseph Garfield of Waltham, Mass.
669. Miriam Hagar b. February 26, 1772 at Waltham; m. 1791 Thomas Bigelow of Weston, son of Josiah and Mary (Harrington) Bigelow, b. August 11, 1768. He m/2 about 1827 Rebecca ---.
670. Grace Hagar b. May 10, 1774; m. Nov. 26, 1794 Abraham Fiske, and resided at Waltham and Weston, Mass.
671. Anna Hagar b. June 9, 1777.
672. Uriah Hagar b. August 26, 1776; d. April 1, 1841 at Waltham, Mass.; was Selectman of Waltham in 1805 to 1815; graduated from Harvard University in 1798 became a doctor.

Resource: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

290. WILLIAM HAGAR[5] (Joseph[4], Sarah[3], John[2-1]) born October 25, 1741 at Waltham, Mass.; the son of Joseph and Grace (Bigelow) Hagar. He died March 31, 1782 and married October 6, 1763 Mary Child, dau. of Daniel and Mary (Bright) Child of Waltham. Mary m/2 October 18, 1783 Abner Sanderson.

Children of William and Mary (Child) Hagar:

673. William Hagar b. January 1, 1765; m. June 16, 1768 Lydia Stearns, dau. of C. Stearns. She d. March 31, 1792, age 29.
674. Polly Hagar b. May 13, 1766; d. 1772.
675. Abijah Hagar b. February 7, 1769.
676. Uriah Hagar b. June 12, 1771; d. Nov. 8, 1772.
677. Polly Hagar bp. August 6, 1775; d. Sept. 22, 1778.
678. Aaron Hagar b. February 28, 1778.
679. Lydia Hagar b. September 24, 1780; m. 1802 Nathaniel Parks.

Resources: Hist.of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

291. ISAAC HAGAR[5] (Joseph[4], Sarah[3], John[2-1]) born September 6, 1742 at Waltham, Mass.; the son of Joseph and Grace (Bigelow) Hagar. He died January 17, 1791. On April 26, 1770 he married Anne Bullard. Isaac was a Colonel in the Revolutionary War.

Children of Isaac and Anne (Bullard) Hagar:

680. Anna Hagar bp. June 9, 1771.
681. Isaac Hagar b. May 12, 1773; d. Sept. 7, 1777.
682. Joel Hagar bp. July 9, 1775; d. August 3, 1784.
683. Jonas Hagar bp. June 29, 1777; d. August 3, 1784.
684. Isaac Hagar b. July 22, 1779; m. May 19, 1804 Eunice Steadman.
685. David Hagar b. October 14, 1781.
686. Polly Hagar b. October 6, 1783; m. November 3, 1808 Abraham Pierce. (Note: There is some question about this date.)
687. Joel Hagar b. October 14, 1785.
688. Henry Hagar b. July 17, 1789.

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

292. GRACE HAGAR[5] (Joseph[4], Sarah[3], John[2-1]) born May 4, 1744 at Waltham, Mass.; the dau. of Joseph and Grace (Bigelow) Hagar. She died October 1, 1778 and married December 20, 1764 Jonathan Harrington of Watertown. He was born January 12, 1741/2 and m/2 March 10, 1779 Catherine Wyman, dau. of Rose Wyman. He and his second wife had 5 children.

Children of Jonathan and Grace (Hagar) Harrington:

689. Grace Harrington b. September 30, 1765.
690. Lydia Harrington b. March 20, 1767; m. Sept. 13, 1783 Moses Livermore of Waltham at Shrewsbury. He was b. March 31, 1759; d. April 14, 1831 at Waltham.
691. Susanna Harrington b. January 22, 1769 at Shrewsbury.
692. Anna Harrington b. September 1770.
693. Sarah Harrington b. August 28, 1772; d. Aug. 1, 1775.

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

293. LYDIA HAGAR[5] (Joseph[4], Sarah[3], John[2-1]) born November 6, 1746

at Waltham, Mass.; the dau.of Joseph and Grace (Bigelow) Hagar. She died January 3, 1805 and on November 6, 1764 married Deacon John Sanderson of Waltham. He was born on May 18, 1743. He was a Selectman of Waltham for 17 years, from 1779-08.

Children of John and Lydia (Hagar) Sanderson:

694. Sarah Sanderson b. May 10, 1764; m. April 13, 1784 Thomas Clarke of Waltham, b. Feb. 26, 1762.
695. Thomas Sanderson b. Jan. 13, 1766.
696. Lydia Sanderson b. March 3, 1769; m. Capt. John Clark son of John and Alice (Greenwood) Clarke of Newton and Waltham, Mass.
697. Hannah Sanderson b. May 22, 1771; m. June 4, 1795 Amos Livermore, son of Amos and Hepzibah (Coolidge) Livermore, b. Sept. 30, 1746.
698. Grace Sanderson b. April 7, 1776.
699. Polly Sanderson b. April 23, 1780.
700. Nancy (Ann) Sanderson b. January 21, 1783; m. June 13, 1813 Samuel F. Coolidge of Boston; son of Col. Moses and Hannah (Stowell) Coolidge; b. April 7, 1780, d. 1883 at Boston. He graduated from Harvard in 1798 and was a merchant in Boston.

Resource: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

294. BENJAMIN HAGAR^{5} (Joseph^{4}, Sarah^{3}, John$^{2-1}$) born January 26, 1749/50 at Waltham, Mass.; the son of Joseph and Grace (Bigelow) Hagar. He died at Weybridge, Vermont in 1823. He married September 19, 1773 (possibly 1771) Esther Child of Weston, the dau. of Samuel and Esther (---) Child. She was born April 15, 1751 and died in 1837.

Children of Benjamin and Esther (Child) Hagar:

701. Benjamin Hagar b. February 28, 1774.
702. Betsey Hagar b. January 8, 1776; d. Oct. 9, 1843; m/1 Aug. 29, 1795 Daniel Stearns. They had no children. She m/2 July 12, 1807 at Waltham Joseph Stearns, bp. Sept. 22, 1765, the son of John and Martha (Harrington) Stearns. He became a farmer at Weybridge, Vt. in 1812, where he lived in 1847. Before that he was a blacksmith at Waltham.
703. Esther Hagar b.July 12, 1778; d. July 12, 1778.
704. Jonathan Hagar b. September 12, 1779; he became a merchant and banker in Middlebury, Vermont.
705. Thomas Hagar b. October 19, 1781; he m. and had a son in Buffalo, N.Y.
706. Abner Hagar b. January 31, 1784; resided in Canada.
707. Luther Hagar b. October 8, 1786; resided at Weston, New York.
708. Calvin Hagar b. May 12, 1789; resided at Weston, N.Y.
709. Jonas Hagar b. May 21, 1791; d. Dec. 10, 1791.
710. Jonas Hagar. He was of Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada.

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

295. JONATHAN HAGAR[5] (Joseph[4], Sarah[3], John[2-1]) born April 31, 1751 at Waltham, Mass.; the son of Joseph and Grace (Bigelow) Hagar. He died April 9, 1783 and married December 8, 1774 Sarah Mixer, dau. of Josiah and Sarah (Mead) Mixer. She was born December 16, 1754 and m/2 October 14, 1784 Nathan Viles.

Children of Jonathan and Sarah (Mixer) Hagar:
711. Jonathan Hagar bp. Sept. 10, 1775; died young.
712. Jonathan Hagar bp. July 9, 1778; died young.
713. Amos Hagar bp. November 14, 1779.
714. Jonathan Hagar Jr. b. September 10, 1781 at Cambridgeport; d. August 18, 1851 at Cambridgeport; m. Nov. 23, 1805 Lois Mixer, dau. of Josiah and Eunice (Livermore) Mixer, bp. December 31, 1786; d. Aug. 18, 1823. He m/2 June 5, 1826 Mary (Stone) Mixer of Weston, widow of Josiah Mixer of Cambridgeport.
715. Sally Hagar b. April 25, 1783; m. May 5, 1830 Deacon John Barret of Barre, Mass.

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

296. SARAH TRAVERS[5] (Mehitable[4], Sarah[3], John[2-1]) born April 21, 1728; the dau. of Joseph and Mehitable (Hagar) Travers. She married September 12, 1750 Daniel Hagar, son of William and Mary (Flagg) Hagar. See #265 for her carry down.

297. JOSHUA BENJAMIN[5] (Jonathan[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born February 13, 1720/1 at Watertown, Mass.; the son of Jonathan and Susanna (Norcross) Benjamin; died February 1766 at Concord, Mass. He married Sarah Ball of Concord on March 25, 1745 at Watertown, Mass. (vr Vol. III). She was born about 1726 at Concord, Mass.

He was a cordwainer and moved to Concord, Mass. On August 1, 1743 Joshua took a mortgage for 300 pounds from David Sanger, blacksmith, and David Learned, miller. It was cancelled March 1745. (Cambridge Deeds 44:200). Joshua and Sarah signed another deed on April 25, 1746, on the sale of the mansion once owned by Joshua's grandfather, Abel Benjamin. (Ibid 52:3). Then, on January 3, 1760, Joshua of Concord sold to Edward Harrington all rights to a piece of land in Watertown, once owned by Jonathan Benjamin, his father. (Ibid 57:201).

Shortly after Joshua's death, the Town of Concord paid for the boarding of his widow and daughter Susanna (then age 21) for five weeks. None of the other children were mentioned, and apparently he was not a man of means, as he owned no property in Concord. However, he had earlier sold three holdings in Watertown.

Children of Joshua and Sarah (Ball) Benjamin:
716. Susanna Benjamin b. March 31, 1745/6 at Concord, Mass. (vr); m. intentions August 8, 1772 to Jonathan

Hight of Rutland, Mass. (vr). There is also a record of a Susan of about this time who m. Robert Whitlock. (See Unknowns.)

*?717. Jonathan Benjamin b. July 27, 1747 at Concord (vr).
718. Mary Benjamin b. March 21, 1750 at Concrod (vr).
*719. Sarah (Sally) Benjamin b. January 21, 1753 at Concord, Mass. (vr).
720. Abigail Benjamin b. April 10, 1756 at Concord (vr).
*?721. Abiezer Benjamin bc. 1765.

Resources: Watertown, Mass. Vital Records; Concrod, Mass. Vital Records; Rutland, Mass. Vital Records; Vol. 21 p.367, Vol. 42 p. 299, and Vol. 86 p. 238 N.E. Hist. and Gen. Register. (Note: Salt Lake Family Group Sheets incorrectly lists him as a son of Joshua and Abigail (Phipps) Benjamin.

299. MARY BENJAMIN[5] (Jonathan[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born May 24, 1726 at Watertown, Mass.; the dau. of Jonathan and Susanna (Norcross) Benjamin; married July 4, 1753 to John Whitney, the son of John and Susan (---) Whitney. He was bapt. March 17, 1731.

He served in the Watertown, Mass. Company in the Revolutionary War.

Children of John and Mary (Benjamin) Whitney:
722. Samuel Whitney bp. June 6, 1756 at Watertown, Mass.

Resources: p. 44, 73 Desc. of John Whitney, Pierce, 1895.

300. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[5] (Jonathan[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born in 1728 in Watertown, Mass.; the son of Jonathan and Susanna (Norcorss) Benjamin; died November 25, 1762, age 34, at Weston, Mass. (vr). He married June 12, 1755 at Weston, Mass. (vr) to Elizabeth Stimson (Stimpson), the dau. of Nathaniel and Elizabeth (Child) Stimpton. She was born August 15, 1737 and died June 1, 1761 at Weston, Mass. (vr).

On January 21, 1772 Andrew, Daniel, and Elizabeth, all minors, were committed to the care of Thomas Miller. (Probate Court Records, Cambridge, Mass. Vol. 53 p. 82).

Jonathan was 'of Weston' at the time of his marriage.

Children of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Stimpson) Benjamin:
*723. Andrew Benjamin b. January 7, 1756 at Weston (vr).
*724. Daniel Benjamin b. October 14, 1757 at Weston (vr).
725. Elizabeth Benjamin died May 4, 1760, age 1 month.
726. Elizabeth Benjamin b. April/October 7, 1760 at Weston, (vr); d. February/March 15, 1773, age 12 years at Weston (vr), at the home of Widow Elizabeth Stimpson, her grandmother.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Weston, Mass. Vitla Records; Vol. 86 p. 238 N.E. Hist. and Gen. Register; Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

301. ABEL BENJAMIN[5] (Jonathan[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born September 15,

1731 at Watertown, Mass. (vr Vol. I); the son of Jonathan and Susanna (Norcross) Benjamin; died about September 23, 1758, in service, on an expedition to Fort William Henry. He was reported missing on the above date, and it was endorsed November 15, 1758. He married Elizabeth Nutting of Charlestown, Mass. on April 24, 1752/3 at Watertown (vr Vol. I). She was the dau. of Samuel and Jane (Hunnewell) Nutting and was born about 1728 at Charlestown and died February 26, 1816 at Livermore, Maine. She m/2 on October 16, 1759 Nehemiah Mills at Needham, Mass., as his second wife. He had m/1 Patience Ball in 1738 and she died June 1, 1759 at Needham. Nehemiah was born August 24, 1712 and died September 10, 1777.

Abel enlsted April 14, 1758 and appeared on the billeting roll dated Watertown, Nov. 10, 1757 in Capt. Jonathan Brown's Co., Col. William Williams' Regt. and was on that roll for 40 days. On February 8, 1758 he appears on the roll of a company of foot soldiers in His Majesty's Service for the reduction of Canada. It was in this service that he was reported missing. His total length of service was five months and 25 days.

Charlestown records mention the guardianship of John and Samuel, which was assumed by R. Hunnewell in 1775. (?1753). Nothing is mentioned about Jonathan.

A Mrs. Elizabeth Benjamin 'owned ye covenant' August 7, 1757 at Watertown, and had a dau. Rachel, who did likewise on the same date. However, it is not known if this is the wife of Abel.

Children of Abel and Elizabeth (Nutting) Benjamin:

*727. Samuel Benjamin b. February 5, 1754 at Needham, Mass.
*728. Jonathan Benjamin bp. March 21, 1755/6 at Needham.
*729. John Benjamin bp. February 5, 1758 at Needham, Mass.

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond; Gen. of Family of Lt. Samuel Benjamin, M. L. Benjamin, 1900; Roxbury, Mass. Vital Records; Wilson Papers; Vol. VIII p. 79 Colonial Families in U.S., McKenzie; Vol. 86 p. 238 and Vol. 98 p. 83 N.E. Hist. and Gen. Register.

304. CALEB BENJAMIN^{5} (Caleb^{4}, Abel^{3}, John$^{2-1}$) born May 26, 1729 at Watertown, Mass.; the son of Caleb and Abigail (Livermore) Benjamin; bapt. June 1, 1729 at Malden, Mass. by Rev. Emerson; died 1818 at Wendell, Mass. He married about 1756 to Martha Bodman. She was born in 1729 and died in 1812. (DAR records say she died in 1818.)

In the Montague, Mass. Public Records, Caleb Benjamin is listed as a resident in 1790 and an occupant in 1798. In the 1790 Federal Census he is listed at Montague with a family of 3-0-3.

Caleb served several enlistments in the Revolutionary War. He served as a private at the Lexington Alarm of April 22, 1775 under Capt. Robert Oliver's Co., Col. Samuel William's Regt. He served as an Ensign in Col. Woodbridges

Regt. and was promoted to Lieutenant and served as a first Lt. in Capt. Asahel Gunn's 10th (2nd Montague) Co., Sixth Hampshire Co. There was a Caleb Benjamin listed in the Conn. military records as a Capt. and Asst. Deputy Quartermaster General May 28, 1814 and was honorably discharged June 15, 1815, that might very well apply to this Caleb.

He was a member of the Committee of Inspection and Safety formed under Capt. Asahel Gunn. Treachery was feared, perhaps by the Tories.

There are quite a few records in the Hampton County land records concerning Caleb. (Vol. 6:515) In 1754 Isaac White sold land to Caleb Benjamin of Hardwick, Mass. In Vol. 6 p. 512 in 1762 Caleb sold land to Ezra May; Vol. 9 p. 480 in 1767 Andrew Oliver sold land to Caleb of Hardwick; Vol. 9 p. 481-2 in 1768 Caleb sold land to David Gilbert and Caleb Benjamin Jr.

Children of Caleb and Martha (Bodman) Benjamin:

*730 Lois (Louise) Benjamin bc. 1757 at Hardwick, Mass.

731. Martha Benjamin bc. 1758 at Hardwick; m. May 14, 1778 to Eli Barnes of Montague, Mass.

*732. Joel Livermore Benjamin b. August 9, 1760 at Hardwick.

733. Anne (Anna) Benjamin, died January 23, 1831; m. November 17, 1791 at Montague, Mass. (vr) to Consider Bardwell (Bordwell) b. November 12, 1763; d. May 25, 1819.

*734. Hubbard Benjamin.

735. Samuel Benjamin.

736. Rhoda Benjamin bapt. May 17, 1767 at Hardwick, Mass. (vr).

737. Sabre Benjamin b. August 3, 1771; d. December 21, 1860; m. Martha Anderson.

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond; Vol. 47 p. 334 DAR Lineage Book; p. 939 Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in Rev. War; Records of Allen Benjamin of Wayland, Mass.; p. 455 Field Gen., Pierce, 1901; Hist. of Montague, Mass., Robert Clapp, 1910; Montague, Mass. Vital Records; Boston Transcript August 2, 1916.

307. ABEL BENJAMIN[5] (Caleb[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born August 6, 1735 at Grafton, Mass.; the son of Caleb and Abigail (Livermore) Benjamin; died between 1800-1810 at Wendell, Mass. He married Susan (Susannah) Carpenter on March 22, 1759 at Hardwick, Mass. (vr), the dau. of Nathan and Susanna (---) Carpenter. She was born February 29, 1740 at Hardwick and died August 7, 1794, age 55 years 5 mos. 7 days at Montague, Mass. (vr). (Note: The Carpenter Gen. has her named twice, with the same data, but with different sets of parents: those named above or Benjamin and Abigail(---) Carpenter.)

Abel was a resident of Montague, Mass. in 1790 Federal Census and in 1798. In the 1790 census he is listed with 1-0-2.

Abel served in the Revolutionary War as a private in

Capt. Moses Harvey's Co., Col. David Wells' Regt. in May 1777 and in Capt. Elihu Lymans Co., Col. Elisha Porter's Regt. Later he was in Capt. Pierc's Co., Col. Seth Murrays Regt. He was mustered out of service July 17, 1780.

In the Hampton County, Mass. Land Records Vol. 15 p. 540 in 1779 Abel Benjamin sold land to Sarah Carpenter.

Children of Abel and Susan (Carpenter) Benjamin:

738. Abigail Benjamin b. March 3/30, 1760 at Hardwick, Mass. (vr); d. March 13, 1761 at Hardwick. (vr).
*739. Levi Benjamin b. October 9, 1762 at Hardwick.
?740. Susanna Benjamin b. January 9, 1765 at Roxbury, Mass.
741. Polly W. Benjamin; m. April 1, 1795 at Montague (vr) to Joseph Russell of Wendell, Mass.
*742. Rhoda Benjamin b. May 17, 1767 at Hardwick, Mass.

Resources: p. 118 Early Mass. Marriages, Bailey; p. 943 Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in the Rev. War; p. 134, 251 Carpenter Family, Amos Carpenter, 1898; Hardwick, Mass. Vital Records; Hist. of Montague, Mass., Robert Clapp.

309. JOHN BENJAMIN[5] (Caleb[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born April 20/21, 1741 at Grafton, Mass.; the son of Caleb and Abigail (Livermore) Benjamin. He died at Barnard, Vermont. (date unknown.) He m/1 May 8, 1762 at Windsor, Vermont Desire Gilkey. She died in Windsor, Vermont (Cong. cr). He m/2 April 22, 1784 at Barnard, Vt. (vr) Lydia (Cobb) Steward, a widow. She was the dau. of Elisha and Priscilla (Merrick or Herrick) Cobb and the widow of Elkanah Steward. She was born September 26, 1737.

John united with the First Congregational Church at Windsor, Vermont on July 4, 1779. He was among the Grantees and one of the original Propritors of Grand Isdae when the charter was issued in October 1779. At the time of the settlement of Windsor, John Benjamin, Sheriff, was the most important individual there.

He was termed 'Esquire' and was Sheriff for Cumberland County, Vt. in 1779. During the Revoultionary War, he was called 'High Sheriff' of the State of Vermont. There is a listing of men who were to be under John Benjamin, High Sheriff, that were to guard enemical persons from Windsor to Albany, thence to Burlington, Vermont in 1776. John received from Ira Allen on October 26, 1778 28 pounds 15 shillings for this service.

In deeds registered at Windsor, Vt., his name is mentioned often. Vol. 1 p. 444 in 1777 John Benjamin of Windsor, yeoman, sells land to Jonathan Burt of Windsor. In 1776 Vol. I p. 490, John of Windsor sells land to Benjamin Bishop of Windsor; in 1784 (Vol. I p. 493) John of Bethel, Vt. again sells land to Benjamin Bishop of Windsor; and in 1782 (Vol. 3 p. 61) John of Windsor sells land in E. Windsor to Zebina Curtis of Windsor. In 1773 (Vol. 2 p. 128) he and Deziar Benjamin witness a deed of Caleb Benjamin's to Joseph Powers of Windsor.

In the 1790 Federal Census he is listed at Barnard, Vt. (Windsor Co.) with 2-0-1.

In the Wilson Papers he states that Boutell states that John and Desire had 5 children, but that other records indicate that they had 8. Perhaps some died young.

Children of John and Desire (Gilkey) Benjamin:

*743. Caleb Benjamin.
744. John Benjamin.
*745. Daniel Benjamin.
*746. Ezra Benjamin.
747. Abigail Benjamin.

Resources: History of Hartford, Vt., Tucker, p. 87; Wilson Papers; Vital Records of Windsor and Montpelier, Vt.; Boston Transcript Feb. 17, 1915.

311. ANNE (ANNA) BENJAMIN[5] (Caleb[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born June 5, 1745/6 at Hardwick, Mass.; the dau. of Caleb and Abigail (Livermore) Benjamin; died March/October 15, 1814 at Hardwick, Mass. She married September 19, 1769 at Hardwick (vr) Eliphalet Washburn of Hardwick, Mass., the son of Joseph and Deliverance (Orcutt) Washburn. He was born in 1742 and died December 14, 1816.

He resided at Hardwick and was a celebrated school master and farmer.

They had 11 children.

Children of Eliphalet and Anna (Benjamin) Washburn:

748. Naomi Washburn b. October 24, 1770 at Hardwick; died March 15, 1850; m. at Hardwick April 9, 1789 Silas Newton, b. Hardwick; d. Oct. 19, 1847, age 81.
749. Rufus Washburn b. May 12, 1776; m. 1799 Thankful Cutter of Lancaster, Mass.
*750. Anna Washburn b. May 21, 1780 at Hardwick, Mass.

Resources: p. 201 Desc. of Wm. Spooner of Plymouth, Spooner, 1883; p. 276 Newton Gen., Leonard, 1915; Early Mass. Marriages, Bailey.

312. KEZIAH BENJAMIN[5] (Caleb[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born May 6, 1749 at Hardwick, Mass.; the dau. of Caleb and Abigail (Livermore) Benjamin; bapt. June 25, 1749 at Hardwick; died September 24, 1835, age 86 yrs. 4 mos. at Windsor, Vermont. She married October 27, 1772 at Cornish, New Hampshire Solomon Burke of Windsor, Vt. He was the son of Jonathan and Thank ful (Waite) Burke and was born in 1742 at Brookfield, Mass. and died in 1819 at Windsor, Vt.

Children of Solomon and Keziah (Benjamin) Burke:

751. Capt. Caleb Burke b. May 7, 1773 at Windsor, Vt.; d. April 28, 1854 at Columbus, Wisconsin; m/1 Aug. 28, 1797 Celia Stowell b. May 5, 1773; d. Oct. 19, 1799 at Windsor, Vt. He m/2 Feb. 4, 1807 Charlotte Comins (Cousins), who d. Sept. 16, 1820 at Wind

sor. He m/3 Nov. 12, 1820 Lois Knight.

752. Benjamin Burke b. Feb. 21, 1775 at Windsor, Vt.; d. Sept. 28, 1855 at Nashau, N.H.; m. Oct. 10, 1798 to Roxanna Alvord, dau. of Stephen and Abigail (Davis) Alvord b. Dec. 6, 1775, d. March 9, 1859 at Nashau, N.H. (Marriage took place at Woodstock, Vermont.)
753. Jonathan Burke b. July 7, 1780.
754. Solomon Waite Burke d. Feb. 3, 1820.
755. Alice Burke.
756. Moses Burke b. July 11, 1782.
757. Nathum Burke.
758. Abel Burke.

Resources: p. 133 Gen. and Desc. of Alexander Alvord, Alord, 1908; p. 105 Stowell Gen., Stowell, 1922; p. 95 Vol. 45 and Vol. 72 p. 182 N. E. Hist. and Gen. Register.

344. MARY SPRING^5 (Elizabeth^4, Mary^3, Abigail^2, John^1) born January 19, 1702/3; the dau. of Thomas and Elizabeth (Traine) Spring. She married March 30, 1726 Jonathan Parmenter of Sudbury, Mass. He was the son of Benjamin and Tamizen (Rice) Parmenter, born January 15, 1702/3 and died 1734.

Children of Jonathan and Mary (Spring) Parmenter.

759. Susanna Parmenter.
760. Mary Parmenter.
761. Jonathan Parmenter.
762. Abigail Parmenter.

Resource: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

345. ELIZABETH SPRING^5 (Elizabeth^4, Mary^3, Abigail^2, John^1) born September 10, 1705 at Weston, Mass.; the dau. of Thomas and Elizabeth (Traine) Spring. She married April 18, 1725 Abijah Upham, the son of Thomas Upham. Abijah was born in 1697 and died December 3, 1775, age 78 years. He was 'of Weston, Mass.'

Children of Abijah and Elizabeth (Spring) Benjamin:

763. Abijah Upham b. May 1, 1726; moved to Canton, Mass. where he died.
764. Amos Upham b. Jan. 23, 1727/8; d. October 15, 1750.
765. Elizabeth Upham b. May 10, 1730; d.Mar. 3, 1733.
766. Jonathan Upham b. April 20, 1732; d. Feb. 13, 1748.
767. Elizabeth Upham bp. May 19, 1734.
768. Mehitable Upham b. Feb. 7, 1735/6; died young.
769. Eunice Upham b. April 23, 1738; d. Nov. 29, 1740.
770. Mehitable Upham b. April 29, 1741; drowned crossing the bay from Nova Scotia to Goldsboro, Maine; m. Oct. 22, 1761 Elisha Jones Jr., the son of Col. Elisha and Mary (Allen) Jones. He was b. Jan. 9, 1736/7. They settled first in Pittsfield, Mass. and during the Rev. were in New York. He was a Tory, and after the Rev. settled in Sissibo, Nova

Scotia.

771. Eunice Upham b. Aug. 28, 1744; m. May 14, 1764 Capt. Roger Deuch.
772. Silas Upham b. April 26, 1747, d. June 6, 1748.
773. Phineas Upham, a twin, b. April 26, 1747; d. about March 1790 (March 10, 1790 his wife was given guardianship of the 4 younger children); m. Nov. 29, 1769 Lydia Myrick, dau. of John and Keziah (Stratton) Myrick, b. May 15, 1749.

Resource: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

347. HENRY SPRING [5] (Elizabeth[4], Mary[3], Abigail[2], John[1]) born February 2, 1710/1 at Weston, Mass.; the son of of Thomas and Elizabeth (Traine) Spring. He married May 17, 1732 Abigail Cha dwick, the dau. of Charles and Sarah (Whitney) Chadwick.

Children of Henry and Abigail (Chadwick) Spring:

774. Henry Spring Jr. B. April 6, 1734; m. April 25, 1757 Hannah Whitney b. Feb. 16, 1737/8.
775. Abigail Spring b. Jan. 16, 1733; m. Dec. 1754 Benjamin Brown of New Marlboro.
776. Elijah Spring b. Feb. 28, 1737. Marriage intentions were published Aug. 26, 1761 at Weston to Beulah Jackson, dau. of John and Mary (---) Jackson.
777. Elizabeth Spring b. April 7, 1739; m. Sept. 23, 1756 Josiah Mansfield at Weston. He was the son of Theophilus and Sybil (White) Mansfield of Waltham, b. March 30, 1737.
778. Mary Spring b. March 22, 1741; m. Sept. 4, 1760 Abijah Burbank of Sutton.
779. Lucy Spring b. Feb. 20, 1742/3.
780. Rebecca Spring b. Oct. 26, 1744; marriage intentions published Oct. 28, 1763 to Asa Smith.
781. Keziah Spring b. Sept. 30, 1746.
782. Ebenezer Spring b. Nov. 8, 1748.
783. Mercy Spring b. Feb. 8, 1750/1.
784. Amos Spring b. Dec. 5, 1752.

Resources; Hist.of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

350. ABIGAIL BULLARD[5] (Elizabeth[4], Mary[3], Abigail[2], John[1]) born May 22, 1718; the dau. of Joseph and Elizabeth (Traine Spring) Bullard; died May 23, 1751. She married January 2, 1736 Abraham Bigelow. He m/2 October 24, 1751 Anna Fiske.

Children of Abraham and Abigail (Bullard) Bigelow:

785. Isaac Bigelow b. Nov. 30, 1736; mentioned in his grandmother's will dated Jan. 16, 1753.
786. Joseph Bigelow b. Sept. 30, 1738; d. Dec. 20, 1748.
787. Abigail Bigelow b. Oct. 1, 1740; d. Jan. 7, 1748/9.
788. Abraham Bigelow b. Feb. 26, 1742/3; d. July 1753; mentioned in his grandmother's will.
789. Jesse Bigelow b. March 1746; d. July 1746.

790. Jesse Bigelow b. June 30, 1747; d. Jan. 12, 1748.

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

351. ELIZABETH UPHAM[5] (Elizabeth[4], Mary[3], Abigail[2], John[1]) born January 15, 1742; the dau. of Thomas and Elizabeth (Traine Spring Bullard) Upham. She married first May 24, 1753 Abijah Fiske, the son of Thomas and Mary (Pierce) Fiske of Marlboro. He was born March 12, 1729/30 and died in 1774. She m/2 February 23, 1775 John Trowbridge of Framingham.

Children of Abijah and Elizabeth (Upham) Fiske:

791. Amos Fiske b. April 25, 1754; was a soldier in the Revolutionary War.
792. Abijah Fiske b. Nov. 1, 1755; m. Sept. 11, 1783 Alice Adams, dau. of John and Elizabeth (---) Adams, b. Dec. 9, 1763. Abijah was a soldier in the Rev.War.
793. Elias Fiske b. Feb. 3, 1757; d. July 1757.
794. Mary Fiske b. Sept. 9, 1757; d. July 1757.
795. Mary Fiske b. Oct. 10, 1761; d. in 1809; leaving 3 children; m. Zaccheus Weston.
796. Elizabeth Fiske b. April 3, 1763; mc. 1783 Major Josiah Stone of Framingham. They had 11 children.
797. Asenath Fiske b. Sept. 2, 1766; m. Nov. 8, 1794 Nathan Eaton of Framingham.

Resource: Hist.of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

355. ESTHER PERRY[5] (Margaret[4], Mary[3], Abigail[2], John[1]) born November 25, 1713; dau. of Samuel and Margaret (Traine) Perry. She married April 16, 1734 Nathaniel Hastings, son of John and Sarah (Fiske) Hastings. He was born June 9, 1714. He m/2 May 21, 1741 Lois Houghton at Lunenburg, Mass.

Children of Nathaniel and Esther (Perry) Hastings:

798. Jonathan Hastings bp. Oct. 28, 1744, (he was born before May 21, 1741); m. Mary Fay of Northboro. They had 5 children and resided in Boylston.

Nathaniel and Lois (Houghton) Hastings had 12 children.

Resource: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

357. MARY PERRY[5] (Margaret[4], Mary[3], Abigail[2], John[1]) born September 7, 1718; the dau.of Samuel and Margaret (Traine) Perry. She married William Lawrence, the son of George and Mary (---) Lawrence. He was born May 20, 1711 and was 'of Weston, Mass.

Children of William and Mary (Perry) Lawrence:

799. Samuel Lawrence b. Aug. 7, 1735 at Weston, Mass.; m. 1758 Mary Clarke of Medfield, Mass.
800. Mary Lawrence b. unknown; m. April 18, 1758 Isaac Gregory, son of Isaac and Grace (Harrington) Gregory, b. Feb. 4, 1734/5. He was 'of Weston, Mass.'
801. Abigail Lawrence b. May 7, 1739; d. Oct. 2, 1805; m.

Dec. 27, 1772 James Priest, who d. May 21, 1790. They resided at Waltham, Mass.

802. Mercy Lawrence, a twin, b. May 7, 1739.

803. William Lawrence b. June 1, 1741; m. Oct. 13, 1763 to Hannah Hammond.

804. Josiah Lawrence b. July 16, 1744; died young.

805. Josiah Lawrence b. September 29, 1745.

806. Daniel Lawrence b. September 29, 1747; m. April 22, 1772 Elizabeth Graves.

807. Jonathan Lawrence b. Feb. 1, 1750; m. 1773 Lucy Moore of Sudbury, Mass.

Resource: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

360. BENJAMIN BENJAMIN[5] (Samuel[4-3-2], John[1]) born about 1715; the possible son of Samuel and ---. His marriage is unknown. There is a record of a Benjamin Benjamin who died March 30/31, 1778 during the Revolutionary War. He was a private and enlisted Sept. 15, 1777 in Fitche's Co. in the Second Conn. Regt. for three years.

Children of Benjamin Benjamin:

808. Elijah Benjamin bp. June 9, 1745 at Wilton, Conn. (Cong. cr 2-23 Van Hooser Copy).

?*809. James Benjamin b. April 18, 1752 (no known connection with Benjamin or Elijah, but has connection with the Wilton, Conn. area.)

Resources: p. 23 Known Military Dead During Rev. War, Clarence Peterson, 1959; p. 185 Conn. Military Records; Hale's Conn. Church Record Collection.

363. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[5] (Samuel[4-3-2], John[1]) born about 1727/8 at Hartland, Conn.; the son of Samuel and ---; died March 20, 1781, age 53/4 at West Hartland, Conn. He married Martha Blake at Granville, Mass. She was 'of Cambridge, Mass.' and died August 1800 at Hartland, Conn. (Note: Bond felt that her maiden name was Dix, and that she was the dau. of John and Hannah (Cook) Dix, and that Hannah Dix might have m/2 --- Blake. He had Martha bapt. August 1, 1731 at Watertown.)

On a Revolutionary War Soldier's tombstone, Samuel's age is given as 53, but on a larger gravestone in the same lot, his age is listed as 54 years. He was a member of Capt. Woodbridge's Co. in the Rev.

In Vol. 91 p. 484 in Cambridge Land Deeds under the date of Sept. 27, 1765 Samuel Benjamin, yeoman, and wife Martha and Prudence Blake, seamstress, all of Granville, sold for 20 pounds to John Dix of Waltham, a dwelling house and half acre of land in Cambridge, Mass.

Samuel and his wife were admitted to communion May 12, 1776 from the Granville Church into the Hartland First Church (cr 2-35).

In Vol. Y p. 626 on April 18, 1757, he, then of Gran-

ville, sold land to John Gleason (Gliason).

There is a steep hill from West Granville, which went from Granville to Hartland, and at the foot of that hill, in the hollow, Samuel built the first saw mill of the area. That area is now under the water of a large reservoir.

Under Cambridge Deeds Vol. S. p. 83, dated Feb. 3, 1748/9 Samuel Benjamin is given 50 acres, if within 12 mos. from that date, he builds a tenable dwellinghouse, ploughs and subdues the land, and settles a family on that land for a term of three years. This land was given by Samuel Wells, Jonas Clarke, and Belcher Noyes, all of Boston, Mass. They were empowered by the General Court of the Provience to dispose of certain land in a new plantation in the County of Hampshire and Province of Mass. that the said plantation might be settled. At this time Samuel is called 'of Durham Conn.' Ezra Baldwin is associated with this land.

Samuel's will is dated Feb. 15, 1781 and he is of Hartland, Simsbury Dist. of Conn. He gives to wife Martha one third of his personal and real estate. To son Samuel one half of the estate and appoints him executor. What remains after bills of estate are paid is to go to the rest of the children...Amos, Vilitta, Eleanor, John, and Martha, and to his eldest grandson, George Benjamin, unless my son Samuel shall pay him the just value, etc. Signed and sealed by Samuel Benjamin in the presence of Seth Hayes, Abijah Spencer, and Titus Hayes.

Children of Samuel and Martha (Blake) Benjamin:

*810. Asher Benjamin b. May 4, 1751 at Durham, Conn. (Granville vr).

811. Abigail Benjamin b. May 13, 1753 at Hartland, Conn. (Granville vr); d. May 19, 1777 at Hartland, Conn. (cr 2-162).

812. Amos (Amos) Benjamin b. March 5, 1755 (Granville vr); d. April 27, 1810, prob. unm.; buried in West Hart land, Conn. (vr 2-38); brother John appointed as adminstrator of his estate.

*813. Samuel Benjamin Jr. b. February 3, 1757 (Granville vr)

814. Daniel Benjamin bc. 1759; d. May 10, 1777, age 18, (Hartland cr D-162); buried in Hartland Cemetery lot # 1-1; apparently died in the Rev. War, since he is listed as a member of Capt. Hutchen's Co.

*815. John Benjamin bc. 1767.

816. William Benjamin; went to New York State after the Rev. War.

*817. Patti (Martha) Benjamin.

818. Vilitta Benjamin.

819. Eleanor Benjamin m. Amos Hayes.

Resources: p. 93 Vol. I Hist. of Old Fairfield, Jacobus; Wilson Papers; Vital Records of Granby and Granville, Mass.; Gen. of Puritans of Conn., Hinman; Boston Transcript July 1, 1925; Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in the Rev. War.

375. JOSEPH BENJAMIN[5] (Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born December 17/19, 1723 at Preston, Conn.; the son of Joseph and Deborah (Clark) Benjamin; bapt. July 12, 1724 at Griswold Cong. Church (formerly the North Preston Church); died April 1761 at Mt. Washington, Mass. He m/1 Anne (Hannah) Penniman (Pennimon) (intentions Oct. 6, 1747) on November 4, 1747 (Mendon and Smithfield, Mass. vr); dau. of Deacon Nathan and Mary (Farnum) Penniman. She was born October 23, 1726 at Mendon, Mass. (vr) and died June 22, 1748 at Mendon, 5 days after the birth of her son. Joseph m/2 Hannah Dibble of Preston, Conn.; dau. of Abraham and Hannah (Hosford) Dibble. None of her data is known.

Joseph and Anne resided at Mendon, Mass. and Joseph and Hannah lived at Preston. Cutler says "he settled at Hampton, Conn." Hannah, wife of Joseph Benjamin, "owned ye covenant" Sept. 10, 1758 at Hampton (cr 1-102) and Dec. 30, 1759 at E. Hartford, Conn. (cr 1-14).

In Hampden County, Mass. Land Records (1-630) Joseph Benjamin of Windham, blacksmith, bought a parcel of land on the Takonnack Mountain, west of Sheffield, from Benjamin Barnes. This was land that Josiah Loomis, James Vanduser, Jacob Loomis, and Joseph Vangilder, as a committee, purchas ed from the Stockbridge Indians. It had a house, saw mill, road, and logging privilages and was recorded June 23, 1759. On the same day (1-631) he bought land from Asa Blodgett and on June 28, 1759 he bought land from Jacob Vangilder. On Nov. 23, 1759 he bought (Ibid 2-33) land from Stephen Osborne. On the sale of all five pieces of land, the seller then appeared at "Litchfield Co. of Salisbury" to sign before the Justice of the Peace.

Joseph Benjamin died intestate and his estate is in Box 13-48 of Mt. Washington records. Administration of the estate went to Nathan Benjamin and William Coit, both of Countreyland, so called west of Sheffield and William Lyman of Northampton. His estate was appraised by Jeremiah Utley, Zebadiah Furnaman, and Abial Abbot on May 1, 1761, and the inventory was taken by William Coit, Thomas Wolcott, and John Dibble, all living west of Sheffield. On April 28, 1761 Hannah Benjamin sent a letter to the Judge that she was too weak to come to court, but asked that letters of ad ministration be given to "me and my brother". A list of money due the estate (none large) was given and Bourzillai Benjamin, Joseph Orcutt, Jonthno Adams, Robert Nabelso, and Ebenezer Bostwick owed him money. Joseph owed Nathan Benjamin 9 pounds 10 shillings. The inventory was taken November 12, 1761 with a listing of real and personal estate with a value of over 278 pounds. Nothing is in the file about the division of the estate or the names of his children.

At the time of his death he had property in Windham and Ponfret, Conn. and Mt. Washington and Pittsfield, Mass.

Children of Joseph and Anne (Penniman Benjamin:

*820. William Benjamin b. June 17, 1748 at Mendon, Mass.(vr)

Children of Joseph and Hannah (Dibble) Benjamin:

*821. Samuel Clark Benjamin b. December 8, 1749/50 at Windham, Conn.

*822. Peleg Benjamin b. March 5, 1752.

*823. Judah Benjamin b. July 8, 1755 at Windham, Conn. (vr 2-9).

824. Mary Benjamin bc. 1757. (Note: Mary Benjamin d. March 27, 1836, age 79, Trumbull, Conn. Cemetery (vr 1-13). This might be her?)

The last 4 children were all bapt. Sept. 3, 1758 at Hampton, Conn. First Church (cr 1-75).

Resources: The Benjamin Family, Ellis B. Baker, 1898; The Benjamin Families of Norwich and Preston, Mrs. E. E. Rogers, 1917; Wilson Papers; Gen. of the Puritans of Conn., Hinman; Gen. and Family Hist. of Conn. Vol. II p. 1090-1, Cutter; Boston Transcript Feb. 15, 1932; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records; Vital Records of Rhode Island, Arnold.

376. ELIJAH BENJAMIN[5] (Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 8, 1725 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-24); the son of Joseph and Deborah (Clark) Benjamin; bapt. July 4, 1725 at the Second Church of Preston (cr 1-58); died about 1768/9 at Preston, Conn. He married at Mendon, Mass. (vr) (intentions Aug. 15) September 9, 1747 Hannah Taft of Upton, Mass.; the dau. of Israel and Mercy (Aldrich) Taft, born November 15, 1726 at Mendon, Mass. She belonged to the same family group as President Taft. She m/2 Major Ezekiel Pierce of Plainfield, Conn., the son of Timothy and Hannah (Bradhurst) Pierce. He was born in 1712 and died in 1779/80 at Kingston Twp., Wyoming, Penn. Ezekiel had m/1 Lois Stevens in 1736 and she died June 25, 1762. After the second marriage, they moved to Wyoming, Litchfield Co., Conn., which later became a part of Penn. He had ten children by his first marriage.

In Book 7 p. 44 of the deeds of Preston, Conn., there is a record that Joseph Benjamin deeded "my son Elijah of Preston a certain tract of land bounding partly on the Pechang River" on January 21, 1756. In Book 4 p. 390 (Ibid) Elijah of Preston sells land in Plainfield, Conn. to William Park and on Dec. 27, 1751 Dr. Moses Morse deeded land to Elijah for a consideration of 2,500 pounds. Elijah deeded the land given him by his father to Ephraim Herrick.

(Note: Dr. Wilson's records had the 7th child as Job Benjamin, who died and left 3 children. One child was Charles Benjamin, who had a grandson Charles, who was a telephone operator in Bristol, Conn. in 1900. Job was not recorded in the Preston vital records. However, Hannah was not listed in the Preston vital records, but seems to fit in to this family quite well!)

Ezekiel Pierce and his wife, Hannah (Taft Benjamin) moved to Wyoming in July 1771 and were there during the

Wyoming Massacre on July 3, 1778. He helped to save his step-dau., Mary Benjamin, but two of his sons, Lt. Timothy and Pvt. John Pierce were killed in the battle and son Daniel Pierce was taken prisoner, while sons Phineas Pierce was listed as a survivor. Their names were listed on the Wyoming Monument.

Ezekiel Pierce was a Major in the 11th Regiment in the Conn. Colony.

Children of Elijah and Hannah (Taft) Benjamin:

*825. Elias Benjamin b. May 4, 1750 at Norwich, Conn. (vr 2-141).

*826. Chester Benjamin b. February 9, 1752 at Norwich, Conn. (vr p. 304).

827. William Benjamin b. March 6, 1753 at Preston, Conn. (vr).

*828. Elijah Banjamin b. December 27, 1755 at Preston, Conn (vr 2-71).

*829. Darius Benjamin b. January 17, 1758 at Preston, Conn. (vr).

*830. Cyrus Benjamin b. July 9, 1762 at Preston. (vr).

?*831. Hannah Benjamin bc. 1764.

*832. Mary (Polly) Benjamin b. July 7, 1768 at Preston, Conn. (vr).

?833. Job Benjamin.

Resources: Wilson Papers; The Benjamin Family of Norwich and Preston, Mrs. E.E. Rogers, 1917; The Lineage of My Children, Keogh, 1926; Town Records of Norwich and Preston, Conn.; Records of Mrs. John W. Keller of Litiz, Penn.; p. 447 Hist. of Ancient Weathersfield, Stiles, Vol. 2; Boston Transcript Aug. 20, 1919; Vital Records of Mendon, Mass Research of Robert E. Thompson of Sperryville, Va.

377. JAMES BENJAMIN[5] (Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born April 3, 1727 at Preston, Conn.; the son of Joseph and Deborah (Clark) Benjamin; bapt. May 25, 1727 at Griswold Second Church or Pachaug (cr 1-59); died May 12, 1772 at Worthington, Mass. (gs), age 46 yrs. (gs). He married March 8, 1749/50 (Griswold cr 1-256; Preston Town Records say year 1750) Priscilla Burton, dau. of Jacob and Judith (Herrick) Burton. She was born March 30, 1726/7 at Preston, Conn. and died in 1797. She m/2 on October 5, 1773 at Worthington, Mass. (vr) Samuel Clapp or Clopp.

James and family moved to Worthington, Mass. from Preston before 1764. Priscilla was a member of the church at Worthington that organized April 1, 1771, with the following members; Samuel Converse, Priscilla Benjamin; Israel Holton, James Bemis, Jonathan Huntiongton, and Benjamin Bigelow. James paid for wood to burn oyster shells for the purpose of obtaining lime to use in the plaster necessary to complete the church. When anyone in the town journeyed from Worthington to Boston, it was prefaced by the prayers of the church and the safe return of the person who hazared

it, was the cause of thanksgiving and public rejoicing.

By order of the General Court on June 2, 1762, nine plantations were sold at auction. In 1768, a bill was passed, creating this area to be Worthington, County of Hampshire. The larger part of the inhabitants came from Conn. Early residents were: Samuel Clapp, Benjamin Bigelow, Davis Converse, Daniel Gates, Asa Burton, Stephen Converse, James Benjamin, Thomas Kinne, and Beriah Curtis. In 1785, Dr. Ezra Starkweather came from Stonington. He was a Rev. War soldier and had lost 4 sons in the Rev.

71 men from Worthington and Ashfield marched to Cambridge immediately after Lexington. Supposedly no town in the country was more drained of men, money, and material than Worthington during the Rev. War.

James was a private in Capt. Oliver Lyman's Co., Col. Dike's Regt., and received pay for travel allowance dated Dorchester, Nov. 27, 1776 and was listed under the return of men in service from Dec. 1776 to March 1777.

James is listed in the Hampden Co. Deeds Book 8 p. 756 and 757 in land transactions with John Worthington.

James died intestate and administration of his estate is bound in Box 13:45 with the Widow as administrator and bonds given by Nathan Leonard, Joseph Marsh, and Priscilla Benjamin. He owed money to Chester and Isaac Benjamin. In 1774 Samuel Clapp, "Administrator with ye late Widow of said Dec'd prays allowance, etc.". James' estate was valued at about 479 pounds.

On Nov. 17, 1773 Asa, James, and Roger chose Samuel Clapp as their guardian. In different handwriting is added Priscilla, Lydia, Selah Barnard, Keziah, Eli, and Delight Skiff (John her husband). Samuel Clapp and Elisha Benjamin of Worthington and Joseph Billings of Hatfield put up the bond for the guardian.

The children were all baptised after James had died, and were named as children of the Widow Benjamin.

Children of James and Priscilla (Burton) Benjamin:

*834. Elisha Benjamin b. January 14, 1751 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-46).

*835. Asa Benjamin b. October 27, 1753 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-46).

836. Delight Benjamin b. August 28, 1755 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-46); m. April 1, 1773 John Skiff (Skitt).

*837. James Benjamin Jr. b. July 20, 1757 at Preston, Conn.

*838. Roger Benjamin b. September 10, 1759 at Preston.

*839. Priscilla Benjamin b. July 17, 1761 at Preston.

*840. Lydia Benjamin bc. 1763, perh. at Worthington, Mass.

*841. Selah (Salah/Sala) Bernard (Barnard) Benjamin b. May 18, 1766 at Worthington, Mass.

842. Keziah (Coziah) Benjamin b. July 4, 1768 at Worthington, Mass.; bp. July 17, 1773 at Worthington (cr); m. October 5, 1786 (Chester, Mass. vr) to Levi Leonard of Worthington. She may have d. Oct. 2,

1851.

Resources: Manuscript of The Benjamin Family, Edith Benjamin; Wilson Papers; Lineage of My Children, Keogh, 1926; Research of Mrs. John W. Keller of Litiz, Penn.; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church Records; Barbour Collection of Conn Vital Records; Records of Mrs. Ella Sprague of Grand Island, Nebraska.

378. BARZILLIA BENJAMIN[5] (Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born March 28, 1730/1 (Dr. Wilson says b. 1728) at Preston, Conn.; the son of Joseph and Deborah (Clark) Benjamin; bapt. May 9, 1730 at Griswold, Conn. (vr BP-12) of heart disease. He married Ann (Anna) Cheedler (Cheedlang/Cheedlong/Chaidlaw/Cheseboro). She was born in 1740 and died March 15, 1825 at Milford, Conn. (vr BP-52), age 85. They are both buried in the Milford, Conn. Cemetery lot #1-134. Ann had a brother or uncle who was a physician residing in Youngstown, N.Y.

Barzillia is listed in the 1790 Federal Census in Milford, Conn. with 3-3-1 and in the 1800 census at Milford with 0-0-1-0-1//0-1-0-0-1.

He and his wife were admitted to full communion Nov. 21, 1773 at Milford. (cr 1-48).

Governor Law of Connecticut brought Barzillia to Milford to take care of his lands. Barzillia was in feeble health at the time of the Revolutionary War, so he hired a susbtitute to serve for him. He died from a heart attack. He owned several negro slaves, who, when freed at the time of the Rev. War, assumed the name of Benjamin. In 1890 one of the negro descendants was Charles Benjamin, who was born in Milford and resided in New Haven, Conn.

Supposedly, Ann's writing desk has been handed down in this family.

Children of Barzillia and Ann (Cheedler) Benjamin:

*843. Anna Benjamin bc. 1765 at Milford, Conn.
*844. Joseph Benjamin bc. 1771 at Milford, Conn.
845. Marystill Benjamin bp. November 21, 1773 at Milford, Conn. (cr 1-94); d. June 1779 at Milford. (vr).
846. William S. Benjamin. According to Dr. Wilson, his where abouts were unknown in 1900.
*847. Barzallia Benjamin Jr. bc. 1773 at Milford, Conn.
*848. Nathan C. Benjamin b. August 10, 1774 at Milford.
*849. John Benjamin b. December 22, 1779 at Milford.
*850. Elias Benjamin b. July 21, 1782 at Milford, Conn.
851. Polly Benjamin bc. 1784-90.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Research of Mr. W. A. Palmer of Milford, Conn.; Barbour Collection of Conn. Vital Records.

379. DEBORAH BENJAMIN[5] (Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born March 26, 1732 at Preston, Conn.; the dau. of Joseph and Deborah (Clark) Benjamin; bapt. April 16, 1732 at Griswold, Conn. (cr 1-61); died December 2, 1830 at Brooklyn, Conn. She married John

Cady of Canterbury, Conn. on April 14,1752 (Preston vr 6-8 and Pomfret vr 1-103). He was the son of Jonathan Cady and was born April 10, 1728 at Canterbury, Conn. and died June 30, 1805 at Brooklyn, Conn. They are both buried in the Brooklyn Cemetery.

They lived in Brooklyn, Conn., where John's father gave him 100 acres on October 1, 1747.

(Note: The church record 1-257 at Griswold gives their marriage date as February 13, 1752. This may be an "intentions" date.)

(Note: There may have been more children and the birth dates might not be accurate.)

Children of John and Deborah (Benjamin) Cady:

852. Anna Cady b. November 26, 1752 at Brooklyn, Conn.
853. John C. Cady b. 1757; d. unm. June 7, 1853.
854. Lavinia Cady b. July 8, 1758 at Brooklyn, Conn.; m. March 3, 1779 Col. Samuel Webb.

The three children listed above are buried with their parents.

Resources: The lineage of My Children, Keogh, 1926; Gen. of the Benjamin Family, Baker, 1898; Wilson Papers; Desc. of Nicholas Cady, Allen, p. 45; Book 5 p. 38 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey; Vol. 67 p. 376 N. E. Hist. and Gen. Register.

380. JOSIAH BENJAMIN[5] (Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born March 13, 1734/5 at Preston, Conn.; the son of Joseph and Deborah (Clark) Benjamin; bapt. April 7, 1734 at Griswold (New Haven Cong. cr); died July 1805 at Stillwater, Saratoga Co., New York. He married --- (perhaps --- Brush). (Perhaps related in some way to a Thomas Brush.)

Josiah moved to Suffolk County and was mustered into the N.Y. Provincial Troops. He enlisted March 27, 1759 at the age of 25, was listed as a gunsmith, born in Conn., and was under Capt. Mulford. This was in the campaign against the French.

Josiah was a lieutenant in the Revolutionary War and he and his son, Josiah Jr., served in the 13th Regt., Albany County Militia. This regiment was made up of men from the Saratoga District, which included the towns of Stillwater and Saratoga, and was sometimes referred to as the "Stillwater Regiment".

He was listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Stillwater, Albany Co., N.Y. with 3-1-3 and in the 1800 census at the same place with 2-1-0-0-1//0-0-0-1-0.

In the Mt. Washington, Mass. land records in 1765 (Book 4 p. 403) he bought land from Thomas W olcutt and is listed as being "of Berkshire Co., Mass." In 1766 he sold the same land to Samuel Dibble.

His will is dated July 17, 1805 and proved August 20, 1805 and is located in Book 1 p. 314 of the Saratoga Co., N.Y. Probate Records. Josiah Benjamin, Elisha Andrews, and

John Nuter are named executors. He names sons: Eliakim and Josiah Jr. and granddau. Dytha Benjamin (under age) and grandsons: Josiah III, Nathan, and Thomas (Nathan and Thomas are under age) and dau. Abigail Kellogg. Witnesses to his will were William Patrick Jr., Amos Mulliken, and N. Metcalfe.

In Saratoga Co. Land Records Book 2 p. 483 on June 12, 1797 William M. (S)ee of the Town of Stillwater, Saratoga Co., N.Y. sold 500 acres to Josiah Benjamin in Lot #12 of Camillus, Onondaga Co., N.Y. John Thompson and Eliakim Benjamin were witnesses.

Children of Josiah Benjamin:

*855. Josiah Benjamin Jr. b. September 1761 at Dutchess Co., New York.
*856. Thomas B. (Brush) Benjamin bc. 1760-74.
*857. Eliakim Benjamin bc. 1760-74.
*858. Abigail Benjamin.

Resources: p. 202 Muster Rolls of N.Y. Provential Troops 1755-64; p. 90 Hist. of Saratoga Co., N.Y., Sylvester; Saratoga Co. Probate Records; Records of Miss Susan Hayner, late Stillwater Co. Historian; Research of Gloria Wall Bicha of Racine, Wis.; Pension Papers for Rev. War.

381. CAPT. NATHAN BENJAMIN^{5} (Joseph^{4-3-2}, John^{1}) born April 19, 1737 at Preston, Conn.; the son of Joseph and Deborah (Clark) Benjamin; bapt. May 22, 1737 (on wife's account) at the North Preston Cong. Church (cr 1-66); and died July 1, 1785 at South Egremont, Mass. and is buried in the Bow Wow Bemetery at Sheffield, Mass. He m/1 Abigail Dibble of Mt. Washington, Mass. on January 20, 1761 at Mt. Washington, the dau. of John Dibble. She was born March 30, 1741 either at Mt. Washington or Torrington, Conn. and died September 8, 1772, age 31, at Mt. Washington (gs) and is burried in the Anna Lee Cemetery at Mt. Washington. Nathan m/2 Hannah Wells at West Hartford, Conn. (vr 1-120) on December 23, 1773. She died at East Bloomfield, New York, date unknown. She m/2 Esquire Eluid Hopkins of South Egremont. He was born February 1, 1741/2 at Waterbury, Conn. and died November 27, 1809 at East Bloomfield, N.Y. Hannah survived him. Eulid had m/1 Chloe King.

(Note: There was a letter among the Wilson Papers writen to Dr. Wilson, which states that the families of the writer felt that Nathan's children were "somewhat cheated out of their inheritance by their step-father".)

Nathan moved from Preston, Conn. to Milford, Conn., and then to Mt. Washington, Mass. He went to New York State (Saratoga Co. area), but after the Revolutionary War he returned to Mt. Washington. He was admitted Freeman in the town of Torrington, Conn. after the Declaration of Independence.

Nathan helped found the town of Mt. Washington. The "legal bill of sale" of the Mt. Washington area was given

to John Halenbeck and 79 other persons by the Stockbridge Indians on March 15, 1757 for 261 pounds. No Benjamins, however, were listed among the 79 other purchasers. A map entitled "A Plan of the South end of Tanconnack Mountain-Mt. Washington area-containing 15,455 acres and 155 square rods, was presented with a petition of Nathan Benjamin to the General Court in February 1774. This map contains the boundaries of the subdivison of the then settled area into over 50 lots (or tracts), most averaging 100 acres in size. Two of these lots were labeled at "deeded" to Nathan, Peleg, (Peelig), Judah, and Mary Benjamin. Two other lots were deeded to Nathan Benjamin only. Five years after Nathan had presented this petition to the General Court, the Town of Mt. Washington was incorporated on June 21, 1779.

Nathan was by far one of the wealthiest men in the town. There is a story handed down, that many of Nathan's neighbors wondered how he had obtained so much money. Some went so far as to feel that he might be a counterfeiter. One day a few mustered up sufficient courage to ask him how he had made so much money. He did not deny any of the stories that they had heard, but when they finished, he said that he would gladly show them the tools that he had used to make his money. When they were shown plows, scythes, hoes, shovels, etc., they exclaimed that they weren't counterfeiting tools! Nathan explained quietly that <u>those</u> were the tools he had used to make his money.

He obtained a grant of land in Weston, Mass. On Dec. 1, 1759 he bought from Moses Sawyer a piece of land situated on the Taconnack (Taconic) Mountain, west of Sheffiel Mass. On March 29, 1773 Nicholas VanGiler sold 50 acres in Egremont to Nathan.

Nathan was called Captain, but how he got that name (unless it was honarary) was never known. He served as a private in Lt. Andre Loomis' Co., Col. Ashley's Regt. in 1781 and also in Capt. Spoor's Co. in the same Regt. In the French and Indian War, Nathan enlisted on March 24, 1759 at the age of 22, gunsmith, born in Conn., in the New York Provencial Troops under Capt. Silas Cook.

Hannah Wells was admitted to the church in W. Hartford, Conn. in 1766 and by letter from that church to one in Egremont on October 30, 1774.

In Dr. Wilson's papers, from the County Records search in 1881 by W. L. Hicks, probably County Clark at that time, said that he could find records that Eluid Hopkins of Bloomfield, N.Y. had died and that Hannah Hopkins and Pitts Hopkins conveyed land in Bloomfield to Hannah Benjamin and Ira Benjamin, and afterward to Josiah Benjamin. He also found deeds from them, but none from Hannah Benjamin or Hannah Hopkins.

Children of Nathan and Abigail (Dibble) Benjamin:

*859. Mary Benjamin b. April 11, 1762 at Mt. Washington, Mass.

*860. Joseph Benjamin b. July 1, 1763/4 at Mt. Washington (vr), Mass.
*861. Abigail Benjamin b. 1766/7 at Mt. Washington.
*862. Nathan Benjamin Jr. b. March 7, 1769 at S. Egremont.
*863. Sarah Benjamin b. 1770/1 at S. Egremont.

Children of Nathan and Hannah (Wells) Benjamin:
*864. Ira Benjamin bc. 1774 at S. Egremont, Mass.
865. Calvin Benjamin bc. 1775 at Mt. Washington, Mass.; supposed to have died unmarried before 1800. Dr. Wilson's records indicated he became a merchant in Canandaigua, N.Y. and was a great friend of the Indians, and died there about 23/4 years of age.
*866. Josiah Benjamin bc. 1776 at Mt. Washington, Mass.
*867. Luther W. Benjamin bc. 1778 at Mt. Washington, Mass.
*868. John Benjamin b. February 4, 1782 at Egremont, Mass.
*869. Hannah Benjamin b. December 9, 1783 at S. Egremont.

Children of Eluid and Hannah (Wells Benjamin) Hopkins:
Esther Hopkins.

Resources: Vol. 1 p. 20-1 Colonial Families of U.S., McKenzie; Vol. 2 p. 567 Ibid; Desc. of John Whitman of Weymouth, Mass., Farnam; Mt. Washington Town Records; p. 182 John Hopkins of Cambridge, Mass., Hopkins, 1932; Muster Rolls of N.Y. Provincial Troops 1755-64; Vol. 25 p. 123-4 DAR Lineage Book; Wilson Papers; Research of Mr. Waite S. Brush of Copake Falls, N.Y.; Book 2 p. 77 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey; Letters of Lucy Benjamin Perry to Dr. Wilson; Vol. 24 p. 206 N.Y. Hist. Society Collection.

382. MARY BENJAMIN[5] (Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 22/25, 1739 at Preston, Conn.; the dau. of Joseph and Deborah (Clark) Benjamin; bapt. August 5, 1739 at Griswold First Church (cr); died November 25, 1819. She married January 28, 1762 at Windham, Conn. (vr 2-73) Andrew Durkee. He was the son of Stephen and Lois (Moulton) Durkee and was born November 25, 1737 at Hampton, Conn. and died November 17, 1814 from a fall from the steps of Dorrance House (hotel) in Luzerne County, Penn.

Children of Andrew and Mary (Benjamin) Durkee:
870. Mary Durkee b. January 11, 1763 at Windham, Conn. (vr 2-73); m. August 8, 1780 Nathaniel Fuller.
*871. Elisha Durkee b. June 8, 1764 at Hampton, Conn. (vr 3-34).
872. Anna Durkee b. April 19, 1766 at Windham, Conn. (vr 2-73); m. --- Tracy.
*873. Wilkes Durkee b. July 25, 1768 at Hampton, Conn. (vr 1-334 and Pomfret, Conn. vr 1-97).
874. Ebenezer Durkee b. November 28, 1769; m. Thenza Rood.
875. Cynthia Durkee b. February 8, 1772; m. April 2, 1794 Luther Burnett at Hampton, Conn. She d. December 12, 1863 at Scipio, N.Y.
876. Sally Durkee b. January 27, 1774; m. April 2, 1797 at

Hampton, Conn. (vr 1-336) Foster Preston.

877. Lois Durkee b. June 16, 1777; m. Ebenezer Griffin.

*878. Robert Durkee b. February 23, 1779 at Hampton, Conn.

879. Royal Durkee b. June 19, 1784 at Hampton, Conn.

880. Jared Durkee b. September 2, 1786 at Hampton, Conn.; m. Lydia Taylor.

Resources: Gen. Dictionary of N.E. Settlers, Savage; Hist. of Windham, Conn., Learned; Records of Mrs. Harry F. Going of Pontiac, Mich., which were collected by her grandfather Lester Coonley; Records of Karl W. Krantz of Schenectady, N.Y.

383. ISAAC BENJAMIN[5] (Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born April 15, 1742 at Preston, Conn.; the son of Joseph and Deborah (Clark) Benjamin; bapt. May 23, 1742 at Griswold Church (cr 1-72). His death date is unknown, as is the place. He may have married Mercy Clark, the dau.of John and Mary (Benjamin or Tobey) Clark.

Isaac served in the Revolutionary War. He belonged to Capt. Ranson and Capt. Durkee's Company, which was stationed at Wyoming and who were considered as part of the quota from the state of Conn. He also enlisted April 18, 1760, age 18, a cooper, born in Preston, Conn., in the New York Provincial Troops under Capt. Silas Cook.

There is an Isaac Benjamin in Luzerne County, Pennsylvania in the 1790 census with 1-0-5. In deeds at Springfield, Mass. he sold land there in 1776 when he was "of Westmoreland, Conn. (later became part of Penn.). From deeds, he owned land at Chester, Mass. also.

In History of Wyoming, Penn., a map of Westmoreland appears and on it is a plot of land shown as belonging to "Benjamin". Also, mention is made of Isaac Benjamin's service as a soldier. The map is of the Connecticut Surveys. There were 17 towns claimed by Conn. before the decree of Trenton, which added them to Penn.

Isaac bought land from Joseph Benjamin in 1766 in Plain field, Conn.

There are no pension records on file for Isaac in the National Archives.

Children of Isaac and Mercy (Clark) Benjamin:

881. Abigail Benjamin m. David Hill, who was b. at Beaver Co., Penn. in 1776. They had a son Britton Armstrong Hill b. 1816/7 at Milford, New Jersey.

?*882. Isaac Benjamin b. March 27, 1771.

Resources: Hale's Collection of Conn. Church Records; The Benjamin Families of Norwich and Preston, Mrs. E. E. Rogers, 1917; Wilson Papers; p. 284 Muster Rolls for N.Y. Provincial Troops 1755-64.

384. OBED(IAH) BENJAMIN[5] (Obediah[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) birth date unknown; the son of Obediah and Mary (Yarrington) Benjamin;

bapt. March 9, 1729 at the North or Second Church of Preston, Conn. (cr 1-60); died May 17, 1816 at Wolfville, King County, Nova Scotia, Canada. He m/1 March 27, 1755 at First Cong. Church of Griswold, Conn. (cr 1-257) Mary Hurd (Herd). She was born about 1731 and died December 28, 1786 at Horton Township, King Co., Nova Scotia. He m/2 July 9, 1787 at Horton (Town Book rec.) Deborah Strong. No data on her.

Obed was a farmer and lived near Wolfville, Horton Township, King's Co., Nova Scotia. He was a grantee of Horton Township. On August 29, 1791 there was an assessment on the inhabitants of the township of Horton. Obed, Obed Jr., Caleb and Stephen were in the first class of names and taxed 5 shillings and Jacob and Abel were in the fifth class and taxed 1 shilling. (The fifth class were made up of people who were laborers or owned less than 6 head of cattle.

In Vol. 443 of the Public Archives of Nova Scotia 1676-1694, #7, the return of the township of Horton, dated Jan. 5, 1770, it listed Obed Benjamin as having "5 boys, 1 woman, 1 girl, Protestant, American, 1 horse, 4 oxen and bulls, 1 saw mill". It listed the 1769 produce and showed he raised wheat, peas, and flaxseed. It also showed that one female had been born within the year.

Mary and her husband, Obed, "owed ye covenant" at Griswold, Conn. on April 23, 1758 (First cr).

Mary Hurd was the dau. of Thomas and Lidia (---) Hurd and was born in Plainfield, Conn.

When Obediah died he had considerable estate. He had established a grist mill and saw mill on the Gaspereau River and gave a farm to each of his four sons. His will was dated Nov. 6, 1806, and named each of his children with a division of property. (N.S. Archives film real #567591).

In 1760 Obediah Benjamin obtained one share (500 acres) in the Township of Horton, Nova Scotia, and moved there with his wife and 2 sons. They traveled from Conn. by sea. They were actually taking over land left by the French when they fled to Louisiana.

Children of Obediah and Mary (Hurd) Benjamin:

*883. Stephen Benjamin b. October 12, 1751 at Preston, Conn.

*884. Caleb Benjamin b. December 10/11, 1759 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-76).

*885. Abel Benjamin b. May 26, 1762 at Horton Twp., Nova Scotia, Canada.

886. Obed(iah) Benjamin Jr. b. December 5, 1764 at Horton; named in his father's will in 1806 and stated that he was to receive 160 pounds and "had already received some marshlands". He was the only son not to get a farm from his father. Apparently he was not married as there are no records of his death, burial, cattle markings, or town notes, so it would seem that he moved away from this area.

*887. Jacob Benjamin b. Oct. 14, 1766 at Horton Twp.

*888. Lydia Benjamin b. August 20, 1768 at Horton Twp.
*889. Elizabeth Marion Benjamin b. December 31, 1770 at Horton Twp.

Children of Obediah and Deborah (Strong) Benjamin:
890. Mary Benjamin b. March 18, 1793 at Horton Twp., Nova Scotia. She is not mentioned in her father's will, so apparently she died young.

Resources: p. 4 Public Archives, N.S. Horton Township Book 1751-1889; Wilson Papers; p. 315 Desc. of Moses Cleveland, Cleveland, 1899; Book 4 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey; Research done by Miss Edwards of Halifax, N.S.; Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, R. Allen Benjamin, 1973.

385. ABEL BENJAMIN[5] (Obediah[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born at Preston, Conn.; the son of Obediah and Mary (Yarrington) Benjamin; bapt. July 11, 1731 at Preston, Conn. (First Cong. Church cr 1-61); died December 1823, age 92 (gs) at Burlington, Otsego Co., New York and is buried in the Burlington Green Cemetery. He married April 8, 1759 Esther Smith of Norwich, Conn. at Norwich (vr 2-228). He parentage is unknown, but her father was a sea captain in the merchant service. She was born in 1739/40 at Norwich and died February 18, 1822, age 83 (gs) at Burlington, N.Y. She is buried with her husband. From her obit in the Watch Tower (a Cooperstown, N. Y. newspaper) it said she had been married over 60 years, had 7 children, 30 grandchildren, and 52 great-grandchildren.

Abel was noted for his industry, temperance, and frugality. He was "of Norwich" at the time of his marriage, at the "Falls of the Quineburg" (probably Quinebaug). In March 1790 they moved to Burlington, Otsego Co., N.Y., which was then a wilderness. They were listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Otsego, Montgomery Co., N.Y. with 4-4-4 and in the 1800 census at Burlington, Otsego Co., N.Y. with 1 male 16/26; 1 male 45+; and 1 female 45+. For the last 10 or 15 years of their lives they lived with their son, Lathrop Benjamin.

Children of Abel and Esther (Smith) Benjamin:
891. Amelia (Ann on birth rec.) Benjamin b. October 7, 1760 at Norwich, Conn. (vr 2-228); bp. May 31, 1771 at Norwich First Cong. Church (cr 2-164); died about 1840; m. Benjamin Story, a saddler, and had a large family; believed to have moved to Western New York.
*892. Asa Benjamin b. March 20, 1762 at Preston or Norwich, Conn.
*893. Samuel Benjamin b. December 5, 1763 at Preston, Conn.
894. Abel Benjamin Jr. b. August 10, 1765 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-17); bp. May 31, 1771 at Norwich First Cong. Church (cr 2-164); died August 9, 1787, age 22, (gs) and buried at Preston, Conn. cemetery lot

#4-83.

*895. Solomon Benjamin b. June 15, 1767 at Norwich, Conn. (vr 2-228).

896. Elizabeth (Betsey) Benjamin b. March 20, 1769 at Norwich, Conn. (vr 2-228); bp. May 21, 1771 at Norwich Cong. Church (cr 2-164); m. January 27, 1790 Blanchard Darby of Norwich at Preston, Conn. (vr 1-81). She died about 1818.

*897. Rodolphus (Rudolphus) Benjamin b. November 20/26, 1770 at Norwich, Conn. (vr 2-365).

*898. Christopher Benjamin b. August 14, 1774 at Norwich, Conn.

899. Mary Benjamin b. July 16, 1776 at Norwich; probably died young.

?900. Anna Benjamin b. 1773; d. June 5, 1794, age 20 (gs) and buried at the Preston, Conn. Cemetery lot #4-83 (the same lot as Abel Jr. is buried in).

*901. Lathrop Benjamin b. October 24, 1782 at Norwich, Conn.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Barbour Collection of Conn. Vital Records; p. 191-4 Rix Gen., Rix, 1906; Research of Mrs. Gordon (Bethany) Ginther of Norwich, N.Y., which included a diary of Herny D. Benjamin; Norwich, Conn. Vital Records; Records of Mrs. Samuel Medbury of New Berlin, N.Y.; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records; Vol. 60 p. 122 N.E. Gen. and Hist. Register; Bible records in the possession of Mrs. Floyd Salisbury in 1958 of Garrettsville, N.Y.

386. EBENEZER BENJAMIN[5] (Obediah[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born December 14, 1734/5 at Preston, Conn. (then Griswold) (vr 7-9); son of Obediah and Mary (Yarrenton) Benjamin; bapt. April 28, 1737 or December 14, 1735 (on wife's account) at Griswold (cr 1-64); died December 22, 1789 at Red Rock, Columbia Co., New York, which is located in the southeast corner in the present town of Chatham. He married November 26, 1761 at the First Cong. Church of Preston (cr 44-156) Phoebe Benjamin (#418), the dau. of Daniel (#149) and Phoebe (Guile) Benjamin. They were first cousins. She was born September 29, 1744; bp. Sept. 29, 1745 at Griswold First Cong. Church (cr 1-76); and died November 2, 1813, age 69 (gs) at Chatham, New York. They are buried in a vault on the Benjamin farm in Red Rock.

Ebenezer served in the French and Indian Wars. He was a priveate in the 4th Company of the First Regiment of Conn. Troops. Israel Putnam was Captain and Major Gen. Phineas Lyman was commander. This was in the expedition raised against Crown Point in 1756.

In the Revolutionnary War he was a Lieutenant and Captain in the Fifth Company of the 17th Regiment of Albany County Militia (N.Y.) under Lt. Col. William Bradford Whitney.

In 1774 he removed to Red Rock and settled in Old

Caanan, which was 4 miles east of Chatham, N.Y., in the Red Rock District.

In 1762 he lived in Preston, Conn., near the Stonington line. In the 1790 Federal Census Phoebe Benjamin was listed in Caanan, Albany Co., N.Y. with 2-2-2 and in the 1800 census she is at Chatham Twp., Columbia Co., N.Y. with: 1-1-3-1-0//1-1-1-0-1.

Ebenezer's Rev. War pension number is #S12151.

Children of Ebenezer and Phoebe (Benjamin) Benjamin:

*902. Daniel Benjamin b. September 26, 1762 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-43).
*903. Ebenezer S. Benjamin b. April 14, 1766 at Preston.
*904. William Benjamin b. April 16, 1768/9 at Preston.
*905. Benjamin B. Benjamin b. January 13, 1770 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-43).
906. Grace Benjamin b. August 9, 1771 at Preston, Conn.; m. --- Bromley.
*907. Elizabeth Benjamin b. May 11, 1773 at Preston.
908. Lyol Benjamin (Edith Benjamim listed this son, who died young.) His name does not appear in the Wilson Papers.
*909. Elijah Benjamin b. August 28, 1778 at Red Rock, N.Y.
*910. Phoebe Benjamin b. January18, 1780 at Red Rock, N.Y.
*911. Darius Benjamin b. February 15, 1781 at Red Rock.
*912. Martin Benjamin bc. 1785/87 at Red Rock, N.Y.
*913. Asa Benjamin bc. 1791 at Red Rock, N.Y.
914. Anna Benjamin; m. --- Merchant.

Resources: Benjamin Family of Columbia Co., N.Y., Reuben M. Benjamin, 1911; The Benjamin Family, Edith Benjamin; Wilson Papers; N.Y. in Rev. as Colony and State, Roberts, 1898; Boston Transcript July 28, 1902; p. 69 Vol. 5 Abridged Compendius of Am. Gen.; Vol. 100 p. 241 DAR Lineage Book, also Vol. 107 p. 136; Vol. 4 p. 112 Colonial Families of Am., McKenzie.

387. ELIZABETH BENJAMIN[5] (Obediah[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born in Preston, Conn.; the dau. of Obediah and Mary (Yarrenton) Benjamin; bapt. April 28, 1737 (on wife's account) at the Griswold First Cong. Church (cr 1-66). She married Abraham Snow of Mansfield, Conn. on June 3, 1761. (Mansfield vr).

Children of Abraham and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Snow:

915. Abraham Snow bp. June 3, 1761 at Canterbury, Conn. Cong. Church.

Resources: p. 102 Records of Cong. Church in Canterbury, Conn.; p. 281 Mansfield, Conn. Vital Records 1703-1850, Susan Dimock.

388. JACOB BENJAMIN[5] (Obediah[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born in Preston, Conn.; the son of Obediah and Mary (Yarrenton) Benjamin; bapt. Maroh 18, 1739 at the Griswold First Cong. Chruch (cr 1-67). He married Esther Dunham.

There is some confusion regarding this Jacob. Helen Brown believed that he had also gone to Nova Scotia, Canada but there seem to be no records regarding him there.

Children of Jacob and Esther (Dunham) Benjamin:
916. Esther Benjamin b. October 25, 1774 at W. Windsor, Conn.; d. March 1864; m. David Bliss Benjamin.

Resources: Salt Lake City Family Group Sheet on file at the library there.

394. ELIZABETH PARK[5] (Elizabeth[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born at Preston, Conn.; the dau.of Robert and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Park; bapt. September 14, 1735 at Preston; died November 11, 1762 at Preston, Conn. and buried in the Avery Cemetery at Preston. She married Benjamin Enos of Kings, Conn. He was born February 26, 1733 and may have died either before 1791 or in 1843. He possibly m/2 January 14, 1768 Jerusha Phillips of Richmond, R.I.

Children of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Park) Enos:
917. Joseph Enos b. 1758; d. 1835; m. 1780 Thankful Coon in Hopkinton, R.I.
918. Mary Enos; m. February 18, 1790 Jesse Larkin in Richmond, R.I.
919. Elizabeth Enos; m. April 1, 1778 William Bentley in Westerly, R.I.

Children of Benjamin and Jerusha (Phillips) Enos:
Park Enos; m. 1790 Margaret Carpenter.
Benjamin Enos; m. 1791 Penelope Kenyon.

Resource: Records sent by Mrs. Ross B. Johnson of Santa Fe, N.M.

407. PHINEAS BENJAMIN[5] (Jedediah[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born October 5, 1733 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-37); the son of Jedediah and Patience (Stanton) Benjamin; bapt. July 22, 1771 at Sharon, Conn. as an adult (cr 1-4); died June 15, 1804 at Sharon, Conn. and is buried in the Ellsworth Burying Ground on Sharon Mountain, lot #2-108. He m/1 Zipporah Spaulding on November 14, 1759 at Canterbury, Conn. (vr 1-70), the dau. of Josiah and Hannah (Grover) Spaulding. She was born March 6, 1742 and died January 14, 1764 at Canterbury, Conn. He m/2 Jemmina Hollister (Holliston) on May 12, 1768 at Sharon, Conn. (According to family accounts, he m/2 May 12, 1780, but this wouldn't account for the births before that date.) She was the dau. of Samuel and Jemima (Phelps) Hollister and was born November 27, 1749 at Sharon, Conn.

Phineas and wife Jemima were admitted July 22, 1770 at the Sharon First Church of Christ Cong. (cr 1-4) and he was bapt. on that date.

In the 1800 census of Sharon, Conn. he is listed with: 1-1-0-0-1//0-1-0-0-1.

Phineas was a private in Capt. Theodore Woodbridge's

Co. of Conn. Line Infantry. He was also in Col. Herman Swift's Regt. He is on the Conn. Pension List with #245259.

Children of Phineas and Zipporah (Spaulding) Benjamin:

*920. Phineas Benjamin Jr. b. February 7, 1761 at Canterbury, Conn. (vr 1-81).

921. Zipporah Benjamin b. April 8, 1763; d. December 5, 1840 (her will dated Dec. 29, 1840); m. Daniel Field, son of Deacon John and Lydia (Warren) Field. The was b. May 19, 1755 at Providence, R.I. They had no children, but adopted Daniel Field, a son of his brother Lemuel. In her will she left beds, linens, and dishes to her niece Cornelia Benjamin.

Children of Phineas and Jemima (Hollister) Benjamin:

*922. Jemima Benjamin b. November 1, 1769 at Sharon, Conn.

923. Samuel Benjamin b. February 9, 1771 at Sharon, Conn. (vr 7-298).

924. Priscilla Benjamin b. January 17, 1773; d. August 4, 1773 at Sharon, Conn. (vr 7-298).

925. Naomi Benjamin b. June 2, 1774; bp. August 11, 1776 at Sharon First Church of Christ Cong. (cr 1-352).

926. Sibbel Benjamin b. June 2, 1776 at Sharon, Conn.; m. Joshua Meade. Their dau., Rebecca Meade was born at Amenia, Dutchess Co., N.Y. and m. 1834 at Manilus, Onondaga Co., N.Y. to John M. Webster, b. March 1810.

*927. Amos Benjamin b. September 10, 1778 at Sharon, Conn. (vr 8-61).

928. Marilla Benjamin b. December 7, 1780 at Sharon, Conn. (vr 8-61).

929. Joel Benjamin b. December 3, 1783 at Sharon, Conn. (vr 8-61).

930. Zipporah Benjamin bc. 1785; d. August 17, 1788, age 3 years (gs) and buried in lot #3-76 of the Cartwight Burhing Grounds in Sharon, Conn.

931. Lucius Benjamin b. May 23, 1785 at Sharon, Conn.

932. Electa D. Benjamin b. July 25, 1789 at Sharon, Conn. (vr 10-142); d. July 13, 1808, age 19 (gs) and buried in the Amenia Burying Gounds, N.Y.

*933. Daniel Benjamin b. December 27, 1791 (gs) at Sharon, Conn.

Resources: The Benjamin Family of Norwich and Preston, by Mrs. E. E. Rogers, 1917; Sharon, Conn. Vital Records; Hist. of Ancient Westhersfield, Stiles; Book 3 p. 27 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey; Gen. and Hist. of John Webster, Webster, 1915; p. 122 Hollister Fam. of Am., Case, 1886; Spaulding Memorial, Spaulding, 1897; p. 349, 526 Field Gen., Pierce, 1901; Vol. 137 p. 99 DAR Lineage Book; Vol. 24 p. 230 Am. Genealogist.

408. PATIENCE BENJAMIN[5] (Jedediah[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born February

25, 1735 at Preston, Conn.; the dau. of Jedediah and Patience (Stanton) Benjamin; died about 1770 at Canterbury, Conn.; married May 4/9, 1754 at Canterbury, Con. at the First Chruch (cr R-45) Hopestill Cleveland, son of Samuel[3] Cleveland. He was born about 1727 and died January 6, 1806 at Wilbraham, Mass., age 82. (In the Hartford Times, her husband was called Samuel Cleveland.) He probably married again.

Children of Hopestill and Patience (Benjamin) Cleveland:

934. Patience Cleveland b. January 12, 1757 at Canterbury, Conn.; m. Ephraim Wright at Palmer, Mass. He was b. at Sturbridge, Mass. Feb. 25, 1754. Patience died about 1802 and he, with his son Eprhaim, removed to Morgan Co., Ohio, where both died. Patience and Ephraim had 7 children: Abigail Upham Cleveland b. 1777; Orange b. 1779; Patience b.1781; Bathsheba b. 1785; Charlotte b. 1787, Ephraim b. 1790; and Mary b. 1792.
935. Elisha Cleveland b. June 12, 1759.
936. David Cleveland b. July 9, 1765.
937. Esther Cleveland b. June 30, 1767.
938. Samuel Cleveland b. June 14, 1769.

Resources: p. 130 Desc. of the Cleveland Fam., Cleveland, 1899; Book 2 p. 124 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey; Hartford Times June 21, 1952 and Sept. 13, 1958; Records of Lois Wright of Lansing, Michigan.

409. HANNAH BENJAMIN[5] (Jedediah[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born May 22, 1737 at Preston, Conn.; the dau. of Jedediah and Patience (Stanton) Benjamin. She may have died at Brookfield, Vermont. She m/1 February 25, 1755/6 at Canterbury, Conn. Cong. Church (cr R-45) to Benjamin Brown, the son of Benjamin and Abigail (Cleveland) Brown. He was born about April 1732/3 at Canterbury, Conn. and died January 1, 1792 (or 1798) at Canterbury, Conn. Hannah m/2 June 30, 1793 Benjamin Abbott. (Abott).

Benjamin Brown was living in the house of his grandfather, Josiah Cleveland, at the latter's death. In 1751 he is called "the minor son of Mrs. Abigail Adams" and in her will was called "eldest son". Benjamin's will was dated Nov. 28, 1791 and probated Feb. 7, 1792.

Children of Benjamin and Hannah (Benjamin) Brown:

939. Benjamin Brown b. January 25, 1756 at Canterbury, Conn.; m. December 17, 1779 Esther Staples.
940. Jedediah Brown b. January 1, 1757; m. September 20, 1789 Lydia Johnson; m/2 Lucy ---.
941. John Brown b. August 27, 1758; d. 1780.
942. Hutchenson Brown b. January 16, 1760; d. Sept. 7, 1778.
943. Anna Brown b. October 20, 1761 at Canterbury; m. --- Parker.

944. Daniel Brown b. April 10, 1763 at Canterbury, Conn.
945. Billesent Brown b. September 13, 1764; m. --- Morse.
946. Arauna (Aruna) Brown b. April 21, 1766; m. Rebecca Dyer; he d. Oct. 8, 1841 at Branch Co., Michigan.
947. Hannah Brown b. April 27, 1769; m. --- Morse.
948. Bial (Abial) Brown b. April 30, 1770 at Canterbury.
949. Rufus Brown b. August 5, 1771; m. May 16, 1797 Mary Williams; he d. in Otsego Co., N.Y.
950. Ebenezer Brown b. February 7, 1773; d. before 1819.
951. Patience Brown b. June 11, 1776.
952. Aurelia Brown b. August 11, 1779; m. David Cleveland.
953. Luther Brown b. November 29, 1782; m. November 15, 1804 Polly Bennett.
954. Abigail Brown; d. before 1819; m. --- Rider.
955. Thankful Brown; m. --- Peabody.

Resources: Hartford Times Sept. 7, 1957; Records of Cong. Church at Canterbury, Conn. 1711-1844, 1932; Wilson Papers; Rix Fam. Gen., Rix, 1906 p. 191-4; p. 76 Desc. of Thomas Brown of Concord, 1962.

411. SIMEON BENJAMIN[5] (Jedediah[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born October 28, 1744 at Canterbury, Conn. (vr 1-77); the son of Jedediah and Patience (Stanton) Benjamin; died November 20, 1825, age 81 (gs) in Otsego County, New York. He married March 29, 1770 at Canterbury, Conn. (vr 1-70) Abigail Foster. She was born in 1755 and died July 15, 1825, age 75 (gs). They are both buried in the Robinson Cemetery at Hartwick, Otsego Co., N.Y. It is an old cemetery, in poor condition, on West Creek Road, between Hartwick and S. Hartwick.

Simeon is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Amenia, Dutchess Co., N.Y. with 4-2-2 and in the 1800 census at Salisbury, Litchfield Co., Conn.

There is a Simeon Benjamin listed from Conn. in the Rev. War, but am not sure if he is the correct one.

Children of Simeon and Abigail (Foster) Benjamin:

*956. Bela E. Benjamin b. June 24, 1771 at Canterbury, Conn. (vr 1-84).
*957. Jedediah Benjamin b. July 15, 1772 at Canterbury, Conn. (vr 1-84).
958. Rebecca Benjamin b. July 29, 1775 at Canterbury, Conn. (vr 1-85); m. November 20, 1823 Benjamin Howell at E. Hartford, Conn. (vr 1-102).
*959. Simeon Benjamin Jr. bc. 1782 at Butchess Co., N.Y.
*960. Ely (Eli) Benjamin bc. 1789/90 in Dutchess Co., N.Y.
*961. Miles Benjamin bc. 1796 prob. in Dutchess Co., N.Y.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y. Barbour's Collection of Conn. Vital Records.

413. JOANNAH BENJAMIN[5] (Jedediah[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born July 10, 1749 at Canterbury, Conn.; the dau. of Jedediah and Patience (Stanton) Benjamin. She married on March 3, 1773 at Windham, Conn. (vr) Ebenezer Farnam.

Children of Ebenezer and Joannah (Benjamin) Farnam:
962. Joel Farnam b. January 3, 1774 at Windham, Conn. (vr).
963. Joanna Farnam b. January 15, 1776 at Windham.
964. Daniel Farnam b. January 5, 1779.
965. Lodema Farnam b. April 18, 1781.

Resources: Vital Records of Conn., Barbour Collection.

417. DANIEL BENJAMIN[5] (Daniel[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born at Preston, Conn.; the son of Daniel and Phoebe (Guile) Benjamin; bapt. October 1744 at the North Church of Preston (cr 1-67). His marriage and death are unknown and the child below is of questionable placement.

Children of Daniel and --- Benjamin:
?966. Charles Benjamin b. 1768; m. Sally Swasey and had children named: Phoebe Benjamin and Charles W. Benjamin who m. Hannah Cree. (See "Unknown" Section for further data on Charles W.)

Resources: Records from Family Group Sheets located in the Salt Lake Library.

418. PHOEBE BENJAMIN[5] (Daniel[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born September 29, 1744 at Preston, Conn.; the dau. of Daniel and Phoebe (Guile) Benjamin; bapt. September 29, 1745 at the Griswold First Cong. Church (cr 1-76); m. November 26, 1761 Ebenezer Benjamin, son of Obediah Benjamin. See #386 for her carry down.

420. ELIZABETH BENJAMIN[5] (Daniel[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born at Preston, Conn.; the dau. of Daniel and Phoebe (Guile) Benjamin; bapt. April 9, 1749 at the North Church of Preston (cr 1-80 She married March 7, 1763 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-33) Captain George Darrow of Stonington, Conn. He was born August 15, 1743 at Stonington. Their marriage is also recorded at Griswold, Conn. (cr 1-259).

Children of George and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Darrow:
967. George Darrow b. March 31, 1764 at Preston, Conn. (vr)
968. Elisha Darrow b. March 1, 1766 at Preston, Conn. (vr)

Resources: Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey, Book 4 p. 41; Hartford Times March 26, 1948.

425. EZRA BENJAMIN[5] (Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born December 13, 1742 at Preston, Conn.; the son of Abial and Judith (Ford) Benjamin; bapt. December 1742 at the Griswold Church (cr 1-73); died September 29/30, 1819 at Griswold, Conn. (Note: His obit is dated Oct. 20, 1819 and gives his age as 77 whereas the church record is dated Oct. 30, 1819 and gives his age as 64-cr 2-172). He is buried at the Rixtown Cemetery at Preston. He m/1 Prudence Maine of Stonington, Conn. on April 27, 1769 at Preston. (vr 2-133). She was born about 1744 and died February 12, 1773 at Griswold (cr

1-204), age 29. (gs). She is buried in the Griswold Cemetery lot #1-9. He m/2 June 2, 1774 at Preston (vr 2-133) Jeane (Jane) Eames of Norwich, Conn. She was the dau. of Josiah and Ann (Palimetor) Eames and was born March 25, 1747 at Norwich and died April 15/18, 1791, age 45 (gs) at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-133). She, too, is buried at the Griswold Cemetery lot #1-9. He m/3 March 30, 1794 (cr 1-82) at Preston, Conn. to Amy Avery, the widow of Mr. Nathaniel Stanton and the dau. of Ebenezer Avery. She was born September 22, 1754 at Preston, Conn. and died October 19, 1834 (gs) and is buried, also, in the Griswold Cemetery lot #1-9. Mr. Stanton died at sea in 1785.

Ezra is listed in the 1790 Federal Census in New London County, Conn. with 1-0-1.

He was a private in the Revolutionary War. His signature is on a list of men who served with Capt. Boarman's Company and were called out August 7, 1775 and September 1, 1776 to defend seaports.

Ezra witnessed the will of Ezkiel Turner on March 4, 1770 (New London Probate). There is also a record of a petition (Vol. 8 p. 459) by Ezra Benjamin of Preston for permission to sell some land in the name of his children, who were heirs (all under age) through his late wife, to the will of Josiah Eames, late of Bozra, New London, Conn. His late wife was the dau. of the said Josiah Eames.

His will is in the Probate Records of Norwich (Vol. 13 p. 54-5) and gave one third of his estate to his wife Amy and that he had given his full share to Ezra Jr., Prudence Powers, and Anna Parke, that Hiram was to receieve $1,500. in a year, in addition to what he had already received, and that his dau. Eunice was to receive $100. annually for 3 years and to also have his household.

Children of Ezra and Prudence (Maine) Benjamin:

*969. Ezra Benjamin Jr. b. January 2, 1770 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-133).

970. Ziporah Benjamin b. March 9, 1771; d. October 1, 1772 and buried in the Griswold Cem. lot #1-9).

Children of Ezra and Jeane (Eames) Benjamin:

*971. Prudence Benjamin b. November 5, 1775 at Preston.

*972. Hiram Benjamin b. January 26, 1778 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-133).

*973. Eames Benjamin b. October 10, 1779 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-133).

*974. Anna Benjamin b. April 8, 1782 at Preston (vr 2-133).

Child of Ezra and Amy (Avery Stanton) Benjamin:

975. Eunice Benjamin b. January 24, 1795 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-133); d. unm. July 29, 1744, age 45 (gs) and buried in the Griswold Cemetery lot #1-17.

Resources: p. 193 Rix Family Gen., Rix; Wilson Papers; p. 171 Rec. of Thomas Stanton of Conn., Stanton, 1891; p. 268 Avery Gen.; Vol. 8, p. 459 Records of State of Conn., Hoad-

ly; The Benjamin Family Collection by Marcus Benjamin in Rare Book Room of Library of Congress; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records; Hartford Times Oct. 23, 1943; p. 363 Index to Obits in Mass. Centinel and Columbia Centinil 1784-1840; My Paternal Ancestors, Robert Powers Benjamin.

427. ABIAL (ABIEL) BENJAMIN JR.[5] (Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born on August 16, 1747 at Preston, Conn.; (vr 1-115); the son of Abial and Judith (Ford) Benjamin; bapt. September 29, 1747 at the Griswold Church; died August 13, 1822 at Griswold, Conn. (vr 2-173). He is buried in the Rixtown Cemetery at Griswold, lot #1-18. He married Louise Ellis of Preston on September 18, 1771 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-137). She was born about 1748 and died July 29, 1821, age 73 (gs) at Griswold (cr 2-173). She is buried in the same lot as her husband.

Abial Jr. was in the Revolutionary War. His signature is on a list called out for two alarms on August 7, 1775 and September 1, 1776 under Capt. Boardman.

He is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at New London County, Conn. with 1-6-3 and in the 1800 census as Preston, Conn. with just he and his wife listed, both over 45 years of age.

(Note: Some genealogists have his son Asa as being married to Mary Roath, but this is another Asa. See #892).

(Note: There is a Mrs. Patty Benjamin bc. 1774, d. Jan. 31, 1815, age 22 (gs) buried in the same cemetery lot (#1-18). She is probably a wife of one of his sons.)

Children of Abial and Louisa (Ellis) Benjamin:

976. Lydia Benjamin b. February 5, 1772 at Preston, Conn.; d. March 21, 1773 at Griswold (cr 1-204).

977. States (Statia) Benjamin b. May 11, 1773 at Preston, (vr 2-137); m. George Rix, the son of Theophilus and Lydia (Kimball) Rix, b. July 16,1744 at Preston, Conn. (Bromley Gen.) (Note: The Rix. Gen. has him as the son of Nathan and Esther (Brown) Rix.)

978. Ellis Benjamin b. March 5, 1775 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-137); d. May 3, 1813, age 38 (gs), buried in the Griswold Cemetery lot #1-19; perhaps unm.

979. Lyman Benjamin b. March 24, 1777 at Preston; d. March 1801, age 24, in Jamaica, West Indies.

980. Barber Benjamin b. August 7, 1779/80 in Preston; d. in the Army in 1813.

981. Lydia Benjamin b. October 20, 1781 in Preston, Conn. (vr 2-137); m. October 16, 1826 John Shafer of Penn.

982. Benjamin Benjamin bc. 1783/4; d. 1805, age 21, at Griswold, Conn. (cr 1-220).

*983. Elam Benjamin b. September 4, 1786 at Preston (vr 2-137).

984. Asa Benjamin b. October 18, 1784; d. 1786 at Preston.

985. Ashael Benjamin, a twin, b. October 18, 1784; d. March 27, 1785, age 6 mos. (Griswold cr. 1-210).
986. Ransley (Ramelia/Kamsley) Benjamin b. September 5, 1788 at Preston (vr 2-137); d. August 20, 1790.

Resources: Hale's Collection of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records; Barour's Collection of Conn. Vital Records; Rix, Gen.; Bromley Gen, Bromley, 1911; p. 15 Vol. 12 Conn. Hist. Soc. Collection of Rev. Rolls and Lists; Conn. Militia in War of 1812; p. 297 Lewis Co. N.Y. History, Hough, 1860.

430. SARAH BENJAMIN[5] (Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born October 1, 1756 at Preston, Conn.; the dau. of Abial and Judith (Ford) Benjamin; bapt. October 31, 1756 at the First Cong. Church of Preston (cr 1-90). She married February 8, 1781 at the First Cong. Church at Griswold (cr 1-266) to Samuel Gates, the son of Samuel and Elizabeth (Waterman) Gates. He was born March 18, 1757.

Children of Samuel and Sarah (Benjamin) Gates:
987. Abial Gates.
988. Amos Gates.
989. Mary Gates b. March 9, 1788; m. Daniel Northup, who was born Nov. 1, 1791 at Oneonta, N.Y.
990. Eunice Gates.
991. Ezra Gates b. April 7, 1790.
992. Sarah Gates.
993. Urban Gates.
995. Judith Gates.

Resources: Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey p. 47; Hartford Times Feb. 28, 1948 and Dec. 21, 1946.

431. JESSE BENJAMIN[5] (Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born October 28, 1758 at Preston, Conn.; the son of Abial and Judith (Ford) Benjamin; bapt. October 29, 1758 at the Griswold Cong. Church (cr 1-92); died September/December 6, 1851 at Clayton, Jefferson Co., New York. He married Rachel Bunn of West Point, N.Y. at West Point on September 29, 1783. She was the dau. of Reuben and Rachel (---) Bunn and was born May 20, 1766 and died February 27, 1843 at East Martinsburgh, Jefferson Co., N.Y. or in the year 1848 at Lowsville, N.Y.

Jesse was in the Revolutionary War. He was in Captain Boardman's Company for two alarms on August 7,1775 and Sept. 1, 1776. He served as a musician in Capt. Abner Bacon's Co. in the 4th Regt. of Conn. Line. He enlisted April 26, 1777 to serve for the duration. He was transferred to John McGregor's Co. on Dec. 23, 1778 and then transferred to Capt. John Buell's Co.. July 1, 1780. He made the rank of corporal in Capt. Bacon's Co. and later served in Capt. Durkee's and Capt. Seth Phelp's Companies. He was in many battles and shared the privations of Valley Forge. He was mustered out at West Point in 1783, where he met and mar-

ried his wife. His pension number was #545272.

He was listed in the Census for Pensioners for Rev. Military Service in 1840 as age 81 and residing in Martinsburgh, Lewis Co., N.Y.

The following comes from a torn newspaper article that was in the possession of Eva Simms "...died in E. Martinsburgh the 27th fo Feb. Mrs. Rachel Benjamin. Mrs. Benjamin is worthy of this brief notice, if for no other reason that she was the wife of Jessie Benjamin, who early in life, in the beginning of the War of the Rev. enlisted in the Army of these United States and firmly followed it's fortunes throughout that fierce struggle which resulted in making these States an independent nation. But this forms only a small part of her worth, for she discharged justly the duties of a wife for 58 years, and sustained the duties of a mother in such a manner as that her children now rise up and call her blessed. If the virtues give any claim to notice, then Mrs. Benjamin deserves distincition even though she moved not in wealthy and high circles of society. She was the daughter of Reuben and Rachel Bunn, and ...."

Jesse was listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Canajaharie Twp., Montgomery Co., N.Y. with 1-1-3.

Children of Jesse and Rachel (Bunn) Benjamin:

*996. Betsey (Elizabeth) Benjamin b. March 31, 1784.
*997. Sally Benjamin b. December 23, 1785.
*998. Thomas Benjamin b. January 23, 1788.
999. Alfred Benjamin b. December 13, 1790; d. December 16, 1814 at Sacket's Harbour and is buried there; unm.; in military action in the War of 1812.
1000. Lansing (Lanson) Benjamin b. May 17, 1793; d. May 30, 1834, age 31; m. Julia Root. He may not have had any children. He was a Lt. in 1818 and a Capt. in 1820 in the N.Y. State Militia. He resigned in 1822.
*1001. Archibald Benjamin b. September 14, 1795.
*1002. Calista (Celesta) Benjamin b. February 14, 1798.
*1003. Corilla (Cordelia) Benjamin b. January 9, 1801.
*1004. Laura Benjamin b. March 21, 1803.
*1005. Mary M. (Polly) Benjamin b. December 1, 1805.
1006. Lydia Ann Benjamin b. February 24, 1810; died at Deansville, Oneida Co., N.Y.; m. Truman Lyman. They had a son Alfred Lyman and a dau. Lydia Lyman who m. but had no children.

Resources: Vol. 12 p.15 Conn. Hist. Society Collection of Rev. Rolls and Lists; DAR Lineage Books Vol. 38 p. 193, Vol. 144 p. 142, Vol. 162 p. 267; Records of Mrs. Majel Lawrence of Medford, Oregon (who d. in 1967) and were sent by Doris P. Robinson of Sebastapol, Calif.; Hale Collection of Conn. Church Records; Barbour Collection of Conn. Vital Records; Hist. of Lewis Co., N.Y., Hough, 1860, p. 297.

443. DAVID BENJAMIN[5] (John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born April 11, 1743

at Preston, Conn.; the son of John and Margaret (Jameson) Benjamin; bapt. May 29, 1743 at the Second Church of Preston, Conn.; died September 1, 1785/6 at Preston, Conn. (Griswold cr 1-210). He is buried at the Griswold Cemetery lot #2-46. He m/1 Esther Wilbourn of Preston on March 23, 1766 at Preston (cr 1-45). She was the dau. of John and Jerusha (---) Wilbourn, born February 6, 1745 at Preston and died August 3/4, 1768 at Preston (cr 1-202). There was no issue of this marriage. He m/2 February 19, 1769 at Preston (cr 1-45) Lucy Parke, the dau. of Zebulon and Ann (Killam) Parke. She was born April 13, 1749 at Preston and died September 3/8, 1785/6 at Preston, Conn. (cr 1-210). She is buried in the same lot as her husband.

David was in the Revolutionary War and was called out on two alarms in August 1775 and September 1776. He was in Capt. Joseph Boardman's Co. of North Preston.

He is mentioned in several land records. On January 4, 1772 Simeon Benjamin of Plainfield, Conn. sold land to him. On June 1773 Nathan Lester sold land to David, and in June 1774 David sold land to John Cook. On January 31, 1784 David sold two tracts of land, but had paid it off on June 30, 1778. He seemed to own no land or real estate at the time of his death. He may have "given" it to his children before his death, as so many seemed to do in those days.

David's estate was inventoried February 3, 1786 by Nathaniel Cook and Ebenezer Clark and probated July 4, 1786 with Moses Parke, brother of Lucy, as executor. The value The value of the estate was a little over 25 pounds, but it was found that he owed over 40 pounds to creditors, so it was declared insolvent.

Lucy died within a week of David, and her estate was valued at 125 pounds real and 34 pounds in personal estate. Moses Parke administered the estate of Lucy Benjamin and appointed guardian January 14, 1790 in Norwich for the orphaned children. They left seven children with Parke, the eldest 16 years of age.

Children of David and Lucy (Parke) Benjamin:

*1007. Park Benjamin b. October 5, 1769 at Preston, Conn.

*1008. Elijah Benjamin b. November 12, 1771 at Preston.

*1009. Moses Benjamin b. July 5, 1774 at Preston.

*1010. Stephen Benjamin b. September 15, 1775/6 at Preston.

1011. Lucy Benjamin b. March 15, 1779 at Preston; m. September 5, 1802 Levi Harvey of Colchester, Conn. He was the son of Paul and Ruth (Gittings) Harvey of Taunton, Mass. They resided at Bozrah, Norwich, and Colchester, Conn.

1012. Esther Benjamin b. March 10, 1781 at Preston; died June 12, 1861; buried Stratford, Conn. Cemetery lot #7-113; m. 1805/6 Amos Harvey of Preston and Stratford, Conn. He was the son of Phillip and Elizabeth (Gittings) Harvey of Taunton, Mass. (Note: Another record gives his parentage as Amos

and Elizabeth (Giddings) Harvey . He was born July 29, 1781 at Preston and d. Feb. 27, 1846 at Stafford, Conn.

1013. Nathan Benjamin b. about 1783; d. December 18, 1800, age 18 yrs.; buried in Uncle Moses' lot in Norwich in the Oak Street Cemetery lot #9-644.

1014. child d. September 1, 1785.

1015. child d. February 3, 1786.

Resources: Gen. of Park Benjamin, Hoover, 1906; p. 100 Park Family of Conn., Parks, 1906; Wilson Papers; Preston Conn. Vital Records Book 1 p. 105; The Benjamin Family of Preston and Norwich, Mrs. E. E. Rogers, 1917; p. 141 Vol. 8 Records of the State of Conn., Hoadly; p. 188 Gittings Fam., Gittings, 1882; Hale Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records; Vol. 12 p 15 Conn. Hist. Society Archives; Barbour Collection of Conn. Vital Records; p. 487 Tolland & Windham Co. Commem. Biographical Rec. of 1903.

445. MARGARET BENJAMIN[5] (John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born October 25, 1747 at Preston, Conn. (vr 1-96); the dau. of John and Margaret (Jameson) Benjamin;died after 1787. She m/1 Lester Stanton of Preston on August 6, 1772 at the Griswold First Cong. Church (cr); the son of Robert and Mary (Lester) Stanton. He was born June 22, 1742 and died November 1777 in the Revolutionnary War. She m/2 Jeremiah Phillips of Newport on May 11, 1777.

Margaret became a church member on November 4, 1762 at the Griswold First Cong. Church (cr). In 1782 she is mentioned in her father's will.

Margaret Benjamin had an illegitimate daughter:

1016. Mary Park b. February 23, 1770 at Preston (vr 2-16). The reputed father was Aaron Park.

Margaret had 7 children, among them:

1017. Barbara Phillips, who m. 1799 Stephen Benjamin. See # 1010.

Resources: Gen. of Park Benjamin, Hoover, 1906; Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey Book 4 p. 44 and p. 46; Starkweather Gen., 1904; Rev. Martyrs of Ancient Pachang, D. Phillips, 1903.

447. JOHN BENJAMIN[5] (John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born December 25, 1751 at Preston, Conn.; the son of John and Margaret (Jameson) Benjamin; bapt. March 11, 1752 at the First Church of Preston (cr 1-84); died June 24, 1781 at the age of 30. He was slain by the enemy near New York as a soldier in the Revolutionary War. He married June 25/29, 1775 Grace Waite of Hopkinton, R.I. (Hopkinton vr). She was the dau. of Thomas and Bridget (---) Waite.

The Pachang Church has records that carry the deaths of some of the soldiers of the Revolution. His is dated July 1781. He was among the men who went from the town of Preston in 1775. In 1778 his name appears on the list of Col.

McClellen's Regt. when a petition was presented requesting an increase in pay on account of the enormous raise in the price of provisions. In 1781 he belonged to General Waterbury's Brigade of State Militia, Capt. Charles Mill's Co., organized for coast defense between New York and New Haven, Conn. He was killed near Horse's Neck June 24th of that year.

Children of John and Grace (Waite) Benjamin:

*1018. Rufus Benjamin b. December 15/25, 1775 at Preston, Conn. (vr 1-105).

1019. Joseph Benjamin b. October 18, 1777 at Preston, Conn. (vr 1-105 and 2-177).

1020. Olive Benjamin b. January 17, 1780 at Preston, Conn. (vr 1-105).

Resources: Gen. of Park Benjamin, Hoover, 1906; Wilson Papers; Vol. 1 and Vol. 2 Preston, Conn. Vital Records; Rhode Island Vital Records; Church Records of Pachang Church of Preston; p. 23 Known Military Dead during Rev. War, Peterson, 1859.

448. ROZEL (ROSWELL) BENJAMIN[5] (John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born January 19, 1755 at Preston, Conn.; the son of John and Margaret (Jameson) Benjamin; bapt. May 13, 1755 at the First Church of Griswold (cr 1-88). He married (intentions) October 13, 1780 at Chester, Mass. (vr) to Thankful Cooley, the dau. of Eliakim and Mary (Ashley) Cooley. She was born February 17, 1780.

Roswell was of Norwich when he married and settled at Chester after the Revolutionary War. In the 1790 Federal Census he is listed at Chester, Mass. with 2-2-3. He sold his land in Preston, Conn. on June 2, 1791. In the 1800 census he is listed in Norwich, Hampshire Co., Mass. with: 0-0-1-1-1//0-0-1-1-1.

He was a soldier in the Revoluitionary War from Preston and was in the 8th Company of the Continental Regt. in 1775 under Col. Jedediah Huntington. In the Adjutant-General's Report of Conn. Men of War of the Rev., p. 89, his name is given as Bosel, a mistaken reading.

In 1780 and 1786 he bought land in Mt. Washington, Mass. but sold it in 1797. Since there is no other record, he probably never moved to that area.

In the Hampden Co., Mass. Land Records (Vol. 15 p. 617) on Feb. 14, 1780 he bought land from Ebenezer Freeman of Murrayfield (which later became Chester.). (Ibid 27-81) June 1786 he bought land from Eliakim Cooley in Chester. And, (Vol. 36 p. 271) in 1797 he and others (probably as heirs of Eliakim Cooley) sold land to Israel Chapin. At that point he was still listed as being "of Chester".

The names of his children are unknown, but from census records it is obvious that he did have children.

Children of Rozel and Thankful (Cooley) Benjamin:

1021. 1 male b. 1780-84.
1022. 1 male b. 1780-90.
1023. 2 females b. 1780-90.

Resources: Gen. of Park Benjamin, Hoover, 1906; Chester, Mass. Town Records; Wilson Papers; p. 261 and 393 Cooley Gen., Cooley, 1941; Benjamin Family of Preston and Norwich, Mrs. E. E. Rogers, 1917.

452. MARY (MERCY) BENJAMIN[5] (Jabez[4], John[3], Joseph[2], John[1]) born at Preston, Conn.; the dau. of Jabez and Rhoda (Smith) Benjamin; bapt. October 23, 1734 at Preston First Cong. Church (cr 1-68). She married May 21, 1761 at Ashford, Conn. Azariah Russ, the son of Abraham and Hannah (Owen) Russ. He was born June 19, 1739 at Ashford and died February 25, 1824 at Ashford, Conn.

Children of Azariah and Mary (Benjamin) Russ:
1024. Asa Russ b. August 28, 1762; d. March 26, 1838; m/1 Sarah Snow who dc. 1789; m/2 1790 Abigail Porter.
1025. Hulda Russ b. January 16, 1765.
1026. Sempronius Russ b. July 6, 1767; believed to have moved to state of New York.
1027. Ruth Russ b. July 6, 1771.
1028. Bethia Russ b. August 3, 1771.
1029. Reugen Russ b. April 27, 1774.
1030. Sarah (Sally) Russ b. March 10, 1777; m. July 26, 1793 Simeon Bemis.
1031. Eleazer Russ b. February 10, 1783.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Clarence Bemiss of Hudson, S. D.; p. 140 Vol. 29 Dau. of Founders and Pat. of Am.; Hartford Times Nov. 13, 1943.

458. BETHIA BENJAMIN[5] (Jabez[4], John[3], Joseph[2], John[1]) born March 8, 1754 at Canterbury, Conn. (vr 1-96); the dau. of Jabez and Rhoda (Smith) Benjamin. She married at Pomfret, Conn. (vr 2-62) but no date is given, to Benjamin Winchester.
He was a private in Capt. Daniel Lyon's Co., 11th Regt. of N.Y. in 1776 from Pomfret, Conn.

Children of Benjamin and Bethia (Benjamin) Winchester:
1032. Sarah Winchester; m. Asel Hulbert.

Resources: Boston Transcript April 26, 1934.

?459. BARZILLAI BENJAMIN[5] (Jabez[4], John[3], Joseph[2], John[1]) born between 1750-1760 (prob. about 1759) supposedly at Gilead, Conn. He is perhaps the son of Jabez and Rhoda (Smith) Benjamin, but this need proof. He m/1 Molly (Mary) --- who was born before 1765. He m/2 Ann Batchellor, who was born about 1750/1 and died June 11, 1813 at the age of 62 (gs) at Bethel, Vermont; buried in the Gilead Cemetery.
Barzillai is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Brooklyn, Windham Co., Conn. with 1-0-2 and in the 1810

census at Bethel, Windsor Co., Vermont with: 1-1-0-0-1// 0-0-0-0-1.

He is on the descriptive list of men raised from Blandford, Mass. to reinforce the Continental Army for a term of 6 months. He entered on June 5, 1780, age 21, 5 feet 8 in. tall, complexion ruddy, under Capt. Abner Howard. He is also on a list of men raised for 6 months under Brig. Gen. Paterson, Lt. Col. Whiting's Co., 6th Regt. He was pensioned in Vermont and his pension number is #W17291.

Children of Barzillai Benjamin:

1033. Sally (Sarah) Benjamin b. February 20, 1782 at Canterbury, Conn. (vr 1-88); m. October 9, 1804 Stephen Batchelor at Bethel, Vt. (vr).

*1034. Ira Benjamin b. 1790-1800.

*1035. Ebenezer W. Benjamin b. May 27, 1804 at Bethel, Vermont (vr).

Resources: p. 673 Boardman Gen., 1895; Vermont State Vital Records; p. 939 Soldiers and Sailors in the Rev. War from Mass.

460. MARY BENJAMIN[5] (John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1724 or 1727, probably in East Hartford, Conn.; the dau. of John and Mary (Smith) Benjamin. She married William Wells, the son of John and Mary (Judson) Wells. He was born February 14, 1716 and died November 1, 1745 (gs). She m/2 Curtis Fairchild of Durham, Conn. on April 1753, the son of Samuel and Mary (Lewis) Fairchild. She may have m/3 Silas Burton of Stratford, Conn., the son of Judson and Eunice (Lewis) Burton. He died about 1768.

Children of Silas and Mary (Benjamin Wells etc.) Burton:

1036. Wells Burton bp. December 1764; d. before 1768.

1037. John Burton b. April 21, 1766.

1038. Silas Burton bc. 1768.

Resources: p. 8-9 Hale, House, and Related Families, Jacobus, 1952; p. 57 Colonial Familes of U.S., McKenzie, 1966.

461. EUNICE BENJAMIN[5] (John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born April 1726 at Stratford, Conn.; the dau. of John and Mary (Smith) Benjamin. She married May 5, 1745 at Stratford, Conn. (vr 5-42) William Birdsey, son of Abel and Mercy (Denton) Birdsey. He was born February 20, 1720/1 and died September 10, 1795 (gs).

Children of William and Eunice (Benjamin) Birdsey:

1039. Mary Birdsey; m. Samuel Peters, the noted "Tory" historian of Conn.

Resources: Vol. 60 p. 122 N.E. Hist. and Gen. Register.

462. PHILLIP BENJAMIN[5] (John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born May 1729/30 probably at Hartford, Conn. or Stratford, Conn.; the son of John and Mary (Smith) Benjamin. He died February 20, 1815

age 86 (gs), while a newspaper obit says he died in 1775, age 73. He is buried in the Stratford Cemetery lot #4-526. He married June 1752 at the Christ Episcopal Church in Stratford (cr) Prudence Minor (Miner), dau. of Rev. Richard and Elizabeth (Munson) Minor. She was born November 18, 1729 and died February 19, 1795, age 64 (gs). She is buried in the same lot as her husband.

Phillip was listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Stratford, Conn. with 1-0-4, and also in the 1800 and 1810 census of the same area.

Children of Phillip and Prudence (Minor) Benjamin:

1040. Mary Benjamin b. July 1754; m. John Walker (Stratford vr 5-124 says James Walker Jr.) on January 24, 1781 at Stratford, Conn.

1041. Esther Benjamin b. August 1760; d. 1764.

1042. Esther Benjamin b. September 1765; m. Abraham Tomlinson of Milford, Conn.

1043. Frances Benjamin b. January 1769; m. William Curtis.

1044. Elizabeth Benjamin b. October 2, 1771 (Stratford vr 5-66); m. John Tomlinson of Milford, Conn.

1045. Prudence Benjamin b. November 5, 1775; m. January 12, 1797 Avery Powers Jr. of Norwich at Preston, Conn. He was the son of Avery and Dorothy (Avery) Powers b. Jan. 22, 1772 at Norwich. Prudence wrote to her sister-in-law, Dolly Thompson of Cherry Valley, Otsego Co., N.Y. (Note: See #971, which is the same individual. Your compilier believes this is placed wrong here...but lets the record stand in the hopes that future researchers will clear this problem.)(Note: She is not named in his will, dated Feb. 13, 1815; proved March 7, 1815.)

Resources: American Gen.; Hale, House, and Related Families, Jacobus, 1952; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records; Genealogy and History, pub. in Washington, D.C. Jan. 1949; p. 363 Index to Obits in the Mass. Centinal and Columbian Centinel Vol. I; Book 4 p. 56 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey.

463. JOHN B. BENJAMIN JR.[5] (John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born August 28, 1731 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of John and Mary (Smith) Benjamin; died September 14, 1796, age 66 yrs. (gs) at Stratford, Conn. and is buried in the Episcopal Burying Grounds at Stratford, lot #4-522. He married May 9, 1753 Lucretia Whiting Backus, dau. of Dr. John and Sybil (Whiting) Backus. She was born February/March22, 1803, age 69 yrs. (gs) at Stratford. She is buried in the same lot as her husband. She was a descendant of William Bradford, first Governor of Plymouth.

John was a Captain of a Train Band in the Revolutioary War and was wounded in the shoulder at the Battle of Ridgefield while serving on General Wooster's staff. He carried the bullet until his dying day. He enlisted in 1775, was

promoted to Captain in 1777, commanded an attack on New Haven on July 2, 1779, and was later made Lt. Colonel. He fought with distinction at Redding and Danbury.

He graduated from Yale College and was the organist of the Episcopal Church in Stratford for 16 years.

John was a wholesale cordage manufacture, town treasurer in 1797; a man of comely personality and strong mentality and philosophical taste and a student of which honorable mention was made by President Stiles of Yale.

In 1786, he, with others, was empowered by the Town of Stratford, to open a new highway to the old Mill Creek "and build a substantial bridge to connect the New Pasture Point. This new highway was the present Stratford Avenue and the bridge was for several years known as Benjamin's Bridge, but was later called Yellow Mill Bridge, as General Walker built a grist mill there about 1794.

Children of John and Lucretia (Backus) Benjamin:

*1046. John C. Benjamin b. April 5, 1754 at Stratford, Conn.

*1047. Sibyle (Sybil) Benjamin b. September 28, 1755 at Stratford, Conn.

*1048. Aaron Benjamin b. August 17, 1757 at Stratford.

1049. Eunice Benjamin b. January 18, 1759 at Stratford, Conn.; d. October 26, 1759 at Stratford (vr 5-58).

*1050. Clara Benjamin b. May 13, 1762 at Stratford.

*1051. Asa (Asaph) Benjamin b. December 12, 1763 at Stratford.

1052. Everard Benjamin b. August 14, 1765 at Stratford (vr 5-58); d. September 21, 1805 in N.Y.; m. February 4, 1792 Olivia Avery of Hartford, Conn. According to Dr. Wilson, he had no children.

1053. Lucretia Benjamin b. April 1, 1767 at Stratford (vr 5-58); d. September 5, 1844 and buried in New Haven, Conn. Cemetery; m. August 29, 1789 Peter DeWites of New Haven at Stratford, Conn. (vr).

1054. William Delucina Benjamin b. March 17, 1769; d. March 21, 1772 at Stratford.

1055. Delucina Benjamin b. March 11, 1771 at Stratford; d. December 23, 1789 at New Haven, Conn. (vr 2-42).

*1056. William Delucina Benjamin b. March 7, 1773 at Stratford, Conn.

1057. Emily Benjamin b. November 10, 1775 at Stratford; d. March 14, 1818 at Hartford, Conn.

John Benjamin was listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Stratford, Conn. with 1-2-4.

Resources: p. 363 Index of Obits of Mass. Centinel and Columbian Centinel, Vol. I, 1961; p. 10 Hale, House, and Related Families, Jacobus and Waterman, 1952; Mayflower Index #1658; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records; Vol. 6 and 8 Records of State of Conn., Hoadly; p. 1146 Hist. of Stratford, Conn.; Vol. II p. 514 Colonial Families in U.S., McKenzie; Vol. 29 Nat. Cyclopaedia of Am.

Biog.; Vol. 26 p. 34 DAR Lineage Book; Gen. Notes, Goodwin; Backus Fam. Gen.

464. GEORGE BENJAMIN[5] (John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born February 28, 1733/4 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of John and Mary (Smith) Benjamin; died in Stratford, Conn. after 1796. He married February 8/15, 1756 at Stratford, Conn. (vr) Mary Howe (Howes), the dau. of Ebenezer and Mary (Brimsmade) Howe. She was born August 22, 1737 and died about August 1828, age 90 years.

George enlisted in the Revolutionary War as a fifer on May 10, 1775. He was made a Captain, and commanded a company in 1776 in Col. Gold Sellick Stillman's Battalion, which narrowly escaped capture in the retreat from New York. He was also a Captain in the First Company of the Wadsworth Brigade.

George ran an Inn in Stratford. In the Wilson Papers there was a newspaper clipping that told of the death of a great-grandson, Samuel. In the clipping it mentioned that George was in the Rev. War and ran an Inn at Stratford and that LaFayette was once a guest.

George is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Stratford, Conn. with 3-3-7 plus 1 slave. His will was dated Dec 30, 1796 and Inventory taken March 3, 1800.

Children of George and Mary (Howe) Benjamin:

1058. Sarah Benjamin b. October 10, 1756 at Stratford; d. October 26, 1759, age 3 years.
1059. George Benjamin b. October 21, 1757 at Stratford.
*1060. Gideon Benjamin b. November 17, 1759 at Stratford.
1061. Sarah Benjamin b. March 30, 1762 at Stratford, Conn.; m/1 Rev. Philo Perry; m/2 Henry Preston of Woodbury, Conn.
*1062. Alice (Ellis) Benjamin b. September 8, 1764 at Stratford, Conn. (vr 5-65).
?*1063. John Benjamin bc. 1766/7 at Stratford.
1064. Mary Keyes Benjamin b. January 11, 1767 at Stratford; m. May 25, 1788 William Clarke at Stratford (vr).
1065. Benson Benjamin b. December 10, 1768 at Stratford; vr 5-65); d. September 11, 1771, age 5 years.
*1066. David Bliss Benjamin b. January 29, 1771 at Stratford, Conn. (vr 5-65).
1067. Benjamin Benjamin b. October 21, 1773 at Stratford (vr 5-65); d. December 27, 1775, age 2 years.
*1068. Philip Benjamin b. January 27, 1775 at Stratford.
1069. Eunice Benjamin b. December 17, 1777at Stratford.
1070. Benjamin Benjamin b. April 4, 1780 at Stratford.

Resources: p. 10 Hale, House, and Related Families, Jacobus, 1952; Vol. 49 p. 157, Vol. 31 p. 206, Vol. 7 p. 70 DAR Lineage Books; p. 422 Howe Gen., Gilman Howe, 1929; Wilson Papers; Records of Irving Benjamin of S. Schroom, N.Y.; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records.

465. SARAH BENJAMIN[5] (John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born October 21,

1735 at Stratford, Conn.; the dau. of John and Mary (Smith) Benjamin; died October 15, 1802, age 67 (gs) at Stratford. She m/1 on July 15, 1757 at Stratford, John Backus, son of John and Sybil (Whiting) Backus. He was born March 23, 1728 at Windham, Conn. Death date unknown. She m/2 Deacon and Captain Ebenezer Coe on January 9, 1763. He was the son of Capt. Ebenzer and Mary (Blackman/Blakeman) Coe and was born July 24, 1735 at Stratford, Conn. and died August 1, 1820, age 85 (gs) at Stratford. John Backus had m/1 Anna Wells and had 7 children with that first marriage.

Children of Ebenezer and Sarah (Benjamin Backus) Coe:

1071. Mary Coe b. March 8, 1764 at Stratford, Conn.; m. November 25, 1787 at Stratford John Brooks, the son of John and Dorothy (Birdsly) Brooks.
1072. Sarah Coe b. May 7, 1767; d. November 29, 1772.
1073. John Ebenezer Coe b. January 3, 1769 at Stratford.
1074. Alice Coe b. January 1, 1772; m. 1792 James Ross Edwards.

Resources: p. 140 Robert Coe, Puritan, Bartlett, 1911; Hartford Times August 20, 1955; p. 10 Hale, House, and Related Families, Jacobus and Waterman, 1952.

466. ANN (ANNA) BENJAMIN^{5} (John$^{4-3}$, Caleb^{2}, John^{1}) born about 1738 at Stratford, Conn.; the dau. of John and Mary (Smith) Benjamin; married August 14, 1757 at Stratford (vr 5-66) to Alexander Fairchild. He was the son of Alexander and Mary (Mallory) Fairchild and was born March 29, 1729 at Ens, New Fairchild Co., South Carolina. She m/2 before 1768 Stephen Beers, son of Josiah and Elizabeth (Uffoot) Beers. He was bapt. December 1734.

Resources: Boston Transcript May 27, 1908; p. 10 Hale, House, and Related Families, Jacobus and Waterman, 1952.

467. HANNAH BENJAMIN^{5} (Samuel^{4}, John^{3}, Caleb^{2}, John^{1}) born about 1732/3 at Stratford, Conn.; the dau. of Samuel and Elizabeth (Bostwick) Benjamin. She was bapt. January 1732/3 at the Congregational Church of Stratford.

(Note: The following is all just conjecture, though it does follow some facts!)

She married (or at least a Hannah did) Joseph or Benjamin Phippeny, who was born June 9, 1744 at Stratford, Conn., the son of Benjamin and Rebecca (Bostwick) Phippeny. He died June 12, 1825 at West Haven, Vermont. Hannah, the wife of the above Phippeny was born in 1733 and died September 31, 1839 at the age of 95 (gs) and is buried with her husband. They adopted a David Benjamin, though they had children of their own.

It is your compilier's contention that the David Benjamin they adopted was a son of Elnathan Benjamin, and that the Hannah married to the above Phippeny was a sister to Elnathan Benjamin. See #469.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Fred Stiles of Ft. Ann, N.Y.

469. CAPT. ELNATHAN BENJAMIN[5] (Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) was born about 1737/8 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of Samuel and Elizabeth (Bostwick) Benjamin; died March 21, 1813, age 75 (gs) and is buried at the Galick Farm Cemetery at West Haven, Vermont. He was perhaps married twice. Baptism records give two different names, Mary in the earlier records, and Jane in the later ones. His first wife may have been Mary --- mc. 1766 probably at Stratford. His second wife was Jane/Jannel/Janette Drake mc. 1790/1 (or earlier). She was born 1728 and died 1811.

Jane Drake was a descendant of Sir Francis Drake. At one time the family owned a silver snuff box and family Bible of Sir Francis Drake. She was from the same town in England that General Burgoyne was from and while he was in this country, he spent a night at her home.

Elnathan was listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Stratford, Conn. with 1-5-2 and in the 1800 and 1810 census at Westfield, and then Putnam, Washington Co., New York.

Elnathan is supposed to have been a sailor, and hence his title may have come from "sea captain".

Children of Elnathan and Mary (---) Benjamin:

1075. Joseph Benjamin bp. February 1767 at Stratford, Conn.; apparently died young.
*1076. Joseph D. Benjamin born about 1768 at Stratford. (If the D. stands for Drake, this might indicate that Jane Drake was his mother, and hence the ONLY wife of Elnathan.)
*1077. Charity Benjamin b. February 6, 1769 at Stratford.
*1078. Samuel Benjamin bc. 1770 at Stratford, Conn.
*1079. David Benjamin bc. 1776 at Stratford, Conn.

Children of Elnathan and Jane (Drake) Benjamin:

*1080. Elnathan Benjamin Jr. bc. 1782 at Stratford, Conn.
*1081. Abel Benjamin bc. 1784 at Stratford, Conn.
*1082. Jesse Benjamin bc. 1794.
*1083. Walter Benjamin b. between 1775-1794.
1084. Hannah Benjamin bp. February 1792 at Stratford, Conn. to Elnathan and wife Jane.
*1085. Duthan Benjamin b. March 31, 1799.
1086. 1 female b. between 1790-1800.
1087. 1 female b. between 1784-1790.
?*1088. Drake Benjamin b. between 1774-84; was listed as an ensign in the Washington County Militia of New York in 1807.

Resources: Vital Records of Stratford, Conn.; Wilson Papers; Hist. of Stratford, Conn., Orcutt, p. 1147; Book 5 p. 101 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey; Research of Mrs. Fred Stiles of Ft. Ann, N.Y.

470. CALEB BENJAMIN[5] (Caleb[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) birth date un-

date unknown; the son of Caleb and Dorothy(Gaines) Benjamin. He died before September 7, 1777 (and probably after 1774). He married Rebecca Risley of Hartford, Conn.; the dau. of Jonathan and Dorothy (---) Risley. (Rebecca's brother, Nathaniel Risley was born about 1729.)

In the Hartford, Conn. Town Hall land records are deeds dated Feb. 8, 1765 when Caleb Jr. sold land and June 1, 1767 when Rebeccah sold some land.

Caleb Jr. and wife Rebecca "owned ye covenant" June 16, 1765 at the East Hartford First Cong. Church (cr 1-15). Caleb, son of Widow Rebecca, wa bapt. in 1777, hence Caleb had died before that date.

Caleb voted for a tax abatement Oct. 20, 1768 and every year after that thru 1774.

Children of Caleb and Rebecca (Risley) Benjamin:

*1089. Allen Benjamin bp. August 18, 1765 at E. Hartford, Conn. (cr 1-32).

1090. Hannah Benjamin bp. February 15, 1767 at E. Hartford, Conn. (cr 1-34).

1091. Lois Benjamin bp. Fabruary 5, 1759 at E. Hartford Cong. Church. (cr).

1092. Lucy Benjamin bp. February 24, 1771 at E. Hartford Conn. (cr); m. Feb. 1797 Peleg Chapman at Weathers field, Conn., the son of Renlo and Olive (Buckley) Chapman. (Note: There is some confusion between this Lucy and # 1110. Lucy, dau. of Elisha[5]).

1093. Rebecca Benjamin bp. July 14, 1773 at E. Hartford, Conn. (cr 1-39).

*1094. Dorothy Benjamin bp. February 19, 1775 at E. Hartford Cong. Church (cr).

1095. Caleb Benjamin bc. 1776; bp. September 7, 1777 at E. Hartford Cong. Church, as the son of Widow Rebeoca Benjamin (cr 1-44); d. June 1821, age 45 (gs) at Winchester, Conn.; buried in Winchester Cemetery lot #3-171. No record of marriage.

Resources: Hale's Collecion of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records; p. 55 Risley Fam. Gen., Risley, 1909.

471. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[5] (Caleb[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) birth date unknown; the son of Caleb and Dorothy (Gaines) Benjamin. He was bapt. August 28, 1736 at E. Hartford, Conn. (cr p. 17 in private records). He died August 5, 1800 at Hartford.

There is no record of his marriage. His will is recorded in Vol. 126 p. 106 and Vol. 191 p. 67 of the Hartford Probate Records, with Eli or Ely Benjamin as Executor. (Note: The records of this Jonathan and #475 may well be confused.) Much more research must be done in the East Hartford area!

475. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[5] (Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1721 or 1737 at E. Hartford, Conn. (The 1737 date would seem more likely); the son of Gideon and Amy (Spencer) Ben-

jamin. He died August 5, 1800 at Hartford, Conn. He married Mary Woodbridge of E. Hartford, the dau. of Russell and Anna (Olmstead) Woodbridge. She was born August 24, 1755 and died February 21, 1836. Mary was the granddau. of Rev. Samuel Woodbridge.

Jonathan "owned ye covenant" August 15, 1773 at the East Hartford First Church. (cr).

His will is recorded in Vol. 26 p. 106 and Eli Ely was named as administrator. The will was not discharged until September 28, 1810.

He was a member of the school committee in 1785.

A Jonathan Benjamin served in the Revolutionary War from Conn., but it is not clear if this is one in the same.

Children of Jonathan and Mary (Woodbridge) Benjamin:

1096. Leonard Benjamin bp. February 11, 1781 at East Hartford, Conn. (First Cong. cr).

1097. Lemira Benjamin bp. February 8, 1783 at East Hartford (cr); d. June 1813, age 30.

1098. Sophia Benjamin bp. January 30, 1785 at East Hartford (cr); d. September 5, 1785 at E. Hartford and buried in the Center Cemetery.

*1099. Edwin Benjamin bp. January 13, 1788 at Eart Hartford (cr).

1100. Prudence Benjamin bc. 1792; d. March 8, 1820, age 28 years; buried in E. Hartford Center Cemetery. (vr 1-54).

1101. Charles Benjamin bp. March 2, 1794 at East Hartford, Conn. (vr 1-59); d. December29, 1816 and buried in the Manchester, Conn. cemetery lot #1-90.

Resources: p. 38 Olmstead Fam. in Am., Olmstead, 1912; Hale Collection of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records; p. 60 Hist. of East Hartford, Goodwin, 1879.

477. GIDEON BENJAMIN^{5} (Gideon^{4}, John^{3}, Caleb^{2}, John^{1}) birth date unknown, probably at E. Hartford, Conn.; the son of Gideon and Amy (Spencer) Benjamin. His death is unknown, as is any information regarding his marriage. A Mr. Benjamin died Jan. 1809, age 95 (bc. 1714) at Tinmouth, Vermont. (vr).

In Vol. Vp. 285 of the Records of the State of Conn. by Hoadly, 1922, Gideon Benjamin of E. Hartford petitioned for an act of insolvency because of variousmisfortunes and advanced age and being unable to pay just debts in the year 1783/4. His indebtedness was to the amount of 255 pounds and at the time he had only a horse team, household furniture, etc., which was valued at about 100 pounds. In Vol. 6 (Ibid) in 1785 and 1789 he had no estate left except for a few articles of furniture and a few old books. He and his wife are far advanced in age and were given protection by the court from arrest and imprisonment because of debt.

Children of Gideon and --- Benjamin:

1102. Jonathan Benjamin bp. April 6, 1755 at E. Hartford (vr).

*1103. James Benjamin bp. April 6, 1760 at E. Hartford, Conn. (vr 1-28).

*1104. Gideon Benjamin b. October 2, 1762.

*1105. Hannah Benjamin.

Resources: Hale's Collection of Conn. Church Records.

479. JOHN BENJAMIN[5] (Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) birth date unknown; the son of Gideon and Amy (Spencer) Benjamin. He is "of Stratford, Conn." and married Mary ---, who, as his widow, died September 1829 in Hartford, Conn.

Gideon Benjamin sold his brother John, of Stratford, land in E. Hartford on Oct. 2, 1762.

John Benjamin served in the French and Indian Wars on April 1755 with a service of 28 weeks. He was included in a muster roll of Lt. Col. John Pitkin's Co. being in the 2nd Company in the 1st Regt. raised for the reduction of Crown Point April 1755.

Children, if any, are unknown.

Resources: p. 77 Hist. of E. Hartford, Conn., Goodwin, 1879.

480. ELISHA BENJAMIN[5] (Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1745 at E. Hartford, Conn.; the possible son of Gideon and Amy (Spencer) Benjamin. His death date is unknown, but probably took place in Vermont. He married Mabel Hulburt of E. Hartford, the dau. of Capt. John and Mabel (Loomis) Hulburt. She was born February 23, 1746 at E. Hartford. There is a marriage record for a Mrs. Mabel Benjamin at Peacham, Vt. (vr) to Mr. John Cutler on Feb. 18, 1798, though the census records would tend to indicate that Elisha is still alive at this time. There are strong indications that this is a marriage record for a dau., which makes more sense!

Elisha and his wife Mabel "owned ye covenant" March 27, 1768 at the East Hartford First Congregational Church.

On June 11, 1770 he sold land according to land records on file at the E. Hartford Town Hall.

In the 1790 Federal Census Elisha is listed in East Windsor, Hartford Co., Conn. with 2-2-6. He is listed in the 1800 census at Caledonia Co., Marshfield, Vermont with: 0-0-1-0-1//0-2-0-0-1. Elisha took the Freeman's Oath in Marshfield, Vt. on March 24, 1800.

Children of Elisha and Mabel (Hulburt) Benjamin:

*1106. Elisha Benjamin bp. June 12, 1768 at E. Hartford.

*1107. David Benjamin bp. May 27, 1770 at E. Hartford (cr 1-23).

*1108. Mabel Benjamin bp. April 12, 1772 at E. Hartford (cr)

*1109. Guy Benjamin bp. May 8, 1774 at E. Hartford (cr).

1110. Lucy Benjamin bp. February 18, 17754 at E. Hartford

Cong. Church (cr); m. Feb. 2, 1797 Peleg Chapman of Chatham, Conn.; the son of Revio and Olive (Buckley) Chapman. (Westhersfield, Conn. vr, tho she is listed as "of E. Hartford".)

1111. Hannah Benjamin bp. December 21, 1777 at E. Hartford, Conn. (vr 1-44). She might be the Hannah Benjamin who m. Dec. 1813 Amasa Coney (Marshfield, Vt. vr).

1112. 2 females b. 1784-1790. Perhaps one is: Anne Benjamin; m. July 14, 1812 Aaron Elmer (Marshfield, Vt. vr).

Resources: p. 447 Hulburt Gen., Hulburt, 1888; Book 3 p. 27 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey; p. 207 Hist. of Ancient Wethersfield, Stiles, 1904; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church Records.

481. AMY BENJAMIN[5] (Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born in 1747 at East Hartford, Conn.; the dau. of Gideon and Amy (Spencer) Benjamin; died January 16, 1830 at Tinmouth, Vermont. She married Beulah Waldo, who was born January 16, 1749 at Mansfield, Conn. and died March 31, 1833 at Tinmouth, Vt.

He was a sergeant in the Revolutionary War. Family tradition says her father owned a tavern in or near Hartford, Conn.

482. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[5] (David[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1742/3 at Hartford, Conn.; the son of David and Ruth (Burnham) Benjamin; died December 18, 1824/5 at Manchester, Conn. (vr 3-250). He is buried in the Hartland Cemetery. His tombstone reads 1824 with his age either 81 or 87. His obit reads Dec. 18, 1824, age 81. He married Naomi --- though the cemetery records indicate that his wife was named Roxey ---. She was born about 1740 and died December 28/29, 1808 at Manchester, Conn. (vr 3-187). Hale's Collection of Cemetery Records for Conn. say Roxey --- died --- 28, 1809 at the age of 104. Perhaps he was married twice.

(Note: There is a marriage record for a Naomi Burnham to a Benoni Benjamin. Naomi was the dau. of Timothy and Naomi (Gilman) Burnham of E. Hartford and was b. July 20, 1743. p. 133 Thomas Burnham Gen.)

Samuel and wife Naomi "owned ye covenant" July 30, 1766 at the E. Hartford First Cong. Church (cr 1-16). Samuel Benjamin was listed in the 1790 Federal Census at East Hartford with 2-2-3.

He was a signer of a petition for a separate society dated March 15, 1770. His name was also included on a tax list of Orford Parish dated Aug. 20, 1785.

Samuel Benjamin seemed to have a great number of land sales and purchases. They begin in Vol. 2 of the Land Records of East Hartford and continue thru Vol. 6, though some of the later ones were probably for his son. Names that occur in these records are: William Little, Jr.; Eli-

jah Webster; Medad Webster; George Stocking; Eleazer Burnham; Joshua Williams, Martha Burnham; Richard Gilman; Amos Bidwell; Timothy Burnham; George Burnham; Samuel Evans; Russell Bissell; Luke Loomis; and Nathaniel Olcott. In some of the deeds he is called "of Bolton, Tolland Co.". Others refer to Orford Parish in E. Hartford.

Children of Samuel and Naomi (?Burnham) Benjamin:

1113. Ruth Benjamin bp. September 7, 1766 at E. Hartford First Cong. Church (cr 1-33); m. October 7, 1790 John Tucker of Vernon, Conn. (Vernon cr p. 80).

?1114. Roxey Benjamin bc. 1768; d. May 6, 1769, age 1 year and buried in the Manchester Cemetery lot #1-104.

*1115. Nahum Benjamin b. May 17,1771.

*1116. Roxanna Benjamin b. August 1774.

*1117. David Benjamin bc. 1777.

1118. Samuel Benjamin Jr. bp. February 12, 1778 at Vernon, Conn.; d. unm. 1844 at Manchester, Conn. Samuel Jr. also conducted some land purchases, mainly from Ozias Bissell Jr; David Sparks; Henry White; and David Evans, all for land in E. Hartford and found in Vols. 8, 13, and 14 of the Hartford Land Records.

Resources: Resources: Records of Ronald K. Branch of Ruther ford, New Jersey; Early Conn. Probate Records, Manwarning; Boston Transcript April 9, 1919; Hale, House, and Related Families, Jacobus, 1952.; Research in Hartford, Conn. by Mrs. Thayer E. Benjamin of E. Hartford.

484. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[5] (David[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1747/8 at Hartford, Conn.; the son of David and Ruth (Burnham) Benjamin; bapt. as the son of Widow Ruth Benjamin on November 26, 1749 at E. Hartford, Conn. Congregational Church; died about 1791. He married Mary --- of Hartford, Conn. She was born August 24, 1755 and died September 1829 at Hartford, Conn. (Conn. Observer Obit.)

On p. 333 Vol. 7 Records of the State of Conn., Hoadly, 1922, Jonathan and James Benjamin of E. Hartford, Hartford County, prayed to form and constitute a Matross Company, which was allowed.

Mary, wife of Jonathan Benjamin was admitted to the church on March 1797 by profession. (E. Hartford cr.) She received communion on July 10, 1791 at the same church and has the word "moved" behind this record. In the Hist. of E. Hartford, Goodwin, Jonathan is named of "Burnside Parish of Orford (now Manchester) in 1791.

There is again consusion between this Jonathan and numbers #471 and #475!

Children, if any, are unknown.

Resources: Listed above, plus Early Conn. Probate Records, Manwarning; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church Records.

?489. JOHN BENJAMIN[5] (Joshua[4-3], Abel[2], John[1]) perhaps the son of Joshua Benjamin; married December 25, 1769 at West Greenwich, Rhode Island (vr) Mehitable Thurston of West Greenwich.

A John Benjamin of Charlestown was a private in Capt. Harris's Co., Col. Gardner's Regt. and is listed in the company's return Oct. 1775.

In the 1774 census of R.I., John Benjamin of W. Greenwich had 1 male over 16, no males under 16, 1 female over 16, and two females under 16.

Resources: p. 141 1774 Census of R.I., Bartlett, 1858; Vital Records of R.I.; Cowell's Spirit of '76.

?490. CHARLES BENJAMIN[5] (Joshua[4-3], Abel[2], John[1]) born about 1756; perhaps a son of Joshua Benjamin.

He was age 19 when he enlisted June 26, 1775, occupation as a tailor, and enlisted from Charlestown. He was a drummer in Capt. Chadwick's Co., Col. Gridley's Artillery Regiment.

Resources: Charlestown, Mass. records; Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in the Rev. War, p. 939.

492. DAVID BENJAMIN[5] (John[4], Joshua[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born before 1775; the son of John and Margaret (Phipps) Benjamin; died in 1833 at Honeoye Falls, Monroe Co., New York. He married Mary --- (?Kenyon), who was born in 1759 in R.I. and died 1834 at Honeoye Falls, N.Y.

He is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Exeter, Washington Co., Rhode Island with 1-2-2 and in the 1800 census at Washington Center, Washington Co., R.I.

His name is mentioned in quite a few deeds in R.I. On March 24, 1789 he bought land from George Dyne; Jan. 20, 1798 Thomas Benjamin sold him land; Dec. 1, 1799 David sold Benjamin Lawton land; on Nov. 30, 1801 David sold to Joseph Allen; on June 2, 1817 David and wife Mary sell land to David Benjamin Jr. and in 1819 David Jr. sells the same land back again. In 1820 seems to be the last sale, when David sells the homestead. Nathaniel Thurston appears in many of the sales and bounds.

In the deed of land from Jonathan to Thomas and David, he refers to his right to sell as follows: ..."in my own proper right as a good, perfect, and absolute estate of Inheritance in fee simple."

Children of David and Mary (?Kenyon) Benjamin:

*1119. David Benjamin Jr. b. 1789 at Exeter, R.I.
*1120. Griffen Benjamin bc. 1800 at Exeter.
*1121. Simeon Benjamin b. before 1790.
1122. Betsey Benjamin b. 1784-90; m. February 15, 1807 Job Kenyon at Exeter, R.I. (vr).
?1123. Mary Benjamin b. 1790-1800.
1124. Ann Dexter Benjamin; m. April 28, 1829 at West Green

wich, R.I. to Jeremiah Watson. In 1833 they resided in Monroe Co., New York.

Resources: Records of Mrs. John Keller of Litiz, Penn.; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.; Research of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass. in R.I.; Research of Mr. Frank Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

493. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[5] (John[4], Joshua[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born about 1756. Wife and children, if any, are unknown.

On February 1781 he was a private in the Rhode Island Regt.

On April 13, 1781 William Nichols of West Greenwich, R. I. sold Samuel 10 acres of land in W. Greenwich for $200. Samuel was listed as a yeoman and corwinder in that deed. Three days later, Samuel sold the same land back to William Nichols.

Resource: Spirit of '76, Cowell, 1850; R. I. Vital Records; Research of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.

494. THOMAS BENJAMIN[5] (John[4], Joshua[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born about 1760; the son of John and Margaret (Phipps) Benjamin; died March 2, 1845, age 85 (gs) at Brookfield, Madison County, New York. He is buried at North Brookfield in the Side of the Road Cemetery. He married Amy Sweet, the dau. of George Sweet. She was born in 1762 and died June 17, 1846, age 84 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Thomas was listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Washington Co., Rhode Island with 1-0-2. Thomas Benjamin of Exeter, R. I. took the Freeman's Oath on April 18, 1792.

On April 19, 1796 Jonathan Benjamin sold land to David and Thomas Benjamin for 600 silver dollars. It was 60 acres of land with a dwelling. On January 20, 1798, Thomas sold to David Benjamin, the land sold him by Jonathan Benjamin. On June 5, 1779 Daniel Whitman sold Thomas and Silas Benjamin 10 acres of land in E. Greenwich, R.I.

Thomas Benjamin is listed in the 1800 census of Brookfield, Chenango Co., N.Y. with: 2-0-0-1-0//2-0-0-1-0.

(Note: Susanna is listed in the 1865 census as a widow who has 7 children. In the 1865 census her birth place is listed as Madison Co., whereas in the 1860 census it is listed as R.I. Obviously, there is some confusion as to whether she was married, or not!)

Children of Thomas and Amy (Sweet) Benjamin:

1125. Sally (Sarah) Benjamin b. 1790 in R.I.; d. November 6, 1844, age 54 (gs) and is buried with her parents; prob. unm.

1126. Susanna Benjamin b. 1794 in R.I.; d. May 3, 1877, age 83 (gs) and buried in the same cemetery as her parents.; perhaps unm.

1127. Ruth Benjamin b. 1793 in R.I.; d. March 17, 1833, age 40 (gs) and buried in the same cem. as parents.

*1128. George Sweet Benjamin bc. 1790-1800.
*1129. Jonathan Benjamin bc. 1800.
*1130. David Benjamin b. 1807.

Resources: Records of Mrs. John Keller of Litiz, Penn.; p. 1180 Gen. of Nye Family, Nye & Best, 1907; Vol. 168 p. 34-5 Gen. Records of Madison Co., N.Y.; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y. and Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.

495. SILAS BENJAMIN[5] (John[4], Joshua[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born between 1760-1770; the probable son of John and Margaret (Phipps) Benjamin. He married Ruth ---, who was b. 1760-70.

He is listed in the 1790 Federal Census in West Greenwich, Rhode Island with: 1-2-2.

There seem to be few records for Silas in R. I. On December 13, 1789 Silas sold land to Thomas Benjamin. They were 10 acres, and one of the bounds was already owned by Thomas. On June 5, 1779 Daniel Whitman of E. Greenwich sold 10 acres of land in E. Greenwich to Silas and Thomas Benjamin.

Silas is listed in the 1820 and 1830 census records of Alfred Township, Allegany Co., New York.

Children of Silas and Ruth (---) Benjamin:
*1131. John Benjamin bc. 1774-90.
*1132. Charles Benjamin bc. 1774-90.
1133. 1 female b. 1774-90.
*1134. Thomas Benjamin b. 1790-1800.
1135. 1 male b. 1790-1804.
1136. 1 female b. 1804-10.

Resources: Research in R.I. by Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.; Research in N.Y. by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

498. MARY BENJAMIN[5] (John[4], Joshua[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born September 22, 1753; the dau. of John and Margaret (Phipps) Benjamin; died March 17, 1836. She m/1 James Sweet of E. Greenwich, R.I., who was b. April 17, 1753 and died April 27, 1844. She m/2 --- Spencer and m/3 --- Place.

Children of Mary:
1137. Polly Sweet Spencer b. July 17, 1789 at E. Greenwich, R.I.; m. Brookfield, Madison Co., N.Y. to Paris Green in 1809. He was b. 1785. She died August 16, 1883 at Alfred, N.Y. When Polly married, she was known as Polly Spencer, but afterward acknowledged and made the heir of her father, James Sweet.

Resources: p. 60 Desc. of Joseph Green of R.I., Green, 1894.

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499. BENJAMIN WARD[6] (Lydia[5], Daniel[4-3], John[2-1]) born June 4, 1744 at Waltham, Mass.; the son of Thaddeus and Lydia (Benjamin) Ward; bapt. September 11, 1748 at Watertown, Mass. He married December 3, 1767 at Watertown (vr, also Waltham, Mass. vr) Mehitable Benjamin, dau. of Samuel and Mary (Hammond) Benjamin. See #229 for his carry down.

517. DANIEL NORCROSS[6] (Elizabeth[5], Jonathan[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born October 9, 1743 at Mendon, Mass. (vr); the son of Peter and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Norcross; died June 23, 1805 at Hopkinton, Mass. He married October 30, 1765 Abigail Chapin, who was born May 13, 1747 at Mendon and died November 27, 1810 at Hopkinton, Mass. They are both buried at Bear Hill Cemetery.

Children of Daniel and Abigail (Chapin) Norcross:

1138. Joel Norcross b. March 9, 1767 at Mendon, Mass.; d. Nov. 15, 1837; m. June 22, 1791 Huldah Gershot (Gshit/Gasset), dau. of Seth Gershot. She was b. May 3, 1773 at Hopkinton and d. April 1, 1841 at Hopkinton. They, also, are buried at Bear Hill Cemetery.

1139. Josiah Norcross b. April 23, 1769 at Mendon, Mass.; d. unm. March 25, 1791 at Pawtucket, R.I.

1140. Benjamin Norcross b. March 6, 1771 at Mendon, Mass.; d. August 30, 1811 at Peekskill, N.Y.; m/1 June 22, 1791 Hannah Stanford, dau. of Abner and Jemima (Green) Stanford, b. July 9, 1769, d. July 1795 at Hopkinton. He m/2 July 11, 1796 Nancy Lyon at Hopkinton, bc. 1774, d. Oct. 2, 1813 at Peekskill.

1141. Elijah Norcross b. May 12, 1774 at Milford, Conn.; d. Sept. 27, 1818 at Hopkinton; m. Dec. 23, 1802 Lydia Pierce, dau. of Francis and Lydia (Ball) Pierce, b. Nov. 20, 1777 at Upton, Mass. She m/2 March 30, 1819 Ebenezer Stearns at Upton.

1142. Daniel Norcross b. June 29, 1777 at Milford, Conn.; d. Jan. 25, 1824 at Hopkinton, Mass.; m/1 Oct. 7, 1804 at Boston Eliza(beth) Holland b. May 12, 1786 in England, d. Dec. 13, 1819 in New York City; m/2 April 27, 1820 at N.Y.C. Julia Persilla, dau. of John Frederick Persilla of N.Y., b. June 29, 1803.

1143. Archelous Norcross b. Oct. 12, 1779 at Milford, Conn. d. Feb. 27, 1839 at Boston, Mass.; m. March 11, 1804 Sally Parker, dau. of Solomon and Eliza Park-

er, b. Nov. 30, 1784 at Holliston, d. August 25, 1865 at Melrose. (Note: Archelous is also listed as Hercules Norcross on records in New Hampshire.)

1144. Chapin Norcross b. July 28, 1782 at Milford, Conn.; d. Nov. 20, 1822; m. (intentions) May 22, 1805 Ruth Baker, Bans forbidden.; m. Nov. 21,1807 in R.I. to Susan Danforth, b. Dec. 26, 1789 in Boston, d. Sept. 20, 1863 in Louisville, Kentucky; she m/2 --- Hassell. Chapin resided in Philadelphia, Pa.

1145. Otis Norcross b. April 22, 1785 at Hopkinton, R.I.; d. Nov. 25, 1827 at Cambridge, Mass.; m. Jan. 8, 1809 Mary Cunningham Homer, dau. of Eleazer and Mary (Cunningham) Homer, b. April 12, 1790 at Boston.

1146. Abigail Norcross b. April 23, 1788 at Hopkinton; d. October 30, 1807; unm.

Resources: Mendon, Mass. Vital Records; Hopkinton, Mass. Vital Records; Records of Mrs. Toner of Lodi, New Jersey.

532. EBENEZER WELLINGTON[6] (Annabelle[5], Jonathan[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) bapt. May 8, 1748 at Worcester, Mass.; the son of Ebenezer and Annabelle (Benjamin) Wellington. He married November 20, 1771 Esther Boyden, who was born in 1747.

His will was dated June 18, 1813 and probated August 1, 1815.

Children of Ebenezer and Esther (Boyden) Wellington:

1147. Ebenezer Wellington b. March 30, 1773; m. February 6, 1799 Mary Gleason.

1148. Esther Wellington b. July 2, 1776.

1149. Dolly Wellington b. February 13, 1780.

1150. Levi Wellington b. November 11, 1782; m. Judith Dodd of Holden, Mass.

1151. Molly Wellington bp. July 24, 1785.

1152. Polly Wellington bp. January 8, 1785.

1153. Sarah Wellington bp. November 4, 1793.

1154. Nahum Wellington b. December 8, 1796.

Resources: Records of Mrs. John C. Yoder of Gettysburgh, Pa. p. 26 Publication VIII Cambridge Hist. Society Proceedings Jan. 28, 1913-Oct. 28, 1913, a chart which lists only male Wellingtons; Hist. of Worcester, Charles Nutt, 1919 via Mr. Charles Dechand of Bloomfield, Conn.

534. DANIEL WELLINGTON[6] (Annabelle[5], Jonathan[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born April 24, 1753 at Worcester, Mass.; the son of Ebenezer and Annabelle (Benjamin) Wellington; married at Worcester, Mass. February 7, 1775 to Rebecca Putnam.

He served in the Revolutionary War.

Children of Daniel and Rebecca (Putnam) Wellington:

1155. Sally Wellington bp. Sept. 17, 1775 at Worcester.

1156. John Putnam Wellington b. Nov. 7, 1777; m. 1794 Lavina Smith.

1157. Tyler Wellington b. December 4, 1779; m. November 12, 1801 Lucretia Gleason.
1158. Clark Wellington b. July 10, 1749.
1159. Rebecca Wellington b. April 27, 1794.
1160. Edmund Wellington b. January 2, 1797.
1161. Ebenezer Wellington b. June 10, 1801.

Resources: Records of Charles Dechand of Bloomfield, Conn.

538. DANIEL BENJAMIN[6] (Daniel[5], Jonathan[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born in Roxbury, Mass.; the son of Daniel and Mary (Phillips) Benjamin; bapt. July 30, 1757 at Roxbury, Mass.; died December 10, 1781 at Boston, Mass. He married May 20, 1781 at the First Baptist Church in Boston (vr) Jane (Janet) Page, the dau. of John Page. She was born in 1764 and was age 73 June 7, 1837, when she applied for a pension, and must have died about August 1841, when the pension payments were stop ped. She m/2 December 18, 1782 Ephraim Hutchinson at Boston. (vr).

Daniel was in the Revolutionary War. His pension number is #W23386. He is listed as being of Sudbury, Boston, and Shrewsbury. In the Rev. War Land Records, Vol. 6 of the Mass. Archives, the assignee is Jane Hutchinson, widow of David Benjamin, deceased soldier of Regt. Urt under Col. Revere. She is given lot #22 in Somerset and $10.50 for surplus, and it is dated Sept. 11, 1834. In Soldiers and Sailors of Mass. in the Rev. War there is no David Benjamin listed that fits this description, but there is a Daniel Benjamin. He served aboard the "Castle" in and about Boston under Capt. Bradyle, Col. Crafts, Capt. Warner, and Col. Paul Revere for a total of 36 months and one day.

It is probable, since the marriage was of such short duration, that there were no children. However, there is a Daniel Benjamin who married April 24, 1800 (Boston, Mass. vr) Elizabeth Chapman, who might very well be a son of the above Daniel.

Resources: Named above, plus Vital Records of Boston.

547. JONAS HASTINGS[6] (Mary[5], Jonathan[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born July 15, 1762 at Waltham, Mass.; the son of Jonas and Mary (Benjamin) Hastings. He married August 27, 1785 Frances Leathe.

Children of Jonas and Frances (Leathe) Hastings:
1162. Jonas Hastings III bp. December 5, 1786.
1163. Josiah Hastings bp. May 6, 1787.
1164. Francis Hastings bp. October 4, 1789.

Resource: History of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

548. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[6] (William[5], Jonathan[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born July 30, 1760 at Ashburnham, Mass.; the son of William and Sarah (Child) Benjamin; died April 24, 1834 at Woodstock, Vermont (vr) at the age of 73. He married Anise (Annis) Holt, the dau. of Uriah and Annis (Willard) Holt,

on October 30, 1780 at Ashburnham, Mass. (vr). She was born September 1, 1757 at Harvard, Mass. and died November 30, 1830 at Woodstock, Vermont. They are both buried in the Walker Cemetery at South Woodstock.

Jonathan is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Woodstock, Vt. with: 1-3-3 and at the same location for the 1800 and 1810 census. He removed to Woodstock about 1783. Both Jonathan and his wife were residing with Lemuel in Woodstock for the 1830 census.

Jonathan enlisted in the Revolutionary War in Worcester County, Mass. for a term of nine months. He arrived at Fish kill, N.Y. June 19, 1778 in Capt. Gate's Co., Col. Stearn's Regt. He was age 17 years, five feet six inches tall, and light complexion, and resided at Ashburnham, Mass. There was also a Jonathan Benjamin of Leominster, Mass., a private in Capt. John Joslin's Co., Col. Job Cushing's (Worcester Co.) Regt. He was on the pay roll for 1 month and seven days, and marched to Bennington, Vt. in July 1777 to join Col. Seth Warner. This might be the same Jonathan.

On November 20, 1819 Jonathan bought land in Woostock from Lucy and Nathaniel Moulton of Windsor, Vt. for $250. (Vol. 12 p. 341 Woodstock, Vt. Deeds). He was a farmer.

His Rev. War pension number is #S12134.

Children of Jonathan and Annis (Holt) Benjamin:

*1165. Jonathan Benjamin Jr. b. April 27, 1782 at Ashburnham, Mass. (vr).
*1166. Anise (Annis) Benjamin bp. January 26, 1783 at Ashburnham, Mass. (vr).
*1167. Lemuel Benjamin b. April 1784 at Woodstock, Vt.
*1168. Daniel Benjamin b. 1786 at Woodstock, Vt.
*1169. Frederick Benjamin bc. 1774-84 at Woodstock, Vt.
*1170. Sarah (Sally) Benjamin bc. 1784-90 at Woodstock.
*1171. Rhoda Benjamin b. 1794 at Woodstock, Vt.
*1172. Mary (Polly) Benjamin b. September 5, 1795.
*1173. Abigail Benjamin b. October 20, 1797 at Woodstock.

Resources: Ashburnham, Mass. History: Valley of the Kedron; Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.; Family Bible records of Lemuel Benjamin from Miss Clark of Rye, N.Y.; Records of Miss G. Benjamin of Malden, Mass.

549. JONAS BENJAMIN[6] (William[5], Jonathan[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born May 5, 1762 at Ashburnham, Mass. (vr); the son of William and Sarah (Child) Benjamin. (Note: Other records have him born in 1760, April 6, 1760, and April 6, 1762). He died June 6, 1854 at East Hounsfield, Jefferson Co., New York. He, his first wife, and all children except Jonas and Charles, are buried in the Muskelunge Cemetery at E. Hounsfield. He m/1 Mercy Ann Salter (Saulter) on August 2, 1785 at Ashburnham, Mass. She was the dau.of Samuel and Sarah (Wright) Salter and was born February 12, 1764 at Stow, Mass. and died June 4, 1834 at E. Hounsfield. He m/2 Mrs.

Polly (Wilder) Hunt on March 7, 1839 at Hounsfield, N.Y. She was born about 1776 in Mass. and received a widow's pen sion #W8135. She was age 95 years on Oct. 1871 and the last pension payment was Sept. 4, 1871.

Jonas lived at South Woodstock, Vermont; Windsor, Vermont; Reading, Vermont and then went to E. Hounsfield, which is near Watertown, N.Y. In the 1790 Federal Census he is listed at Woodstock, Vt. with: 1-3-2, in the 1800 census at Reading, Vt., and in the 1810 census at Hounsfield.

Jonas enlisted in the Revolutionary War at White Plains in 1781 as a private in the 9th Regt. of Mass. Continental Line, at the age of 19, for three years. He was on the pension rolls in Jefferson Co., N.Y. in 1831.

Children of Jonas and Mercy Ann (Salter) Benjamin:

*1174. Jesse Benjamin b. December 17, 1785 at S. Woodstock.
*1175. Jonas Benjamin b. December 16, 1786 at S. Woodstock.
1176. Abijah Benjamin b. 1790; d. February 1, 1814, age 24, buried with his parents. (gs).
1177. Phoebe Benjamin, a twin, b. 1790; d. October 25, 1812, age 22 (gs), buried with parents.
1178. Lucy Benjamin b. 1792; d. November 20, 1812, age 20, (gs), buried with parents.
*1179. Lydia Benjamin b. 1795.
*1180. Mercy Benjamin b. February 14, 1795.
*1181. William Benjamin b. July 8, 1800/1.
1182. Rebecca Benjamin b. 1802; d. November 10, 1812, age 10 years. (gs).
*1183. Charles Benjamin b. 1807 at E. Hounsfield, N.Y.

Resources: Ashburnham History; Valley of the Kedron; Record of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.; Vol. 20 p. 140 & 146, Vol. 46 p. 385 DAR Lineage Books; Cleveland Gen., 1899 p. 1521; Records of Fred P. and Madge Benjamin of Watseka, Ill.

550. WILLIAM BENJAMIN[6] (William[5], Jonathan[4]m Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born August 1, 1764 at Ashburnham, Mass.; the son of William and Sarah (Child) Benjamin; died December 4, 1820 at Lincoln, Mass. He married Beulah Child, the dau. of Abijah and Beulah (Harrington) Child on February 16, 1786 at Waltham, Mass. (vr). She was born January/June 14, 1762 at Waltham, and died August 31, 1838 at Lincoln, Mass., age 71 (vr). They are both buried in the Lexington Street Cemetery at Lincoln.

William was on a list of men who enlisted from Middlesex Co., Mass. for a period of three years for the Revolutionary War on December 2, 1780. He was 17 years of age, five feet nine and one half inches tall, dark complexion, and a farmer. His pension number is #17293, which his widow received.

In Cambridge Deeds Vol. 186 p. 422, on February 8, 1810 William sold his farm in Lincoln, Mass. In Vol. 138 p. 150

of Cambridge Probate Records, William's will was probated January 1, 1821.

Children of William and Beulah (Child) Benjamin:

*1184. Sarah (Sally) Benjamin b. June 15, 1787 at Waltham Mass. (vr).

1185. Mary Benjamin b. 1788; d. November 28, 1833, age 45, at Concord, Mass. (vr); buried with parents (gs).

*1186. William Benjamin Jr. b. August 12, 1791 at Concord.

*1187. Thomas Everett Benjamin b. 1793 at Concord, Mass.

*1188. Ann Benjamin b. 1797 at Concord, Mass.

1189. Betsey Benjamin b. 1800; d. July 31, 1851; unm.; buried with her parents. (gs).

1190. Amanda Benjamin b. 1806 at Concord, Mass.; d. March 13, 1860, age 54; m. August 24, 1828 Abner B. Butterick. Abner and Amanda had no children. They are buried in the Sleepy Hollow Cemetery at Concord, as were Amanda's sister Ann and brother Thomas.

*1191. Abijah Benjamin, a twin, b. March 1806 at Concord.

*1192. Cyrus Benjamin b. January 21, 1807 at Concord, Mass.

Resources: p. 943 Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in the Rev. War; Lincoln, Mass. Vital Records; Waltham, Mass. Vital Records; p. 157 Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond; p. 427 Concord, Mass. Births, Marriages, and Deaths 1635-1850 (also p. 378 and 428 of same source); Hist. of Ashburnham; Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.

551. SARAH BENJAMIN[6] (William[5], Jonathan[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born August 2, 1766 at Ashburnham, Mass.; the dau. of William and Sarah (Child) Benjamin. She married July 15, 1785 at Windsor, Vermont Abijah Capen. (vr). She may have m/2 Barney Crapo.

Children of Abijah and Sarah (Benjamin) Capen:

1193. Sarah Capen b. November 25, 1785 at Windsor, Vt.; m. Cornelius G. Person, a Universalist minister; resided at Ellisburgh, New York.

1194. Marcy Capen b. August 20, 1787 at Windsor, Vt.

1195. Lucy Capen b. April 3, 1789 at Windsor, Vt.; m. August 23, 1814 (vr) Thomas Ormsbee of Lyme, N.H.

Resources: Vermont Vital Records; Records from the Bishop Bible from Ira E. Bishop of Homewood, Ill.; Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.

552. JOSIAH BENJAMIN[6] (William[5], Jonathan[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born June 19, 1769 at Ashburnham, Mass.; the son of William and Sarah (Child) Benjamin; died January 26,1836 at Berlin, Vermont, age 67. (vr). He married October 10, 1791 at South Woodstock, Vt. to Lucy Banning. She was born about 1771 and died October 27, 1845, age 74, at Berlin, Vt. (vr). They are both buried at the East Road Cemetery at Berlin.

They lived at Woodstock, Vermont until November 1793,

when they moved to Berlin, Vt. He took the Freeman's Oath in Berlin on Sept. 1795. He finally settled on a farm on a brook on the Old Turnpike, now (1960) the main road from Barre to Montpelier. The farm was still known in 1966 as the Benjamin farm. Josiah was a farmer and operated a grist mill. He traveled to Glastonbury, Conn. by ox cart to get the grind stones for his mill. Today, those stones lie in the brook on the farm.

Josiah was a Major in the Revolutionary War in the State Militia, when the title meant something. He is also listed in the Vermont records of the War of 1812, though this may be his son.

Children of Josiah and Lucy (Banning) Benjamin:

1196. Lucy Benjamin b. April 22, 1792 at S. Woodstock, Vt. (Berlin, Vt. vr); d. October 27, 1845; m. December 28, 1810 to Daniel Pennock.
*1197. Clara Benjamin b. March/May 8, 1795 at Berlin. (vr).
*1198. Ozias Benjamin b. April 13, 1797 at Berlin, Vt.
*1199. Sarah (Sally) Benjamin b. May 28, 1798 at Berlin.
1200. Josiah Benjamin Jr. b. November 28, 1801 at Berlin, Vt. (vr); d. November 15, 1803, age 2 years.
*1201. Josiah Benjamin III b. July 7, 1803 at Berlin, Vt.
1202. Eliza Benjamin b. July 31, 1805 at Berlin, Vt.; d. October 16,1885 at Groton, Vt.; m. December 18, 1827 Lyman Dodge of Barre, Vt. (Berlin, Vt. vr).
*1203. Matilda Benjamin b. March 26, 1807 at Berlin, Vt.
*1204. Hannah Benjamin b. July 10, 1811 at Berlin, Vt.

Resources: Vermont Vital Records; Hist. of Josiah Benjamin, Alfred Benjamin of Montpelier, Vt.; Vermont Gen. Society; Wilson Papers; Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.

554. MARY (MOLLY/POLLY) BENJAMIN[6] (William[5], Jonathan[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born July 7, 1773 at Ashburnham, Mass.; the dau. of William and Sarah (Child) Benjamin; died May 4, 1849. She married Cornelius Gray Person (Persons), the son of Samuel and B. (Gray) Person. He was born 1768 in Vermont. They were living in Rushford, New York in 1815. He m/2 Sarah Capen. (See #1193).

Cornelius was an itinerant minister and traveled the New York State area. He helped organize the Univeralist Church in Jefferson Co., N.Y. in July 1821.

Children of Cornelius and Mary (Benjamin) Person:

1205. Samuel Person b. 1792 in Windsor, Vt.; d. 1867; m. Lucinda Dodge b. 1791, d. 1876; he came to Rushford, N.Y. along with Asa Benjamin.
1206. Lewis Person m. Rebecca ---.
1207. Polly Person.
1208. Sally Person.
1209. Daniel Person.
1210. Hosea Person.

1211. Asa Person.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Research of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.; p. 57 Fam. of John Pierson of Lynn and Reading, 1878, Pierson; p. 599 Hist. of Jefferson Co., N.Y. Everson.

555. HANNAH BENJAMIN[6] (William[5], Jonathan[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born August 7, 1775 at Ashburnham, Mass.; the dau.of William and Sarah (Child) Benjamin. She married Charles Kendall, son of Amos and Mary (Evans) Kendall. After Hannah's death, he m/2 Lucy (Benjamin) Moulton, sister to Hannah, and a widow with no children.

When Hannah died, Charles went back to Vermont and brought back Hannah's sister, to bring up his children.

Children of Charles and Hannah (Benjamin) Kendall:

1212. William Benjamin Kendall.
1213. Mary Kendall.
1214. Lucy Holt Kendall b. March 13, 1812 at Scipio, N.Y.; d. Sept. 26, 1868 at Easton, Maryland; m. April 10, 1834 Hamilton Avery b. April 11, 1811 at Scipio. They resided at Bethany, N.Y.
1215. Lucinda Kendall, a twin, b. March 13, 1812; m. Harrison Cummings; resided Bethany, N.Y.
1216. Harriet Kendall b. 1819 at Venice, N.Y.; d. 1843; m. Cyrenus Wheeler.

Resources: p. 359 Groton Avery Clan, Avery, 1912; p. 446 Hist. of Wheeler Fam., Wheeler, 1914; Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.; Papers in a Bishop Bible via Ira E. Bishop of Homewood, Ill.

556. LEVI BENJAMIN[6] (William[5], Jonathan[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born September 7, 1777 at Ashburnham, Mass.; the son of William and Sarah (Child) Benjamin; died January 27, 1864, age 86 years, at Rushford, Allegany Co., New York. He married first on May 17, 1798 Nancy Willard. She was born January 6, 1785 at Vermont and died April 23, 1800 at Vermont. He m/2 Abigail (Nabby) Kendall on March 1, 1802 at Woodstock, Vt. (vr). She was born either Nov. 1780 or June/January 6, 1785 and died May 18, 1842 at Rushford, N.Y. He m/3 Deborah Kendall, a widow, on August 20, 1842 at Rushford. She was born 1773 in New Jersey and died April 19, 1861 at Rush ford, age 87 years. They are probably buried in the Village Cemetery in Rushford, N.Y.

Levi Benjamin had lived in both Windsor and Woodstock, Vermont, but he came to Rushford, N.Y. in 1815 from Ovid, Seneca Co., N.Y. He settled on Lot #30, where he built one of the first log taverns in the town. In one end of the tavern was a loft, and in the other end he built four chambers. Both were reached by a ladder. In the loft, prayer meetings were sometimes held. The altar above--the bar below.

Levi was one of the constituent members of the Baptist Church and the first Deacon. Rushford's town meeting was held at his tavern, at which he was elected constable and one of the first overseers of the poor. In 1816 a mail route was opened from Perry to Olean, and Rushford had it's first post office, with Levi Benjamin as postmaster.

Levi was appointed administrator November 9, 1819 of the estate of Lynn Blakesly of Rushford, who died intestate. (p. 108 Book 4 Allegany Co. Probate Records.)

Children of Levi and Nancy (Willard) Benjamin:

1217. Betsey Benjamin; m. October 10, 1816 Jeremiah Rappleyeman.

1218. Nancy Benjamin b. March 22, 1800 in Vermont; m. March 19, 1822 Seth Ray.

Children of Levi and Abigail (Kendall) Benjamin:

*1219. Sally Benjamin b. December 27, 1802 in Vermont.

1220. Lucy Benjamin b. December 1805; d. October 31, 1809 at Ovid, Senecca Co., N.Y.

1221. Albert Benjamin b. May 26, 1810; d. June 11, 1810 at Ovid, N.Y.

*1222. Eliab C. Benjamin b. January 9, 1812 at Ovid, N.Y.

*1223. Alnion (Almon/Almond) K. Benjamin b. October 29, 1813 at Ovid, N.Y.

1224. Albert Benjamin b. June 20, 1815 at Rushford, N.Y.; d. February 12, 1834 at Rushford. He is buried with his parents in the Village Cemetery.

*1225. Charles E. Benjamin b. June 5, 1818/9 at Rushford.

?1226. Matilda Benjamin.

Resources: Rushford Centenial 1808-1908:Rushford and Rushford People, H.J.W. Gilbert; Bible Records from Mrs. Cather ine B. Williams of Rushford, N.Y.; Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.; Wilson Papers; Records of Mrs. Guy Norris of Rushford, N.Y.; Records of Mrs. John Keller of Litiz, Penn.; p. 471 Early Settlers of N.Y. State, Foley, Vol. IV p. 471.

557. ASA BENJAMIN[6] (William[5], Jonathan[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born July 25, 1782 at Ashburnham, Mass.; the son of William and Sarah (Child) Benjamin; bapt. June 30,1883 at Ashburnham; died August 1853 at Rushford, Allegany County, New York. He married October 28, 1802 at Windsor, Vermont, Abigail Swimerton (Swinerton) of Putney, Vt., the dau. of Samuel Swimer ton. She was born about 1783 and died September 2, 1851, age 68 at Rushford. They are both buried at the Podonque (Podunk) Cemetery.

Asa Benjamin was originally a shoe maker. He became a brick mason and in Vermont owned a cider mill. In Rushford he became a plasterer, too. He was Justice of the Peace and road commissioner of Rushford. He became a J.P. in 1817 and served in that capacity for 17 years.

His home in Rushford still (1969) stands and is used by

a hired hand. He built near the part of Podunk called by the pioneers, Wolf Meadow, in 1817.

Before Asa moved to Rushford, he went there on horseback to locate a farm. He followed the "Blazed Trail" to Gary's Settlement, where his brother Levi already had setteled, along with many other Vermonters. At one time there were so many families on the same street that came from Windsor, Vt., that they called it Windsor Street.

When Asa came back with his family, Asa Jr. was age 3. His mother carried him much of the way in her arms. When they reached Syracuse, they found the place infested with vagabonds, so Asa had to watch his belongings. Asa came with a black ox team and one horse. They were five weeks on the road. They came in a covered wagon, with a cow hitched on behind, and on the road they learned of the peace with England.

In Vermont Land Deeds (Vol. 10 p. 80) Asa released his right to land to Moses and Phebe Warner of Andover. In Vol. 11 p. 269 Asa and Abigail Benjamin of Windsor, Vt. sold land to Samuel Swinerton on March 2, 1816.

There is a story about Asa telling of an experience he had in Rushford. When, as a plasterer, he was returning through the forests from Canadea at about dusk, and encount ered a wolf sitting in the road. Each watched the other awhile, and finally Asa pulled a bag of tools from his shoulder and threw it down in front of the wolf. The wolf became scared and ran off, and Asa continued his journey.

Children of Asa and Abigail (Swimerton) Benjamin:

1227. Nahum Benjamin b. and d. January 25, 1805 at Windsor Vermont.

*1228. Oliver Davis Benjamin b. March 13, 1806 at Woodstock, Vt.; he was orphaned as a baby and adopted by Asa at the age of 2 years. His parents were Oliver and Rhoda (Persons) Davis.

1229. Sylvia E. Benjamin b. October 21, 1808 in Vt.; d. March 25, 1886, age 77-5-4 (gs); m. John Neff and removed to Cuba, N.Y.

1230. Asa W./H. Benjamin b. December 18, 1814 in Vermont; d. March 6, 1830, age 15-2-17 (gs) in Rushford.

*1231. Phebe Benjamin b. May 18, 1810 in Windsor, Vt.

*1232. Percy Benjamin.

*1233. Abigail Salome Benjamin b. February 26, 1820 at Rushford, N.Y.

*1234. Harriet C./K. Benjamin b. October 31, 1823 at Rushford, N.Y.

Resources: Records of Norine Boyd Steward of Niantic, Conn.; p. 238 Bailey Gen., Bailey, 1899; Wilson Papers; p. 805 Allegany County History; Records of Mary Baldwin Williams of Rushford, N.Y.; Rushford, N.Y. Centennial 1808-1908; Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.

561. SAMUEL BENJAMIN^{6} (Samuel$^{5-4}$, Daniel^{3}, John$^{2-1}$) born about 1761

in Watertown, Mass.; the son of Samuel and Martha (Cook) Benjamin; died October 11, 1837 at Boston, Mass. His marriage, if any, is unknown.

Children of Samuel Benjamin:
*1235. Samuel Benjamin.
Dr. Wilson insisted that there was a Samuel Benjam in this line for many generations.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

569. ELIZABETH BOND[6] (William[5], Elizabeth[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born October 3, 1762 at Weston, Mass.; the dau. of William and Mary (Stratton) Bond; married April 26, 1781 Nathaniel Sanderson of Waltham. He was born April 9, 1755 and he m/2 October 22, 1807 Mrs. Sarah Hastings.

Children of Nathaniel and Elizabeth (Bond) Sanderson:
1236. William Sanderson bp. May 19, 1782; d. Oct. 28, 1782.
1237. Betsey Sanderson b. April 29, 1784; m. April 26, 1804 Solomon Child, b. Nov. 1, 1762.
1238. Nancy Sanderson b. April 29, 1781; m. January 23, 1812 Roswell Watkins.
1239. Nathan Sanderson b. March 18, 1788.
1240. Sally Sanderson b. October 9, 1789; m. April 25, 1811 Abner Sanderson Jr., son of Abner and widow Mary Hagar.
1241. William Sanderson b. December 18, 1791.
1242. Josiah Sanderson b. January 19, 1794.
1243. Elijah Sanderson b. March 7, 1796; m. May 14, 1826 Cynthia Stearns, dau. of Joshua and Lois (Pierce) Stearns b. May 2, 1794.
1244. Amos Sanderson b. October 18, 1798; d. Oct. 18, 1800.
1245. Amos Sanderson b. October 24, 1801.
1246. Marshall Sanderson b. September 17, 1803.

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

570. RHODA BOND[6] (William[5], Elizabeth[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born November 14, 1764 at Weston, Mass.; the dau. of William and Mary (Stratton) Bond; died September 20, 1803; married Bazaleel Flagg of Waltham, Mass. He was born May 14, 1764 and m/2 February 20, 1804 Irene Viles.

Children of Bezaleel and Rhoda (Bond) Flagg:
1247. Isaac Flagg b. May 26, 1785; d. unm.
1248. Charles Flagg b. July 10, 1788; d. unm.
1249. Daniel Flagg b. May 3, 1792; d. unm.
1250. Thurza Flagg b. Jan. 7, 1796; d. unm.
1251. Mary Flagg; m. Erastus Bridgeman of Hanover, N.H. and had 7 children.

Resource: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

571. ANNA BOND[6] (William[5], Elizabeth[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born June 30, 1768 at Weston, Mass.; the dau. of William and Mary

(Stratton) Bond. She married June 21, 1783 Nathaniel Locke of Waltham, Mass. He was born March 6, 1762 and died in 1851.

Children of Nathaniel and Anna (Bond) Locke:

1252. Nancy Locke b. November 3, 1785; m. January 20, 1807 to Asa Fuller.

1253. William Locke b. March 10, 1788; d. April 14, 1826; m. September 10, 1820 Elizabeth Woolcott.

1254. Nathan Locke b. July 2, 1795; d. November 26, 1837; m. June 2, 1822 Sally Stevenson of Hingham, Mass.

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

717. JONATHAN BENJAMIN^{6} (Joshua^{5}, Jonathan^{4}, Abel^{2}, John$^{2-1}$) born July 27, 1747 at Concord, Mass. (vr); the son of Joshua and Sarah (Ball) Benjamin; died in 1830 in Guildhall, Essex Co., Vermont. He married Mary ---.

There is a Revolutionary War pension for a Jonathan Benjamin, #R746, dated November 1830 (when he was age 82) of Essex Co., Vermont. He testifies he enlisted at Sudbury, Mass. in 1782 for nine months, that he has no property of any description, and has to rely on his son for subtenance for over 15 years.

In Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in the Rev. War, a Jonathan Benjamin is listed from Sudbury in Capt. Benjamin Monroe's Co., reported as a deserter dated January 21, 1778, but is listed as a private in Capt. Monroe's Co. in service between 1778 and 1779. There is also a Jonathan listed as a private in Capt. Banjamin Lapham's Co., Col. Jonathan Reed's First Regt. of Guards, enlisted April 19, 1778 at Cambridge, Mass. for three months. There is also a notation in the same source for a Jonathan Benjamin, dated at Concord Sept. 30, 1777, signed by Benjamin and others, asking for addition to wages for service guarding the Continental stores at Little Cambridge, Concord, Sudbury, etc.; served in Capt. Isaac Wood's Co., and granted by the House of Representatives Jan. 21, 1778.

In the Sudbury Vital Records there is recorded "Abel, son of Jonathan and Mary b. Dec. 1777" and it is crossed out. However, in Sudbury, Mass. First Parish Records p. 320, there is recorded "Mary, wife of Jonathan Benjamin became a member October 8, 1780. Abel, son of Mary and Jonathan Benjamin bp. Oct. 22, 1780, b. Dec. 18, 1777".

In the 1800 census of Guildhall, Essex Co., Vermont is a Jonathan Benjamin with 1 male over 45; 1 male 10-16; 1 male 16-26; and 2 females over 45.

Children of Jonathan and Mary (---) Benjamin:

*1255. Abel Benjamin b. December 18, 1777 at Sudbury, Mass.

?1256. Abbie Benjamin bc. 1780; d. May 18, 1856, age 75-5-0 at Guildhall, Vt. (gs) and buried in the Keith Cem. in Essex Co., Vt.

1257. 1 male b. 1784-1790. (Perhaps Samuel Benjamin.)

Resources: p. 259 Concord, Mass. Vital Records; "Heath Papers" in Mass. Hist. Society; Gen. of Family of Lt. Samuel Benjamin, Mary L. Benjamin, 1900.

719. SARAH BENJAMIN[6] (Joshua[5], Jonathan[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born January 21, 1753 at Concord, Mass.; the dau. of Joshua and Sarah (Ball) Benjamin. She married William Barron of Concord, Mass. on August 22, 1779 at Concord.

Sarah and William died when Joseph was very young and he was 'bound out'. Later, he and his brother William went to Norridgewock and later, 1822, Joseph went to Emden, Maine.

Children of William and Sarah (Benjamin) Barron:

1258. Polly Barron b. October 16, 1780 at Concord, Mass.
1259. Jenny Barron b. June 7, 1782 at Concord, Mass.
1260. William Barron b. March 2, 1784; d. 1816 in an accident at Norridgewock, Maine; m. March 13, 1810 to Syntha Dyer.
1261. Joseph Barron b. July 12, 1787 at Groton, Mass.; d. Sept. 17, 1865 at Emden, Maine; m. April 18, 1812 Rachel Quint b. 1791, d. Dec. 10, 1882.

Resources: Hist. of Watertown, Mass., Bond.

?721. ABIEZER BENJAMIN[6] (Joshua[5], Jonathan[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born about 1765, hopefully placed as the son of Joshua and Sarah (Ball) Benjamin. He died about 1799 at N. Auston, Maine. He married Mary (Polly) Savage August 8, 1790 at Hallowell, Maine, the dau. of Isaac and Deborah (---) Savage. She was born October 25, 1769 at Woolinch, Maine and died in the fall of 1817 at Bingham, Maine. She m/2 on December 5, 1805 Joseph Littlefield, who was born May 14, 1773 and died in 1814 in the War of 1812.

This is a tentative placement. It is the line of Helen (Benjamin) Brown, one of the compiliers of this Benjamin Genealogy. According to family tradition, he is one of seven sons. However, he is placed in this line because the descendants of Joshua have gone to Maine and because one of the descendants remembers talk about an Aunt Tamezon.

After John was born, Abiezer and Polly moved to Emden, Maine. In 1798 Abiezer paid tax in North Auson. In 1799 a daughter is born, and in 1800 the wife of Abiezer is listed as a widow, with 3 young children, living in a cottage on her Uncle's land. Abiezer's home burned May 4, 1795.

Children of Abiezer and Mary (Savage) Benjamin:

*1262. Isaac Benjamin b. March 15, 1791 at Hallowell, Maine.
1263. Twin sons born dead November 2, 1792 at Hallowell.
1264. William Benjamin b. January 13, 1794 at Hallowell; d. August 24, 1795.
*1265. John Benjamin b. March 28, 1796 at Hallowell.
*1266. Sarah (Sally) Benjamin b. 1799 at N. Auson, Maine.

Children of Joseph and Mary (Savage Benjamin) Littlefield:

Susanna Littlefield b. October 26, 1809 at Moscow, Maine; m. Jan. 12,1830 Sardis Temple.
Elleanor Littlefield b. 1813.

Resource: Research of Mrs. Homer (Helen Benjamin) Brown of Oak Park, Illinois.

723. ANDREW BENJAMIN[6] (Jonathan[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born January 7, 1756 at Westnn, Mass. (vr); the son of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Stimpson) Benjamin; bapt. July 11, 1756 at Weston; died July 18, 1832, age 76, at Winchendon, Mass. (vr). He married Mary Pierce of Weston on October 31, 1776 at Weston Mass. She was the dau. of Joseph and Ruth (White) Pierce and was born December 17, 1754 at Weston and died October 12, 1832, age 78, at Winchendon, Mass. (vr). (Note: Salt Lake City Family Group Sheet shows her parentage as dau. of Benjamin and Mary (Lamson) Pierce.)

Andrew is listed in the 1790 Federal Census in Winchendon, Worchester Co., Mass with: 1-3-2. He was "of Whinchen don" when he married.

In Vol. 119 p. 326 Andrew and wife Mary, on Oct. 14, 1812, sell their share of their inheritance from Nathaniel Stimpson, which was set off from his grandmother, Widow Elizabeth Stimpson. This in the Cambridge, Mass. Land Records.

Andrew Benjamin served in the Revolutionary Was as a private in Capt. Abraham Pierce's Co., Col. Thomas ardner's Regt., which marched on the alarm on April 19, 1775 to Concord and Lexington. He also had other enlistments in the years 1776 and 1777. In one enlistment his stature is given as five feet six inches.

Children of Andrew and Mary (Pierce) Benjamin:

*1267. Stephen Benjamin b. February 13, 1778 at Ashley, Mas
*1268. Amos Pierce Benjamin bp. October 15, 1780 at Fitzwilliam, N.H., though he was b. at Ashley, Mass.
1269. Betsey Benjamin bp. August 13, 1781 at Fitzwilliam, N.H.; m. (int.) July 14, 1799 to Moses Curtis.
*1270. Francis Benjamin b. April 9, 1784 at Fitzwilliam.
*1271. Jonathan Benjamin b. May 20, 1786 at Fitzwilliam.
1272. Charles Benjamin b. March 7, 1789 at Winchendon.
*1273. Levi Benjamin b.July 18, 1791 at Winchendon, Mass.
1274. Polly Benjamin b. May 13, 1794 at Winchendon, Mass.
1275. Sally Benjamin b. October 26, 1796 at Winchendon.
1276. child; d. August 30, 1808 at Winchendon, Mass. (vr).

Resources:p. 928 Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in the War of the Rev.; p. 466 Hist. of Fitzwilliam, N.H., Whitemore, 1888; Town of Weston, Mass. Vital Records.

724. DANIEL BENJAMIN[6] (Jonathan[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born October 14, 1757 at Weston, Mass. (vr); the son of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Stimpson) Benjamin; bapt. October 16/23, 1757 at Weston (vr); and died May 12, 1819 at Athol, Mass. He married

Tamezon (Tamason) Felton of Athol on November 10, 1779 at Athol, Mass. She was the dau. of David and Zerviah (Howe) Felton and was born November 28, 1758 at Ashburnham, Mass. and died March 20, 1843.

Daniel is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Ashburnham, Worchester Co., Mass. with: 2-3-3. He moved to Ashburnham about 1778 and lived on the farm more 'recently' occupied by Samuel Keyes, in the north part of town.

In Vol. 199 p. 436 on Oct. 4, 1812 Daniel sold to Lemuel Stimpson for $50. land and waived rights on the property left him by his grandmother, Elizabeth Stimpson.

Daniel was in the Revolutionary War. He was drafted from Weston, Mass.; a private under Capt. Samuel Lamson's Co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775 at Lexington. He also saw service in 1776 and 1777 as a private under Capt. Reuben Dickson, Col. Elisha Porter's Regt. on Nov. 9, 1778.

He was listed in the 1800 and 1810 census of Ashburnham.

Children of Daniel and Tamezon (Felton) Benjamin:

1277. Eunice Benjamin b. December 6, 1780 at Weston, Mass.; d. June 20, 1820 at Fitchburgh, Mass.; m. January 12, 1813 John R. Kemp. (Note: Salt Lake Family Group Sheet names him as Aaron Kemp.)

*1278. Daniel Benjamin Jr. b. March 6, 1783 at Ashburnham.

*1279. Nahum Benjamin b. February 20, 1785 at Ashburnham.

1280. Tamezon (Tamezin) Benjamin b. May 16, 1787 at Ashburnham, Mass.; was unm. in 1862.

1281. Abigail (Nabby) Benjamin b. June 17, 1789 at Ashburnham; m. December 7, 1811 at Cambridge, Mass. to Samuel Keyes of Plymouth, Mass. He was the son of Ephraim and Bridget (Sawyer) Keyes. They had nine children. (Ashburnham, Mass. m. vr.)

*1282. Sally Benjamin b. March 14, 1792 at Ashburnham.

1283. Lydia Benjamin b. May 11, 1794 at Ashburnham; m. Sept. 18, 1814 Charles Damon of Wayland or E. Sudbury, Mass. at Ashburnham (vr).

1284. Samuel Howe Benjamin b. May 27, 1796; d. May 1, 1801, age 5 years.

1285. Louisa Benjamin b. April 8, 1801 at Ashburnham; m/1 John Cramn; m/2 --- Moore of Boston, Mass.

1286. Irene Benjamin b. February 20, 1805 at Ashburnham; d. January 16, 1874; m. (int.) March 13, 1826 at Charles Street Church in Boston to Emery Willard, son of John and Deborah (Wilder) Willard; resided in Brighton and had 11 children.

Resources: p. 161 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey; Wilson Papers; Burke Alvord Memorial, Boutelle, 1864; Salt Lake City Family Group Sheets of Latter Day Sailts.

727. LT. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[6] (Abel[5], Jonathan[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born February 5, 1753/4 at Needham, Mass.; the son of Abel and Elizabeth (Nutting) Benjamin; bapt. February 10, 1754 at

Watertown, Mass. (vr Vol. III); died April 14, 1824 at Livermore, Maine, age 71. He married Tabitha Livermore of Waltham, Mass. on January 16, 1782 at Waltham. (vr). She was the dau. of Nathaniel and Martha (White) Livermore, and was born June 27, 1757 at Waltham and died June 20, 1837 at Livermore, Maine.

Samuel went to Livermore, Maine in the fall of 1782 and all of his children were born there.

Samuel was in the Revolutionary War. He was a Lieutenant in Col. Michael Jackson's Regt., serving 9 months as an Ensign and 27 months at a Lt. He is listed as an officer at We$t Point on Nov. 8, 1779 and also on pay accounts in 1780. He responded to the first call for troops, and took an oath of fidelity at Valley Forge May 13, 1778, which was witnessed by Baron DeKalb. He was a member of the Watertown Company of Minutemen and took part in the com bat at Lexiongton and also was a member of the Corps of Light Infantry organized for LaFayette. He served for four years three months 21 days. His pension number is #W23652. He applied for a pension in 1818 when he was age 64.

Children of Samuel and Tabitha (Livermore) Benjamin:

1287. Col. Billy Benjamin b. March 13, 1785 at Livermore, Maine; d. March 31, 1849; m. September 12, 1816 at Livermore Phoebe Wellington of Lincoln, Mass., the dau. of Lt. Elijah and Phebe Wellington. She was b. March 23, 1788 at Lincoln and died December 4, 1869 at Livermore. There was no issue of this marriage. He was the second male child born in Livermore; a man of military bearing and tastes; a Colonel in the State Militia; and served in the War of 1812.

*1288. Samuel Benjamin Jr. b. September 7, 1786 at Livermor

*1289. Nathaniel Benjamin b. May 16, 1788 at Livermore.

1290. Betsey Benjamin b. December 29, 1790 at Livermore; d. December 12, 1860 at Bangor, Maine; m. November 15, 1810 Samuel Monson (Morison/Morrison) b. 1788, d. 1867; had 7 children.

*1291. Polly Benjamin b. October 2, 1729 at Livermore.

*1292. Martha Benjamin, a twin, b. October 2, 1792.

*1293. David Benjamin b. June 3, 1794 at Livermore.

*1294. Charles Benjamin b. August 2, 1795 at Livermore.

1295. Elisha Benjamin b. October 10, 1797 at Livermore; d. December 1852 at either New Orleans, La. or Pearlington, Miss. He married Joan Sawtell at Livermore. Dr. Wilson says that there were no children of this marriage and Mary Louise Benjamin says he was not heard from again after going South, except the date of his death.

1296. Ruth Benjamin b. May 20, 1799 at Livermore, Maine; d. February 3, 1869 at Livermore; m. March 13, 1825 Jonathan Lovejoy, the son of Jacob Lovejoy, b. March 11, 1797 at Fayette, Maine, d. November

19, 1881 at North Leeds, Maine. He was a farmer and head postmaster of E. Livermore. They had either 3 or 5 children.

Resources:p. 942 Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in the War of the Rev.; p. 75 Livermore Fam. of Am., Thwing; DAR Lineage Books Vol. 66 p. 229, Vol. 37 p. 108; Vol. 147 p. 14, Vol. 131 p. 140; Benjamin Fam. of Lt. Samuel Benjamin, Mary L. Benjamin, 1900; p. 155 Lovejoy Gen., Lovejoy, 1930; Vol. VIII p. 79-81 Colonial Fam. in U.S., McKenzie; Waltham, Mass. Vital Records; Watertown, Mass. Vital Records.

728. JONATHAN BENJAMIN^{6} (Abel^{5}, Jonathan^{4}, Abel^{3}, John$^{2-1}$) born in Needham, Mass.; the son of Abel and Elizabeth (Nutting) Ben jamin; bapt. March 21, 1755/6 at Watertown, Mass. (vr Vol. IV.)

Mary Louise Benjamin says that he must have died young, as he was not heard of after that.

There is some confusion between this Jonathan and the Jonathan #717, but from the pension records, it would seem that the other Jonathan is the correct carry down.

729. JOHN BENJAMIN^{6} (Abel^{5}, Jonathan^{4}, Abel^{3}, John$^{2-1}$) born in 1758 at Needham, Mass.; the son of Abel and Elizabeth (Nutting) Benjamin; bapt. February 5, 1758 at Watertown, Mass. (vr Vo. IV); died December 2, 1814 at Whitefield, Maine. He m/1 Jemima Mills (Mells) of Needham on February 15, 1781 at Needham. She was the dau. of David Mills and was born in 1774 and died in 1801 (Cem. rec.). He m/2 Elizabeth Kenny of Livermore, Maine on March 2, 1805 at Livermore. She was born in 1774 at Livermore and died in 1840 at Whitefield, Maine. They were married by Cyrus Hamlin, afterwards Vice President of the U.S. She m/2 John Decker at Whitefield.

John was born the year his father died. He was a youth ful witness at the Boston Tea Party. When he was 15 years of age, in 1773, he petitioned the Court to appoint Richard Hunnewell of Boston and Charlestown, ship joiner, as his guardian. Richard Hunnewell qualified and was so appointed.

At age 17, he enlisted at Charlestown in the Continental Army as a private in Capt. Harris's Co.; Col. Gardner's Regt. Both Watertown and Needham are listed as his residence in his war records. He was also a member of Col. William McIntosh's First Suffolk Co. Regt.

There is a tablet commemorating his military service on the wall of the Washington Memorial Chapel at Valley Forge, Penn., a gift from a grand daughter, Mrs. Pearson. His entire service in the Revolutionary War totaled about seven years.

In later years, John and his wife went to Whitefield, Maine, with their son Beniah.

Children of John and Jemima (Mills) Benjamin:

*1297. John Benjamin b. October 9, 1781 at Watertown, Mass.

*1298. Jesse Benjamin bc. 1783 at Watertown.

1299. Sally Benjamin b. January 25, 1786 at Roxbury, Mass. (vr); d. Sept. 4, 1787, age 15 mos. at Roxbury (vr
1300. Sally Benjamin b. February 1788; bapt. August 31, 1788; d. Dec. 19, 1789 at Roxbury (vr) age 22 mos.
*1301. Beniah Benjamin b. February 7, 1791 at W. Roxbury.

Children of John and Elizabeth (Kenny) Benjamin:
*1302. James Jefferson Benjamin b. September 6, 1806 at Livermore, Maine.
*1303. Isaac Benjamin b. April 6, 1808 at Livermore.
1304. Elbridge Benjamin bc. 1810 at Livermore, Maine; went to California in 1849; wrote to brothers he had made a fortune and would return home at Easter. He was never heard of after that.

Resources: Vol. VII p. 79 Colonial Fam. in U.S., McKenzie; Gen. of Fam. of Lt. Samuel Benjamin, Mary L. Benjamin, 1900 Roxbury, Mass. Vital Records; Wilson Papers--Arthur E. Pearson of Roxbury, a desc. wrote Dr.Wilson in 1899. He is the one that wrote the memoirs in Colonial Fam. in U.S.

730. LOIS (LOUISE/LOUISA) BENJAMIN^{6} (Caleb$^{5-4}$, Abel^{3}, John$^{2-1}$) born in 1757 at Hardwick, Mass.; the dau. of Caleb and Martha (Bodman) Benjamin. She married June 9, 1785 at Montague, Mass. (vr) Elisha Holton of Northfield, Mass.

Children of Elisha and Lois (Benjamin) Holton:
1305. Phila Holton b. March 11, 1786; d. October 22, 1840; m. Hon. George Field on Dec. 2, 1805. He was b. June 16, 1781 at Northfield, Mass.
1306. Electa Holton.
1307. Elisha Holton.
1308. Elihiu Holton. (Note: Either Elisha or Elihiu had a dau. Electa Holton b. Nov. 24, 1821, who m. Quartus Benjamin.)
1309. Elephalet Holton.
1310. Lois Holton.

Resource: p. 455 Field Gen., Pierce, 1901.

732. JOEL LIVERMORE BENJAMIN^{6} (Caleb$^{5-4}$, Abel^{3}, John$^{2-1}$) born April or August 9, 1760 at Hardwick, Mass.; the son of Caleb and Martha (Bodman) Benjamin; died December 4/7, 1839, age 79, at Montague, Mass. (vr). (Note: DAR records say he died at Wendell, Mass.) He married Sarah Anderson of Montague on June 10, 1790 at Montague, Mass. (vr). She was born about 1764 and died March 19, 1813, age 49, at Montague, Mass. (vr). He may have m/2, since in the 1820 census of Wendell there is a woman born between 1775-1794 residing in his household.

Joel is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Montague, Mass. with: 1-0-1. He is listed in the same place in the 1800 census and in the 1810 and 1820 census he is residing in Wendell, Mass.

Joel is on the descriptive list of men raised to rein-

force the Continental Army for a term of 6 months on June 5, 1780. He is 20 years of age, five feet ten inches tall, light complexion, and residing in Montague. He marched to camp July 1780 under the command of Capt. Daniel Shay. He is listed under several other dates and discharged Jan. 9, 1781 with a service of 6 months 7 days. A Joel Benjamin is also entered as enlisting Oct. 15, 1779 and being discharged Nov. 21, 1779 with a service of one month 14 days.

His pensinn number is #S29002 and he was pensioned Aug. 16, 1833 at the age of 74 with an annual allowance of $28.80.

Children of Joel L. and Sarah (Anderson) Benjamin:

1311. Marcy (Meora/Meorry) Taylor Benjamin b. September 19, 1790 at Montague, Mass.; d. July 18, 1881; m. Feb. 5/12, 1822 Oren Payne at Wendell, Mass. He was b. June 1, 1787 at Montague and d. Sept. 21, 1873 at Montague, Mass.

*1312. Alured Taft Benjamin b.January 2, 1793 at Montague.

*1313. Ives Benjamin b. August 17, 1794 at Montague.

*1314. Abel Benjamin b. July 23, 1796 at Montague. (vr).

*1315. Eber (Eben) Benjamin b. April 11, 1798 at Montague.

1316. Louise Benjamin b. May 23, 1800 at Montague; d. October 29, 1803 at Montague (vr), age 2 years 6 mos.

1317. Martha Bodman Benjamin b. July 28, 1802; d. October 27, 1803 at Montague (vr), age 15 mos.

1318. Quartus Wells Benjamin b.November 25, 1804 at Montague; d. April 30, 1809 (vr), age 12 years 5 mos.

1319. Thomas Patrick Benjamin b. April 9, 1808 at Wendell, Mass.; d. May 28, 1867 at Erving, Mass.; m. Betsey Brigham.

Resources: Hist. of Montague, Mass., Clapp, p. 130; p. 276 Desc. of Moses Cleveland, Cleveland, 1899; Vol. 47 p. 334 DAR Lineage Book; Montague, Mass. Vital Records; Records of Allen Benjamin of Wayland, Mass.; Records of Mrs. Eva Prior of Mendham, N.J.

734. HUBBARD BENJAMIN[6] (Caleb[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born before 1765 at Hardwick, Mass.; the son of Caleb and Martha (Bodman) Benjamin. He married Achsa Gunn of Montague, Mass. on January 16, 1794 at Montague. She was born about 1772 and died May 21, 1858, age 86, at Montague, Mass. (vr).

He is listed in the 1810 Wendell, Mass. census with: 0-0-1-0-2//0-1-0-1-0 and in the 1820 census at Wendell with: 0-0-0-1-0-1//0-1-2-1-1.

Children of Hubbard and Achsa (Gunn) Benjamin:

1320. 1 male b. 1794-1804.

1321. 2 females b. 1794-1804.

1322. 1 female b. 1804-10, possibly Fanny Benjamin; m. (int.) Nov. 21, 1829 at Montague, Mass. (vr) to Elihu P. Gunn of Wendell, Mass.

Resources: Census Records; p. 363 Vol. 2 N.E. Hist. and Gen.

Register.

735. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[6] (Caleb[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born in Hardwick, Mass.; the son of Caleb and Martha (Bodman) Benjamin. No information on his death or marriage is known at this time. He possibly married Harriet ---, who died January 1, 1814 at Williamstown, Mass. (vr). In her death record, she is listed as the wife of Samuel Benjamin.

Children of Samuel and Harriet (---) Benjamin:
?1323. Samuel Benjamin bc. 1800.

Resources: Williamstown, Mass. Vital Records.

739. LEVI BENJAMIN[6] (Abel[5], Caleb[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born October 9, 1762 at Hardwick, Mass.; the son of Abel and Susanna (Carpenter) Benjamin. He married Azuba Newton on October 18, 1781 at Montague, Mass. She was born 1753 and died March 28, 1804, age 51, at Wendell, Mass. He may have m/2 since there is a female b. before 1810 in the 1810 census record residing in his household.

Levi is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Montague, Mass. with: 2-2-1 and in the 1800 census at Montague with: 2-1-0-1-0//0-0-0-0-1 and in the 1810 and 1820 census at Wendell, Mass.

Levi was in the descriptive list of enlisted men dated Warwick: in Capt. Seth Murray's Regt. with an age of 19 years; five feet seven inches tall; dark complexion; and residing in Montague; with the rank of private; mustered July 17, 1780 for 3 months. He is also listed as a private in Capt. Elihu Lyman's Co., Col. Elisha Porter's Hampshire County Regt. with an enlistment date of July 25, 1779.

Children of Levi and Azuba (Newton) Benjamin:
?1324. 1 male b. 1781-84; perhaps Abel Benjamin; d. 1842.
*?1325. 1 male b. 1784-90; perhaps Harvey Benjamin b. 1789.
1326. 1 male b. 1784-90.
*?1327. 1 male b. 1790-1800; perhaps Levi Benjamin b. March 10, 1796 at Montague, Mass.
1328. 1 male b. 1790-1800; perhaps Ira Benjamin, perhaps a twin, b. March 10, 1796 at Montague, Mass.
1329. 1 female b. 1794-1800.

Children of Levi and unknown wife:
?1330. Azubah N. Benjamin bc. 1812; m. Rufus Field, son of Rufus and Hannah (Jennings) Field, b. May 20, 1812 and resided in Erving, Mass.

Resources: p. 941 Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in War of Rev. p. 183 Vol. 22 N. E. Hist. and Gen. Register; p. 457 Field Gen., Pierce, 1901; Montague, Mass. Vital Records.

742. RHODA BENJAMIN[6] (Abel[5], Caleb[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born May 17, 1767 at Hardwick, Mass.; the dau. of Abel and Susannah (Carpenter) Benjamin. She married November 7, 1791 at Mon-

tague, Mass. (vr) Quartus Wells of Deerfield, Mass.

Children of Quartus and Rhoda (Benjamin) Wells:

1331. Eliza Wells b. April 5, 1792 at Deerfield, Mass.; d. April 25, 1871 at Greenfield, Mass.; m. July 19, 1821 Hon. Horatio Gates Newcomb, b. Sept. 27, 1785 at Bernardston, Mass., d. Sept. 18, 1857; he m/2 Maria Pratt.

Resources: p. 275 Andrew Newcomb and his Desc., Bethuel M. Newcomb, 1923.

743. CALEB BENJAMIN^{6} (John^{5}, Caleb^{4}, Abel^{3}, John$^{2-1}$) the son of John and Desire (Gilkey) Benjamin. Information regarding his birth, death, and marriage are unknown.

Caleb was a proprietor of Woodbury, Washington County, Vermont and was named in the Charter of Grantees August 16, 1781.

In the Windsor, Vermont Land Deeds Vol. 2 p. 128 under the date of April 25, 1773 Caleb Benjamin of Windsor, yeoman, for 12 pounds from Joseph Powers of Windor, sold some land. It was signed in the presence of John and Deziar Benjamin. Nathan Stone and John Benjamin personally appeared and attested that they saw Caleb Benjamin sign the above document on June 25, 1776.

On page 358 and 534 of Extracts from the State of Vermont Rolls of Soldiers in the Rev. War 1775-1783 compiled by John E. Goodrich in 1904 show a Caleb Benjamin as a in the company of Capt. John Benjamin, Col. Benjamin Wait's Battalion. The lists are approved at the pay office at Bennington by a committee of two,one of whom was a Nathaniel Brush. In the first, an unspecified number of days ending June 30, 1781 when his pay was £5.14.8 (probably 75 or 80 days.); the second is from Aug. 7, 1781 to Nov. 27, 1781, a period of 113 days, for which his pay was £8.2.8. There is no indication as to his relationship to John Benjamin.

Possible children of Caleb Benjamin:

1332. Lorana Benjamin; m. October 13, 1811 to William Drew at Woodbury, Vt. (vr).

1333. Emelly (Emily) Bemjamin; m. January 4, 1821 to Samson Lawson at Woodbury, Vt. (vr).

1334. William Abner Benjamin b. November 29, 1790, poss. in Mass.

?1335. Lawrence Benjamin b. 1794/5. In the 1850 Woodbury, Vt. Census records, he was age 55 and living with Levi and Ruth Drew. He is also noted in the same census record, same age, as a laborer in the home of Simon (age 32) and Diantha Gilman.

Resources: Records of Robert E. Thompson of Sperryville, Va.; Vermont Vital Records.

745. DANIEL BENJAMIN^{6} (John^{5}, Caleb^{4}, Abel^{3}, John$^{2-1}$); the son of John and Desire (Gilkey) Benjamin; died March 27, 1845 and

m. (prob. m/2) November 1820 to Lucinda (Butterfield) Lawrence. She was born about 1769 and died in Cadwell Manor, Canada. She had m/1 Elijah Lawrence of Hinsburg, Vt., the son of Isaac Lawrence. Elijah was b. 1763/4 at Canaan, Conn. and d. March 15, 1809, age 46.

Daniel was named in the Charter of Grantees for Woodbury, Vermont on August 16, 1781.

Information regarding his other marriage or children is unknown at this time.

Resources: Elijah Lawrance's pension record.

746. EZRA BENJAMIN[6] (John[5], Caleb[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]); the son of John and Desire (Gilkey) Benjamin; died October 1810 at Royalton, Vermont. (vr). He married Lucy Avery. She may have m/2 Samuel Mott of Preston, Conn.

Lucy was admitted to the church November 5, 1813 by letter of dismissal and recommendation from the church in Royalton, Vt. at Preston, Conn. (First Cong. cr.)

Ezra was in the 26-44 age group in the 1800 census of Royalton, and had 2 daus. under 10 years of age.

Children of Ezra and Lucy (Avery) Benjamin:

1336. Lucy Benjamin b. January 5, 1797 at Royalton, Vt. (vr).

*1337. Keziah F. Benjamin b. November 4, 1798 at Royalton, Vt. (vr).

1338. Isaac Avery Benjamin b. November 21, 1800 at Royalton, Vt. (vr).

1339. Iridina Benjamin b. March 6, 1803; d. Sept. 13, 1805 at Royalton, Vt. (vr).

1340. Olive Benjamin b. August 8, 1805 at Royalton. (vr).

Resources: Vermont Vital Records; Hartford Times March 7, 1942, Oct. 19, 1948; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church Rec.

750. ANNA WASHBURN[6] (Anna[5], Caleb[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born May 21, 1780 at Hardwick, Mass.; the dau. of Eliphalet and Anna (Benjamin) Washburn; died October 11, 1845 at Barre, Vermont. She married Benjamin Willis Child on November 25, 1798. He was the son of Ebenezer and Abigail (Willis) Child, born October 5, 1775 and died January 13, 1838 at Barre, Vermont.

Benjamin was a farmer and Deacon of the First Church at Hardwick, Mass. They removed to Barre about 1838.

Children of Benjamin W. and Anna (Washburn) Child:

1341. Benjamin Willis Child Jr. B. November 6, 1799 at Hardwick, Mass.; m. Elizabeth Southworth.

1342. Tryphemia Washburn Child b. 1801; m. Eli Cooley.

1343. Aurelia Child b. 1803; m. Abijah Burnap.

1344. Elvira Child b. 1805; d. 1841.

1345. Franklin L. Child b. 1807; m. Margaret Marsh.

1346. Tyler Child b. 1809; m. Nancy Williams.

1347. Martin Luther Child b. 1811; m. Mercy H. Chapin.

1348. Ann W. Child b. 1813; m/1 Lyman Hawks; m/2 Elias Ayers.
1349. Julia Ann Child b. 1815; m. Rev. Gideon Dana.
1350. Haxson Child b. 1817; m. Phebe Stevens.
1351. William A. Child b. 1820; m. Olive A. Huckley.
1352. Elizabeth Child b. 1826; d. 1850.

Resources: p. 201, 225 Hist. of Slayton Fam., Slayton, 1898.

?809. JAMES BENJAMIN[6] (Benjamin[5], Samuel[4-3-2], John[1]) born April 18, 1752 in Conn. (tho some records say N.Y.); the possible son of Benjamin Benjamin; died June 28, 1813 at age 61 years 2 mos. (gs) at Charlton, Saratoga Co., N.Y. and buried in the West Charlton Scotch Cemetery. He married Hannah Keeler of Canaan, Conn. on January 24, 1776 at Wilton, Fair field Co., Conn. (vr), the dau. of John Keeler. She was born December 27, 1753 at Wilton, Conn. and bapt. February 10, 1760 at Wilton, Conn.

James is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Charlton, Saratoga Co, N.Y. with 1-5-2.

James (according to a chart by Ira Benjamin) owned property in the townships of Mendon and Bloomfield, N.Y.)

He was among the list of names attending a town meeting in Saratoga Co. in 1791, and was named Pathmaster.

He was a Revolutionary War soldier and was named in the New York and Conn. records.

His occupation was carpenter and farmer.

Isaiah Keeler and wife Melisent were recorded Sept. 4, 1772 in the Stillwater Cong. Church records.

James's will was dated May 24, 1813 and probated Dec. 28, 1813 and named wife Hannah, and son Delsey as executors.

He is included in this genealogy because of his large number of descendants, even thought this placement is doubt ful, in the hopes that future genealogists might solve the mystery if most of the facts are published.

Children of James and Hannah (Keeler) Benjamin:
*1353. David Benjamin b. September 18, 1776.
*1354. Delsey (Delsa) Benjamin b. June 4, 1779.
1355. Mary Benjamin b. July 3, 1783.
*1356. Daniel Benjamin b. September 9, 1785.
*1357. James Benjamin Jr. b. December 28, 1788.
*1358. Seth Benjamin b. August 5, 1794. (Seth is said to have been named for Seth King.)

Resources: Methodist Episc. Church, Saratoga Co.. Circuit, Class book of Rev. Bull; Rev. Soldiers Graves, Vol. 4 (in N.Y. State Library); p. 267 Hist. of Saratoga Co., N.Y., Sylvester, 1878; p. 63 Book 3 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey; Conn. Men in Rev. p. 677; Hartford Times Mar. 15, 1958; Research of Blanche L. Beardslee of Clarkston, Mich.; Research of Ira Benjamin of Michigan.

810. ASHER (ASHUR) BENJAMIN[6] (Samuel[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born May 4,

1751 at Hartland, Conn. (Granville, Conn. (vr); the son of Samuel and Martha (Blake) Benjamin; bapt. February 16, 1751 or 1752 at Durham, Conn. (vr N2-294); died January 2, 1777, age 52-8-0, at Simsbury, Conn. (Hartland cr 2-162). He married Elizabeth Black of Blanford, Mass., the dau. of Robert and Margaret (---) Black. She m/2 May 28, 1778 at Hartland, Conn. (cr 2-83) Elishana (Elishma/Elishama) Porter of Hartland. He died about 1812.

Asher Benjamin was a Revolutionary War soldier and died in service. His father, Samuel Benjamin, settled his estate. He had a dwelling house, sword, household good, etc.

George, Asher, and Lois Benjamin, children of her former husband, on July 4, 1784 chose Elishma Porter, their mother's second husband, as their guardian.

Elishma's will, dated December 23, 1812 (#296 Probate Division, Hartford, Conn.) names Asher Benjamin Jr. as his executor and beneficiary of his estate. In the will, it calls Asher Benjamin son-in-law and his step-dau. Lois King his dau.-in-law. The phrase son-in-law and step-son were used interchangeably in the early records.

In the Levy of 1774, Asher Benjamin was assessed 21 pounds in Hartland in the Levy of 1775 he was assessed £23.6.

Children of Asher and Elizabeth (Black) Benjamin:

1359. George Benjamin b. 1770; bapt. July 4, 1784 at Hartland, Conn. (cr 1-444); d. October 19, 1853, age 82.

*1360. Asher Benjamin Jr. b. June 15, 1773.

1361. Lois Benjamin b. June 14, 1777 at Hartland, Conn.; bapt. July 4, 1784 at Hartland, Conn. (cr 1-444); d. August 20, 1847; m. February 14, 1799 Seth King of Hartland, Conn.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Probate Records; p. 78 Early Conn Marriages, Bailey; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church Record Research of Mrs. Raymond Fales of Westford, Mass.

813. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[6] (Samuel[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born February 3, 1757 at Granville, Mass.; the son of Samuel and Martha (Blake) Benjamin; died October 7, 1843 at Granby, Conn. His obit said age 87 years, while the Hale Collection says 86 yrs. He m/1 Rachel Holcomb of Granby. According to her gravestone, she was born in 1758 and died November 10, 1804, age 45. In the Granby First Cong. Church records 2-105, she was born in 1762 and died November 10, 1805, age 43. She is buried in the Granby, Conn. Cemetery lot #1-10. He m/2 Diodama (Diadema on g.s./Diodanna/Diadama) Sawyer on November 27, 1809 at Granville (vr). She was born 1770 and died April 1, 1836.

In the Hampden Co., Mass. land records, he did quite a few transactions: (53:139) in 1811 Nathaniel Bates sold land to Samuel of Granville, land in Granville; (53:140)

in 1811 Daniel Sherman sold land to Samuel; (53:142) in 1811 Nathaniel Bates again sold land to Samuel; (53:143) in 1811 Justus Rose sold land to Samuel; and in (47:240) Samuel and Deidomia Benjamin of Granville sold land to William F. Miller of Windsor, Conn.

He is in the Hartland, Conn. census records of 1800 with: 1-1-1-0-1//1-1-0-1-0 and in the 1810 census of Hartford. From 1802 to 1807 they moved to Granarth, Mass. and then back to Hartland.

Samuel enlisted in the Revloutionary War as a private in 1776 in Capt. Theo. Woodbridge's Regt. He re-enlisted in 1777 for 3 years. He received a pension at Granby, Conn #S31546, under the Pension Act of 1832. When he was in Capt. Woodbridge's Regt., he was acting as a substitute for Titus Hayes.

Children of Samuel and Rachel (Holcomb) Benjamin:

*1362. Elizur E. Benjamin b. January 11, 1784 at Hartland.
*1363. Dr. Daniel Benjamin b. August 12, 1786 at Hartland.
*1364. Samuel Benjamin Jr. bc. 1787 at Hartland, Conn.
1365. Nabby (Abigail) Benjamin bp. November 9, 1800 at Hartland First Church (cr 2-114).
1366. Octavia Benjamin bp. November 9, 1800 at Hartland First Church (cr 2-114); m. January 31, 1819 David Rose at Hartland (First cr 2-103).
1367. Amos Benjamin d. perhaps February 12, 1873 at Granby Conn. (Private rec. Barbour Collection.)
1368. Roxy Benjamin.
*1369. John Benjamin.

Resources: Vol. 16 p. 192 DAR Lineage Book; Wilson Papers; p. 163 The Holcombs, Nations Builders, McPherson, 1947; Vol. 6 and 7 Conn. State Records, Hoadly; E. Granby, Conn. Vital Records; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records; Barbour Collecion of Conn. Vital Records.

815. JOHN BENJAMIN^{6} (Samuel$^{5-4-3-2}$, John^{1}) born about 1767 at Hartland, Conn.; the son of Samuel and Martha (Blake) Benjamin; died May 11, 1820, age 53, at Granby, Conn. (cr 2-140). He married Annah ---, who was born about 1771/2 and died Novem ber 11, 1853, age 81 (gs) (Hartford, Conn. obit.). She is buried in the Granby, Conn. Cemetery lot #1-37.

Annah, widow, was dismissed and recommended on July 1820 to the church in Granby from the Hartland Church. (cr 3-20).

Supposedly, John married, but had no issue.

Resources: Hale's Collection of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records.

817. PATTI (MARTHA) BENJAMIN^{6} (Samuel$^{5-4-3-2}$, John^{1}) born in Hartland, Conn.; the dau. of Samuel and Martha (Blake) Benjamin. She married on June/July 12/21, 1785 Judah or Judson Holcomb of Simsbury, at the Hartland First Church (cr). She

m/2 on May 1797 at N. Granby, Conn. Ozias and Levi Holcomb.

Children of ? and Patti (Benjamin) Holcomb:
1370. Ardon Benjamin Holcomb b. 1804.
1371. Anson L. Holcomb b. 1806; m. March 31, 1831 Abigail Benjamin at Granby, Conn. Abigail was the dau. of Elizur Benjamin. (See #1362.)

Resources: Wilson Papers; p. 80 Book 5 Early Conn. Marriage by Bailey; p. 106 The Holcombs, Nation Builders, McPherson, 1947.

820. WILLIAM BENJAMIN[6] (Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born June 18, 1748 at Mendon, Mass. (vr); the son of Joseph and Anne (Penniman) Benjamin; died January 28, 1789 at Saratoga Co., N.Y. He married October 3, 1774 at Great Berrington, Mass. Abigail Fitch. She died May 9, 1786. He m/2 Ruth ---, who m/2 John Fellows.

William witnessed his Uncle Nathan Benjamin's will in 1785 at South Egremont, Mass. He sold his inheritance to Uncle Nathan in 1775 at S. Egremont. (Land Records 11:496). It was interest in their father's estate in Mt. Washington and Pomfret, Conn.

William was in the Revolutionary War. He was a private under Capt. Job Woodbridge, Col. Brown's Berkshire Co. Regt. and enlisted July 8, 1777. He was with the group that marched from Stockbridge for the evacuation of Ft. Ticonderoga. He enlisted again April 29, 1781 for a term of three years. In 1777 he fought under General Philip Schuyler and was in the battle that led to the defeat of Burgoyne. Afterward, he owned the house on the battlefield, which was later occupied by his grandson's widow, Jane Marshall.

Letters of administration were granted to John and Ruth Fellows (widow of William) of Stillwater, N.Y. on May 3, 1791. (Saratoga Co., N.Y. Probate Vol. W7 p. 2).

Children of William and Abigail (Fitch) Benjamin:
*1372. Joseph Benjamin b. December 23, 1775 at Egremont, Mass.
1373. William Benjamin b. December 22, 1776 at Egremont, Mass.; d. November 16, 1859, age 85, and buried in the Old Broad Street Cemetery at the Old Reformed Church in Schuylerville Twp., Saratoga Co., N.Y. In the 1850 census he was residing with his sister Phebe Marshall in Saratoga Co., N.Y. Information regarding his marriage (if any) or children is unknown.
1374. Elias Benjamin b. January 9, 1779 at Egremont, Mass.
*1375. Phoebe Ann Benjamin b. January 18, 1780 at Egremont.
*1376. Jared Benjamin b. February 16, 1782 at Egremont.
?*1377. Anna Benjamin bc. 1784-6.

Resources: Records of Miss Helen Gurtner of Kingman, Kansas Records of Mrs. Homer Hill of Rockford, Ill.; Mass. Soldier

and Sailors in the War of the Rev.; Vol. 2 p. 746 Tippacanoe Co. Biographica Hist., 1899.

821. SAMUEL CLARK BENJAMIN[6] (Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born December 8, 1749 at Windham, Conn.; the son of Joseph and Hannah (Dibble) Benjamin; bapt. Sept. 10, 1758 at Hampton, Conn. First Church (cr 1-75); died November 22/24, 1824, age 74-11-16 at Bridport, Vermont. (vr). He m/1 Phoebe Minor (Miner) of New London, Conn., the dau. of Clement and Abigail (Hempstead) Minor. She was born April 17/27, 1749 at Stonington Conn. and died October 10, 1795 at Bridport, Vermont. (vr). He m/2 Elizabeth Johnson of Conn., who was born between 1755-74. He m/3 Mrs. Polly Vaughn, a widow, on October 3, 1809 at Bridport, Vt. (vr). Polly married again in August 4, 1829 at Bridport, Vt. (vr) William Wines, and in 1836 they moved to Michigan. (Washtenaw Co.) She died in 1845.

Phoebe Minor's sister, Abigail Minor b. April 3, 1740, married Col. William Bott.

Samuel, at the age of 19, went to New Jersey (about 1769) with the Benjamin Minor family, and resided in the Boonton, New Jersey area. He, with fellow bondsman William Bott, administed the estate of Samuel Price of Hanover Morris Co., N.J. on Feb. 22, 1783. (N.J. Wills 6:317). In 1787 he brought his family to Bridport, Vermont. The Minors migrated to Vermont, also. He was a blacksmith.

In 1773 (Egremont, Mass. Deeds 11:75) he sold his inheritance to his Uncle Nathan Benjamin.

He was listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Bridport, Vermont with himself, 5 males, and 3 females.

There are records in New Jersey of a Samuel Benjamin who participated in the Revolutionary War as a teamster from Morris Co., N.J. area, who probably is this same Samuel.

In the Bible of Sarah C. Benjamin, grad dau. of Samuel, is a scrap of paper on which it says "Grandfather Benjamin was born in New Jersey in 1750. He came to Vermont from New Jersey in 1789."

Samuel bought land in Bridport from Col. Ephraim Dolittle on November 11, 1786. (Book of Deeds 2:71).

Children of Samuel Clark and Phoebe (Minor) Benjamin:

*1378. Samuel Clark Benjamin Jr. bc. 1774 in New Jersey.
*1379. Clement Benjamin b. 1777 in New Jersey.
*1380. Minor (Miner) Benjamin b. 1774-84 in New Jersey.
*1381. Joseph Benjamin b. 1774-84 in New Jersey.
1382. Laura Jane Benjamin. She quit claimed her share of inheritance Oct. 9, 1835. It is thought she went to Michigan or Ohio in 1836.
*1383. Polly Benjamin b. October 16, 1783 at Morris Co., NJ
*1384. Nathaniel Benjamin b. May 7, 1788 at Bridport, Vt. (vr).
1385. Mary R. Benjamin b. 1774-84 in New Jersey; m. January 18, 1832 Abel P. Bailey at Bridport, Vt. (vr)

(Note: Birth date comes from census records. She may have been born later.)

1386. Phoebe Benjamin b. October 10, 1795 at Bridport, Vt. (vr 2-265). (Note: Her birth date and mother's death date are the same!); m. December 9, 1802 William Clark at Bridport, Vt. (vr).

Children of Samuel Clark and Elizabeth (Johnson) Benjamin:

*1387. Allen Sergant Benjamin b. February 23, 1797 at Bridport, Vt. (vr).

*1388. William Bott Benjamin b. September 29, 1798 at Bridport, Vt. (vr).

1389. Samantha Benjamin born and died September 29, 1802 at Bridport, Vt. (vr 2-266).

1390. Frances (Fanny) Benjamin bp. August 5, 1804. She quit claimed her share of the inheritance to William Bott Benjamin on October 9, 1835 (Book 9: 540). She may have married --- Allen and moved to Wisconsin. An Allen Bailey of Sextonville, Richland Center, Wis. wrote to Wallace Payne's Grandmother and said he had called on Frances Allen, "the last of the old Benjamin stock."

Resources: Benjamin Family of Norwich and Preston, Conn., Mrs. E. E. Rogers, 1918; Records of Wallace Payne of Bridport, Vt.; Records of Mrs. John Daniels of Marine City, Michigan; p. 514 Gen. of William Cheesbrough, Widdey, 1903; Bridport, Vt. Vital Records; Mrs. Roy Green of Texas.

822. PELEG BENJAMIN[6] (Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born March 5, 1752 at Hampton, Conn.; the son of Joseph and Hannah (Dibble) Benjamin; bapt. September 3/10, 1758 at the First Church of Hampton, Conn. (cr 1-75); died 1818 at Delhi, Delaware Co., New York. He married Elephalet (Eliphal/Alathetta/Eliphalet) ---, who was born before 1755. There is no other data for her.

Peleg was listed in the 1790 census of Mt. Washington, Mass. with: 1-5-6 and in the 1800 census of Northeast, Dutchess Co., N.Y. with: 3 m. 0/10; 2 male 10/16; 3 m. 16/26; 1 m. 45+// 2 females 0/10; 1 f. 10/16; 2 f. 16/26; and 1 f. 45+.

Peleg was a private in Capt. James Campbell's Co., Col. John Ashley Jr's Berkshire Co. Regt. He enlisted Oct. 14, 1781 with a service of 10 days on a march to Saratoga by order of General Stark.

His will is dated April 10, 1818 and probated June 6, 1818 (Delaware Co.,N.Y. Abstract of Wills Vol. 9 p.16) with Jabez Boswick and Archibald Church named as executors. He mentiones his wife (no name); daus. Cynthia Bassett, Sally Caswell, Polly and Esther Maxwell; and sons: John, Silas, Seymour, and Harry.

Children of Peleg and Elephalet (---) Benjamin:

3 males b. 1774-84 and alive in 1800.

1391. James Benjamin d. June 14, 1796 at Mt. Washington, Mass. (vr).
*1392. Merchant Benjamin bc. 1774-84.
2 females b. 1774-84.
1393. Cynthia Benjamin d. September 23, 1794 at Mt. Washington, Mass. (vr).
1394. Hannah Benjamin b. 1776 at Mt. Washington, Mass.; d. February 1, 1856; m/1 David Moore (More); m/2 Josiah Knapp.
2 males b. 1784-90.
1 female b. 1784-90.
3 males b. 1790-1800.
2 females b. 1790-1800.
1395. Cynthia M. Benjamin b. 1793 at Mt. Washington, Mass; d. 1858; m. John Bassett b. 1793, d. 1874, resided Chilmark; Martha's Vinyard; Andes, Delaware Co., N.Y.; and Batavia, Michigan. He was the son of Ebenezer and Abigail (Adams) Bassett. This family is included in the Mayflower Index #2868.
1396. John Benjamin. A John Benjamin of Hillsdale, Columbia Co., N.Y. m. November 15, 1804 Jerusha Spencer of Hartland, Conn. (Second Church of Hartland cr 1-217).
1397. Silas Benjamin; letters of administration were granted to Ebenezer Steele on Chattels, goods, and credits on October 1829 for Silas Benjamin, late of Delhi, N.Y. Among his things was a note due May 2, 1825 for $8.10 by Polly Benjamin.
*1398. Seymour Benjamin bc.1804.
1399. Harry Benjamin.
1400. Sally Benjamin; m. --- Caswell.
1401. Polly Benjamin; m. --- Maxwell.
1402. Esther Benjamin; m. --- Maxwell.
1403. daughter m. John or Jacob House of Hillsdale, N.Y.

Resources: Vol. 69 p. 73 N.Y. Gen. & Biog. Collection; Hartford Times June 24, 1944; Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in the War of the Rev.; Research of Mrs. Bethany Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.; Wilson Papers.

823. JUDAH BENJAMIN[6] (Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born July 8, 1755 at Windham, Conn. (vr 2-9); the son of Joseph and Hannah (Dibble) Benjamin; bapt. September 3/10, 1758 at the First Church of Hampton, Conn. (cr 1-75); and died August 16, 1834 at Pike Township, Bradford County, Penn. He may have m/1 Widow Rhoda Trench (?French) on June 2, 1779 at Durham, Conn. (vr EG-334). (Note: William Trench m. 1773 Rhoda Hickok.) At the time of the above marriage, Judah was residing in Milford, Conn. In 1782 he married Susan Jemima Dunham (Dunning). He m/3 Joanna ---, b. 1760 and d. Oct. 5, 1846.

Judah removed to Mt. Washington, Mass. about 1760 with his brothers and sister, Mary. In 1775 he was still a

resident there. In 1819 he lived in Hamilton, Madison Co., New York when he received his pension. He relates in his pension petition that his discharge papers were burned in a house in 1804 in Genesco, Ontario Co., N.Y. His pension was transferred March 1826 to Bradford Co., Penn. because his children resided in that area, and he thought he would better his condition if he moved near them.

He was a tanner, shoemaker, and farmer.

Judah was a soldier in the Revolutionary War, and his pension number is #S39981. He was a private in the Conn. Militia in 1778 in the 5th Troop of Col. Elisha Sheldon's Light Dragoons, and was from the town of Milford, Conn. His first enlistment was Jan. 1, 1776 at Claremont, N.H. for one year under Capt. Maney, Col. Reed's Regt. of N.H. Line. He took part in the siege of Boston, the Battle of White Plains, and the battle of Stillwater when General Burgoyne was captured. He was also a private in Capt. Caleb Mix's Co., Col. Mosley's Regt. He was five feet seven inches tall, with a dark complexion and hair and gray eyes. He applied for a pension from Hamilton, N.Y. at the age of 65 and received $8.00 a month.

Judah is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Luzerne County, Penn. with: 1-0-2.

The History of Bradford Co., Penn. says that he came with the first settlers to Wyalusing. His wife Susannah was still alive in 1829, for she deeded some land to Gould H. Lewis. It is conjectured that his last days were spent either in Herrick or Orwell.

Children of Judah Benjamin:

*1404. Orange Benjamin b. January 26, 1784 at Mt. Washington, Mass.

*1405. Polly Benjamin; bc. 1784 in Conn.

1406. Lavinia Benjamin; m. --- Wooden. (Note: There was a Lavinia Benjamin who d. 1853, age 67 (bc. 1786) who m. 1810 Thomas Baxter b. Kinderhook, N.Y. in 1776, d. 1864 in Milo, Yates Co., Ohio.)

*1407. Michael Benjamin b. 1792.

*1408. Isaac Benjamin b. 1780-90.

*1409. Edwin Benjamin b. 1775-94.

Resources: Gen. and Fam. Hist. of Conn., Cutler, Vol. 2 p. 1090-1; p. 441 Abridged Compendius Am. Gen.; Gen.of Benjamin Family, Baker, 1898; p. 239 Hist. of Claremont, N.H.; Am. Gen.; Gen. and Hist., pub. in Washington, D.C. March 7, 1940; Vol. 1 p. 402 & 270 Hist. of Bradford Co., Penn.; p. 78 N.Y. Gen. Soc.

825. ELIAS BENJAMIN[5] (Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born May 4, 1750 at Norwich, Conn. (vr 2-141); the son of Elijah and Hannah (Taft) Benjamin; died at Truxton, Cortland Co., New York at an unknown time. He married Content ---, who died at Linck lean, Cortland Co., N.Y.

He was on the tax list of"Phillipse Pantent" in Dutch-

ess Co., N.Y. in 1777 and in the 1790 Federal Census at Fredrickstown, Dutchess Co., N.Y. with: 1-0-1.

Elias and his brother, Elijah and Eli Colgrave, started the settlement of DeRuyter, N.Y. in 1793. Elias located on 150 acres of land on the northwest corner of the town. He was a shoemaker and carried on his trade at his farm. Later, he removed to Lincklean, and then on to Truxton. Benjamin Merchant bought the property in DeRuyter in 1808, and then sold the land to Joseph Rich.

He was a member of the 7th Regt. of the Dutchess County Militia. He volunteered for service in the War of 1812, and on June 1813 became a Captain.

Children of Elias and Content (---) Benjamin:
1410. Elias Benjamin Jr., a twin, died young.
1411. Elijah Benjamin, a twin, died young.

Resources: Hist.of Madison, Co., N.Y., 1872; Wilson Papers; Research of Mrs. John W. Keller of Litiz, Penn.

826. CHESTER BENJAMIN[6] (Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born February 9, 1752 at Norwich, Conn. (vr 2-141); the son of Elijah and Hannah (Taft) Benjamin; died in 1830 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., N.Y. He is buried in the Merchant's Cemetary at DeRuyter. He married Antjie Harp, the dau. of Petrus and Antjie (DePue) Harp. She was born August 17, 1756 at Accord, Ulster Co., N.Y. and was bapt. at the Dutch Reford Church there. She was a descendant of Capt. Jochem Schoonmaker and Moses DePue Sr., who were two of the three trustees to whom was granted the township of Rochester, Ulster Co., N.Y. in 1702 by Queen Anne of England.

Chester served in the Revolutionary War with his brother Darius and his brother-in-law, Henry Harp. He took part in the battles of Saratoga, White Plains, and the defense of Fort Clinton and Montgomery at West Point. He was in 2nd Regt. of the Dutchess Co. Militia and also the 3rd Regt. of the Ulster Co. Militia under Col. Levi Pawlings. The latter was organized in the town of Rochester, Oct. 25, 1775.

The Articles of Association were signed by all the inhabitants of the Township of Rochester within 10 days after the battle of Lexington. In these articles, the signers bound themselves "under all the ties of religion; honor; and love of country to adopt and endeavor to carry into execution what ever measures may be recommended by the Contin ental Congress or resolved upon by the Provincial Congress for the purpose of preserving our constitution and opposing execution of the several arbitrary and oppresive acts of the British Parliment." Chester signed this document.

On October 1, 1793 Chester bought 153 acres in Road Township, DeRuyter, New York from John Lincklean (Book C p. 166)and on June 20, 1796 Elias Benjamin deeded Chester 50 acres adjoining the original acres.

In Madison County Court House (L:453) Chester's child-

ren gave a quit claim to land inherited from their father on February 22, 1831.

Chester was located in the 1790 Federal Census at Rochester, Ulster Co., N.Y. with: 1-3-3. In the same census there was a Chester Benjamin in Wallkill, Ulster Co., N.Y. with the same data. It would seem he was counted twice!

Children of Chester and Antjie (Harp) Benjamin:

*1412. Abigail E. Benjamin b. November 15, 1777 at Dutchess Co., N.Y.

*1413. Sarah (Sally) Benjamin bp. December 5, 1779 at Accord, Dutchess Co., N.Y.

1414. Maria (Mary) Benjamin bp. October 8, 1780 at the Dutch Reform Church in Accord, Dutchess Co., N.Y. (#510 cr); m. --- Green and resided in Salina, Onondaga Co., N.Y.

*1415. Elijah C. Benjamin b. 1784 (gs), tho there is a bp. rec. for Sept. 28, 1777 at the Dutch Reform Church at Warwarsing, Ulster Co., N.Y. (cr #276).

*1416. Elias Benjamin Jr. b. February 1, 1782 at Accord.

*1417. Joseph Benjamin b. 1788 in Accord, Dutchess Co., NY

1418. Anne Benjamin bp. May 13, 1790 at the Dutch Reform Church of Accord, Dutchess Co., N.Y.; (cr #675); m. --- Camp; resided in DeRuyter, N.Y.

1419. Hannah Benjamin bp. April 5, 1792 at the Dutch Reform Church at Accord, Dutchess Co., N.Y. (cr #744 m. --- Hart; resided at DeRuyter, N.Y.

1420. Margaret Schoonmaker Benjamin bp. May 7, 1794; prob. died before 1831, as she is not mentioned in the quit claim.

*1421. Chester Harp Benjamin b. May 7, 1796 at DeRuyter.

*1422. Harvey Benjamin bc. 1797 at DeRuyter, N.Y.

Resources: p. 135 & 195 N.Y. in the Rev. as a Colony and State, Roberts, 1898; p. 595 Hist. of Madison and Chenango Counties; Paddock Fam., Hubbell; Records of Mrs. John W. Keller of Litiz, Penn.; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

828. ELIJAH BENJAMIN[6] (Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born December 27, 1755 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-71); the son of Elijah and Hannah (Taft) Benjamin; died June 17, 1819, age 104, at Truxton, Cortland Co., New York. He married Elizabeth Paddock, the dau.of David and Miriam (Belden) Paddock. She was born November 1, 1762 at Southeast, Dutchess Co., N.Y. and died April 26, 1822 at Truxton. Elizabeth is supposed to be a descendant of Elder Brewster, the Mayflower passenger, on the Paddock line.

Elijah, with his brother Elias and Eli Colgrave, started the settlement of DeRuyter, New York in 1793, when he came from Southeast, Dutchess Co., N.Y. He was listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Southeast with: 1-3-2. He located on 150 acres of land in the northwest corner of the

township, and opened clearings where the village now stands. The first burial ground for the early settlement in Madison County was located on Elijah's farm. Elijah, his wife Elizabeth, and sons Elijah E. and David, traveled from Dutchess Co. to DeRuyter by horse team. In 1808 he sold his improvements, removed to Cuyler, and then on to Truxton, N.Y.

Elijah served in the Revolutionary War in the 7th Regt. of the Dutchess Co. Militia under Col. Henry Ludenton.

Children of Elijah and Elizabeth (Paddock) Benjamin:

*1423. Elias Paddock Benjamin b. May/June 6, 1783 at Dutchess Co.,N.Y.
*1424. David Benjamin b. May 18, 1785 at Dutchess Co., N.Y.
*1425. Elijah E. Benjamin b. October 26,1788 at Dutchess Co
1426. daughter, who d. young, probably before 1790.
*1427. Charles Benjamin b. October 7, 1789 at DeRuyter, N.Y
*1428. Frederick B. Benjamin b. 1794 in DeRuyter, N.Y.
*1429. Loretta Benjamin b. February 5, 1804 at DeRuyter.
1430. Aaron Benjamin.

Resources: Paddock Fam., Hubbell and Conboy; p. 150 N.Y. in Rev. and Colony and State, Roberts, 1898; Records of Mrs. John W. Keller of Litiz, Penn.; Records of Gertrude M. Loeve of Detroit, Mich.

829. DARIUS BENJAMIN[6] (Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born January 15/17, 1758 at Preston, Conn. (vr); the son of Elijah and Hannah (Taft) Benjamin; died February12, 1850, age 92, at Lincklean or Cuyler, Cortland Co., N.Y. He is buried in the Cuyler Hill Cemetery in the town of Cuyler, N.Y. He married Charity Rice, who was born in 1763 in New York and died November 17, 1853, age 72-3-19 (gs) and is buried with her husband. Marriage date unknown.

Darius is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Southeast, Dutchess Co., N.Y. with: 1-2-3. Charity was admitted June 6, 1789/90 to Kent's Parish Church at Phillippi (now Southeast) in Putnam Co., N.Y.

Darius was a pioneer in Madison County, N.Y. and had an original deed to Lot #37, dated June 30, 1794, for which he paid £49.12.5. He cleared the land and set out a small orchard near the cemetery. He was a juror in DeRuyter in 1808.

He was a private in the Revolutionary War, and for some time served as a guard in the service of General George Washington. He was allowed a pension in 1838 (#S23122), when he resided in Truxton (now Cuyler), N.Y. for service as a private in Capt. Benjamin Cartwight's Co., Col. Levi Pauling's Regt. in the 3rd Regt. of Ulster County Militia. He also served in Col. Henry Ludenton's 7th Regt. of Dutchess County Militia.

Children of Darius and Charity (Rice) Benjamin:

1431. Ann Benjamin b. 1783 in Dutchess Co., N.Y.; prob. died young.

*1432. Samuel Benjamin b. 1784/5 at Dutchess Co., N.Y.
*1433. James Darius Benjamin b. July 2/29, 1776 at Putnam County, N.Y.
1434. Annie Benjamin b. 1788 in Dutchess Co., N.Y.; m. Edward Wilcox b. 1779. She d. 1869.
1435. Deborah Benjamin b. 1790 in Dutchess Co., N.Y.
*1436. Harry Benjamin b. 1796 at DeRuyter, N.Y.
1437. Sarah Benjamin b. 1800 at DeRuyter, N.Y.
1438. Content Benjamin bc. 1800 at DeRuyter; m. ---Graves.
*1439. Charity Benjamin b. 1803 at DeRuyter, N.Y.
*1440. Darius Benjamin Jr. b. 1805 at DeRuyter, N.Y.
*1441. Melissa Benjamin b. April 26, 1807 at DeRuyter, N.Y.

Resources: p. 150 & 195 N.Y. in the Rev. as a Colony and State, Roberts; Vol. 92 p. 44, Vol. 118 p. 265, Vol. 121 p. 208 DAR Lineage Books; Boston Transcript July 30, 1919; Resesearch of Mrs. John Keller of Litiz, Penn. and Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

830. CYRUS BENJAMIN[6] (Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born July 7/9, 1762 at Preston, Conn. (vr); the son of Elijah and Hannah (Taft) Benjamin; died July 19, 1817, age 55, at Fishkill, Dutchess Co., New York. He married Rhoda Dibble, who was born October 7, 1771 and died December 8, 1817 at Fishkill.

He is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Fishkill, Dutchess Co., N.Y. with 2-0-2. He is also listed in the 1800 and 1810 census records of Fishkill.

Cyrus served in the Revolutionary War as an enlisted man in Col. Frederick Weissenfel's Levies, in Col. Lewis DuBois's Leavies, and in the Dutchess County Associated Exempts under Col. Zephaniah Platt. He was also in Col. William Humfrey's 5th Regt. of Dutchess Co. Militia.

He was a member of the New York Legislature in 1812-13, and he was a merchant.

His will was dated April 15, 1818 in the Dutchess Co. Surrogate Court Records. His children were all minors at that date, and Rhoda renounced administration of the estate, which was then granted to Cyrus Gage, Cornelius P. Luyster, David C. Benjamin, and Edward Smith Jr.

(Note: Dr. Wilson recorded 13 children for Cyrus. However, a child Elijah was listed among the heirs, between the names of Nathaniel and Daniel.)

Children of Cyrus and Rhoda (Dibble) Benjamin:
1442. Mary Crosby Benjamin b. October 11, 1790 at Preston, Conn. (vr); m. October 4, 1814 Samuel Thomas of Cazenovia, N.Y.
1443. Hannah Benjamin b. January 2, 1792, probably at Fish kill, N.Y., but has Preston, Conn. vr.
*1444. David C. Benjamin b. November 7, 1793, again prob. at Fishkill, N.Y., but has Preston, Conn. vr.
1445. Anna (Rhoda Ann) Benjamin b. January 22, 1796 at Fishkill, N.Y.; m/1 Samuel Denton; m/2 1818 Sutton Seaman b. 1792, d. 1864. She had a dau. Anna

Denton who m. --- Sutton.

1446. Annis (Annas) Benjamin b. January 10, 1798 at Fishkill, N.Y.; m. Marvin Sutton, a seaman.

*1447. Peter Benjamin b. February 14, 1800 at Fishkill, N.Y

1448. Cyrus Benjamin Jr. b. July 11, 1801 at Fishkill, NY.

1449. Nathaniel Benjamin b. June 23, 1803 at Fishkill, NY

*1450. Charles I. Benjamin b. February 17, 1805 at Fishkill.

*1451. Eliza (Wealthy) Benjamin b. May 28, 1807 at Fishkill

*1452. Joel S. Benjamin b. April 17, 1809 at Fishkill.

1453. Daniel W. Benjamin b. February 7, 1811 at Fishkill, N.Y.; resided in Ridgefield, Conn. in 1900.

1454. Catherine E. Benjamin b. January 18, 1814 at Fishkill, N.Y.; m. Horrace Sherman and left a son and dau. who m. George E. Weed of Berlin, Conn.

1455. Elijah Benjamin.

Resources: Marriages and Deaths of Dutchess Co., N.Y., Reynolds, 1930; DAR Lineage Books Vol. 64 p.133, Vol. 110 p.71, 141, 153, & 210; New York in the Rev. as Colony and State, Roberts; Boston Transcript May 19, 1920, Sept. 7, 1927; p. 16 Vol. IV Dutchess Co. Historical Soc. Records; Research of Mrs. John W. Keller of Litiz, Penn.; Wilson Paper

831. HANNAH BENJAMIN [6] (Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1764; the probable dau.of Elijah and Hannah (Taft) Benjamin; died May 13, 1840/1. She married Alden Gage on June 10, 1781 at Fishkill, New York. He was the son of Anthony and Ann (Sears) Gage and was born January14, 1759 and died April 25, 1835.

She is placed here as the dau. of Elijah, even though there are no records of her birth. However, family tradition names her a Benjamin. She married at Fishkill and Mary , a proven dau. of Elijah, married Justus Gage.

Alden Gage lived at Fairhaven, Herkimer Co., New York from 1793/4 until his death. He lived at Southeast Precienct, Dutchess Co., N.Y. until 1789, then moved to Frederickstown, and then to Pittstown. He resided at Fairfield when he applied for a pension. He had 8 different enlistments in the Revolutionary War (Dutchess County Militia and Continental Line) for a total of 26 months as a private and sergeant.

Children of Alden and Hannah (Benjamin) Gage:

*1456. Anthony Evans Gage b. September 12, 1781.

1457. Sylvanus Gage.

1458. Elijah B. Gage.

1459. Lucy Gage; m. --- Carpenter.

1460. Hannah Gage; m. --- Faville.

1461. Mary Ann Gage; m. --- Harriman.

*1462. Alden Gage Jr. b. June 14, 1790 at Pittstown, N.Y.

Resources: Thomas Gage Records courtesy of Robert Thompson of Sperryville, Va.

832. MARY (POLLY) BENJAMIN[6] (Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born July 7, 1768 at Preston, Conn. (vr); the dau.of Elijah and Hannah (Taft) Benjamin; died February 5, 1849 at DeRuyter, New York. She married Justus Gage of Fishkill, Dutchess Co. NY the son of Ebenezer and Grissel (Elwell) Gage. He was born June 15, 1763 and died December 8, 1830/36. They are both buried in the Cemetery #3 at DeRuyter, New York.

There is a memorial that recites the adventures of her self and some members of the family at, and following, the unspeakable horror of those days of massacre of Conn. settlers at Wyoming, then the town of Westmoreland, in the Co. of Litchfield, Conn.--now Penn. In this massacre, which was perpetrated by British, Indians, and Tories on July 3, 1778, she tells of two step-brothers named Pierce that fell in the battle and were scalped. That she, then 12 years of age, fled with her step-father, then an elderly man to a settlement on the Delaware River. The lost step brothers were Private John and Lt. Timothy Pierce.

Justus moved to DeRuyter soon after the death of his father. His son Cyrus did not go with him and did not leave until 1819. Justus served in the Dutchess County Militia, Pawling Precinct, 3rd Regt. under Col. John Fields. He served on one alarm for about 6 days.

They are listed in the 1790 Federal Census in Fishkill, Dutchess Co., New York with 1-2-2.

Children of Justus and Mary (Benjamin) Gage:

*1463. Cyrus Benjamin Gage b. November 16, 1784 at Fishkill
*1464. Artimesia Gage b.January 10, 1787 at Fishkill.
*1465. Arza Gage b. June 5, 1790 at Fishkill, N.Y.
1466. Rhoda Gage bc. 1790 at Fishkill; m. Daniel Glover.
*1467. Elias B. Gage b. April 20, 1800.
1468. Sarah (Sally) Gage b. November 1, 1801; d. January 9, 1867/8 at Chicago, Illinois; m. November 1, 1856 to Jonathan Brainard, who d. January 27, 1856 at DeRuyter, N.Y.; was a hat manufacturer and farmer. Had dau. Rhoda Sophia Brainard b. January 5, 1834 who m. Ira Benjamin, son of Elijah and Catherine (Vincent) Benjamin. (See #1425.)
*1469. Ebenezer Gate g. February 4, 1803 at DeRuyter, N.Y.
*1470. Justus Gage b. March 13, 1805 at DeRuyter, N.Y.
*1471. Eli A. Gage b. January 11, 1807 at DeRuyter.

Resources: p. 78 Gen. of Brainard-Brainerd, Brainard, 1809; Boston Transcript Oct. 20, 1920; DAR Patriot Index p. 257; Records of Robert Thompson of Sperryville, Virginia.

832. ELISHA BENJAMIN[6] (James[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born January 4, 1751 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-46); the son of James and Priscilla (Burton) Benjamin; bapt. July 17, 1773 at Worthington, Mass. (cr); and died July 14, 1781, age 30 years, at Worthington, Mass. He married Mrs. Any (Leonard) Curtis on January 18, 1774 at Worthington, Mass. (vr).

In Hampden Co., Mass. Land Records (19:391) in 1775

Elisha Benjamin of Worthington sold land to Isaac Herrick.

In Vol. 13 p. 409 on July 14, 1781 (Box 13-42) Nathan Leonard and Daniel Bridges are appointed administrators of the estate of Elisha Benjamin of Worthington. Nathan Leonard, Barnabas Herrick, and J ames Benjamin, all gave bond and Nathan Leonard is administrator. There is not enough cash to pay debts, so sale of real estate is granted.

There are no records of the birth of any children, however notes accored to a Mrs. Stevens indicates that he had two sons who moved to Saugus, Mass.

Resources: p. 447 Hist. of Ancient Wethersfield, Conn., Stiles, Vol. 2, 1904; Wilson Papers.

835. ASA BENJAMIN[6] (James[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born October 27, 1754 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-46); the son of James and Priscilla (Burton) Benjamin; bapt. July 17, 1773 at Worthington, Mass. (cr); died December 28, 1825 at Pierpont, Ash tabula Co., Ohio. He married Mary (Polly) Bromley (Brumley Brumbly) on January 4/5, 1787 at Worthington, Mass. (vr). She was the dau. of Christopher Bromley and was born February 16/21, 1763 and died August 10, 1845 at Pierpont, Ohio. Asa is buried in the Old Burying Grounds, lot #16, at Pierpont, Ohio.

Asa is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Worthington, Mass. with 1-0-2, and in the 1820 census at Piedmont Twp., Ashtabula Co., Ohio. In the Hampden Co., Mass. Land Records (26:381) Asa of Worthington in 1777 sold land to Jonathan Prentice. Priscilla was one of the constituted members of the church organized in Worthington on April 1771.

Asa Benjamin enlsited in the Revolutionary War as a private from Worthington in Capt. Ebenezer Webber's Co., Col. John Fellow's Regt. on Aug. 1, 1775. He again enlisted from the town of Worthington prior to May 31, 1777 for 3 years in Capt. Bartlett's Co., Col. Wesson's Regt. On June 5, 1780 he again enlisted, age 26 years, stature five feet eight inches, complexion light. He has a long service record, the last date seeming to be an enlistment on May 17, 1782, with a service of 7 months 15 days. He received a pension, #W5795.

He is listed in the 1800 census at Middlefield, Mass. with: 2-0-0-0-1//1-1-0-1-0 and in the 1810 census at Wothington, Mass. with: 1-1-1-0-1//0-1-1-0-1.

Children of Asa and Mary (Bromley) Benjamin:

1472. Polly (Lois) Benjamin b. August 22, 1789 at Worthington, Mass.; d. 1870 at Kingsville, Ohio; m. May 21, 1818 in Ashtabula Co., Ohio (vr) to Jacob Pratt at Pierpont. (She was Lois Benjamin on her m. rec.)

*1473. Reuben Bohn Benjamin b. December 29, 1792 at Worthington, Mass.

1474. Priscilla Benjamin b. April 7, 1796 at Worthington, Mass.; d. December 27, 1830 at Pierpont, Ohio; m. March 7, 1815 at Pierpont, Ashtabula Co., Ohio

(vr) to Asahel Cleveland. On the m. rec. it says they were both "of Denmark, Ohio".

*1475. Ansell Benjamin b. December 19, 1798 at Worthington, Mass.

1476. Philander Benjamin b. May 3, 1805 at Worthington.

*1477. George Nelson Benjamin b. February 28, 1807 at Worthington, Mass.

Resources: Roster III Soldiers of Am. Rev. who Lived in State of Ohio; Official Roster of the Soldiers of the Am. Rev. Buried in the State of Ohio, 1929; p. 938-9 Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in the War of the Rev.; Vol. 20 p. 241 DAR Lineage Book; p. 107-119 Commander-in-Chief's Guard in in Rev. War., Carlos Godfrey, 1904; Wilson Papers; p. 343 Bromley Gen., Bromley, 1911.

837. JAMES BENJAMIN JR.[6] (James[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born July 20, 1757 at Preston, Conn.; the son of James and Priscilla (Burton) Benjamin; bapt. July 17, 1773 at Worthington, Mass. (cr); died May 28, 1821 at Worthington, Mass. He married about 1784 Eunice (Bromley) Worthington, the dau. of Christopher Bromley (Brumbly). She was born December 21, 1761 and died July 18, 1805 at Worthington, Mass., age 45. (gs). Eunice had m/1 March 14, 1779 Calvin Worthington at Worthington, Mass.

James is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Worthington, Mass. with: 2-2-3 and in the 1810 census at the same place with: 1-2-1-0-1//1-1-3-0-1.

He was a private in Capt. Oliver Lyman's Co., Col. Dike's Regt. in the Revolutionary War. He is also named in the return of men in service from December 1, 1776 to March 1, 1776.

James apparently died intestate, with papers in Box 13: 46 and Alvah Benjamin was named executor. From a letter of Mrs. William Arthur of Rochester, N.Y.: "Alvah was appointed executor, but was ill, so asked that Elisha Mack be appointed executor. Roger Mack was appointed guardian of Franklin Benjamin, so he must have been the youngest son".

Children of James and Eunice (Bromley Worthington) Benjamin

*1478. Elisha Benjamin bp. May 6, 1785 at Worthington (cr).

1479. Polly Benjamin bp. June 6, 1786 at Worthington (cr); m. December 30, 1816 Elijah Curtis.

1480. Eunice Benjamin bp. August 3, 1788 at Worthington (cr); d. July 16, 1838; m. January 26, 1812 Spencer Parish. They had a son Spencer Parish b. March 31, 1826 at Worthington, d. June 14, 1898.

*1481. James V. Benjamin bp. June 27, 1790 at Worthington.

*1482. Keziah Benjamin b. January 19, 1792 at Worthington.

*1483. Alvah Benjamin b. October 24, 1795 at Worthington.

1484. Consider Benjamin bp. July 13, 1800 at Worthington, Mass. (cr).

1485. Chloe Benjamin bp. July 13, 1800 at Worthington, (cr m. January 8, 1822 Joseph H. Clark of Alburn, N.Y.

1486. Lydia Benjamin bp. October 25, 1801 at Worthington, Mass. (cr); d. May 27, 1820 at Worthington, age 19 years. (gs).

*1487. Francis (Franklin) Benjamin b. April 25, 1803 at Worthington, Mass.

Resources: p. 17 Bromley Gen., Bromley, 1911; Stowell Gen., Stowell, 1922; Vol. 5 p. 190 Hist. of Woodstock, Conn., Bowen; Book 3 p. 63 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey; p. 273 Gregory Stone Gen., Bartlett, 1918; Worthington, Mass. Vital Records; p. 940 Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in War of the Rev.; Wilson Papers; Records of Mrs. John Keller of Litiz, Pa.; Records of Ella Sprague of Grand Island, Neb.

838. ROGER BENJAMIN[6] (James[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born September 10, 1759 at Preston, Conn.; the son of James and Priscilla (Burton) Benjamin; bapt. July 17, 1773 at Worthington, Mass. (cr); died May 13, 1840 at Worthington, Mass., age 81 (cr). He married February 3, 1788 at the Congregational Church of Christ at Preston, Conn. (cr) Elizabeth Starkweather, dau. of Robert and Sarah(Eveleth Colby) Starkweather. She was born September 20, 1768 at Stonington, Conn. and died April 20, 1842, age 73. (gs). in Chesterfield, Mass. (with a Worthington, Mass. vr).

Roger was listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Worthington, Mass. with: 1-2-2. He was a Selectman in Worthington in 1805. In the 1810 census at Worthington he had: 2-1-3-0-1//2-2-1-1-0.

In the Hampden Co., Mass. land records, Roger Benjamin of Worthington sold in 1784 (24:204) land to Isaac Herrick. Also, in 1784, he sold land (26:370) to Ebenezer Herrick.

Roger served in the Revolutionary War in Capt. Oliver Lyman's Co., Col. Dike's Regt., when he was 17 years of age, as a fifer. At the age of 19 he enlisted in the Continental Army for 6 months. He was in service much of the time from 1776 thru 1782. He received a pension. He was placed on the pension list of July 26, 1819 with pension #R745.

Roger's will is dated December 9, 1837 and probated in 1840. (Box 13:49 Hampshire Co., Mass. Probate Records). He left his widow, Elizabeth, two thirds of the estate and dau. Betsey the remaining one third, after the cash settlements were made, which were: $400. to sons Francis and Nathan; $270. to son Charles; $200. to son Chauncey; $100. to son Eli; $300. to dau. Eliza; $200. to dau. Electa; $100. to dau. Lucy; and $400 to son Fordyce in trust. A Mrs. Dolly Benjamin and Mrs. Betsey Benjamin were also mentioned in the will. These women might very well be the wives of deceased sons. Jonathan and William were not mentioned in the will.

Nine children were living when Elizabeth died. Benjamin Bryant was administrator of her estate, with Ames Burr named as executor.

Children of Roger and Elizabeth (Starkweather) Benjamin:

*1488. Jonathan Benjamin b. 1793/5 at Worthington, Mass.
1489. Francis Benjamin bc. 1788-94; bapt. June 14, 1801 at Worthington, Mass. (cr).
1490. Nathan Benjamin bc. 1788-94; bapt. June 14, 1801 at Worthington, Mass.
1491. Charles Benjamin bc. 1788-94; bapt. June 14, 1801 at Worthington, Mass.; mc. 1826 and had son Charles Benjamin who d. August 29, 1830, age 3 years.
*1492. Ely (Eli) Benjamin bc. 1788-94; bapt. June 14, 1801.
1493. Betsey Benjamin bc.1784-90; unm. in 1837.
*1494. Chauncey Benjamin b. June 6, 1897 at Worthington.
1495. Sally Benjamin b. 1795-1800; bp. June 14, 1801 at Worthington, Mass.; d. 1842 in Troy, New York.
1496. Electa Benjamin bc. 1794-1800; bp. June 14, 1801 in Worthington; m. --- Meach.
1497. Fordyce Benjamin b. 1800-10; bp. February 2, 1809 at Worthington, Mass.
1498. William Benjamin d. June 30, 1802, age 8 mos. (gs).
1499. William Benjamin II; bp. June 30, 1805 at Worthington, Mass. (cr).
*1500. Elizabeth Benjamin bc. 1800-10 at Worthington, Mass.
1501. Lucy Benjamin b. 1800-10 at Worthington; m. --- Morris.
1502. Joseph Benjamin bp. May 1, 1812 at Worthington (cr); d. May 6, 1813 at Worthington. (cr).
1503. Joseph Benjamin d. May 5, 1818, age 7 weeks. (gs). buried on old Benjamin land south of Worthington.

Resources: p. 942-3 Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in War of Rev.; p. 60 Starkweather Gen., Starkweather, 1904; p. 24 Vol. 45 N.E. Gen. and Hist. Register; Worthington, Mass. Vital Records; p. 65 Fam. of Chesterfield, Mass.; Records of Mrs. John Keller of Litiz, Pa.

839. PRISCILLA BENJAMIN^{6} (James^{5}, Joseph^{4-3-2}, John^{1}) born July 17, 1761 at Preston, Conn.; the dau. of James and Priscilla (Burton) Benjamin; bapt. July 17, 1773 at Worthington, Mass (cr); died January/June 24, 1846 at Worthington, Mass. She married November 6, 1783 at Worthington (vr) Simon Huntington, son of Rev. Jonathan and Sarah (---) Huntington. He was born April 15, 1762 at Windham, Conn. and died August 31, 1836 at Hinsdale, Mass.

Simeon was a farmer and represented his town in the State Legislator. Seven of their nine children were born at Worthington. In later life he moved to Hinsdale.

Children of Simon and Priscilla (Benjamin) Huntington:
*1504. Ralph Huntington b. November 23, 1784 at Worthington
*1505. Samuel Huntington b. October 31, 1786.
*1506. Benjamin Huntington b. June 1, 1789.
*1507. Sybil Huntington b. May 31, 1791 at Worthington.
*1508. Sarah Huntington b. November 4, 1793.
*1509. Sophia Huntington b. August 24, 1796.
1510. Frances Huntington b. January 20, 1799 at Worthing-

ton, Mass.; m. Judge Elan Buel of Troy, New York; had one dau. Lucy Buel.

1511. Lucy Huntington b. August 29, 1801; d. unm. August 16, 1828.

1512. Jonathan Huntington b. November 9, 1804 at Hinsdale, Mass.; m. Rebecca Hamilton of Princeton, New Jersey and died of cholera not too long afterward. He graduated from Williams College; studied theology at Princeton; lived at Nashville, Tenn.; was a Chaplin in the Union Army.

Resources: p. 555-6 Huntington, Gen., Rev. E.B. Huntington, 1915; Letters to Dr. Wilson by Joseph P. Eager.

840. LYDIA BENJAMIN[6] (James[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born about 1763 at Worthington, Mass.; the dau. of James and Priscilla (Burton) Benjamin; bapt. July 17, 1773 at Worthington (cr). She married January 18, 1787 at Chester, Mass. (vr) David Clark of Worthington, Mass.

Children of David and Lydia (Benjamin) Clark:

1513. John S. Clark; resided in Waterloo, New York in 1882 was an agent for Life, Fire, and Real Estate insurance.

Resource: Letter to Dr. Wilson by John S. Clark in June 1882.

841. SALAH (SELAH) BERNARD (BARNARD) BENJAMIN[6] (James[5], Joseph[4-3-2] John[1]) born May 18, 1764/5 at Worthington, Mass.; the son of James and Priscilla (Burton) Benjamin; bapt. July 17, 1773 at Worthington, Mass. (cr); was alive in 1820, age 55. He died at Stamford, Bennington County, Vermont. He married February 3, 1795 at Middlefield, Mass. (vr) Ann (Anna) Bromley, the dau. of Christopher Bromley (Brumbly). She was born 1771/2 and died July 2, 1823, age 51 (gs)(vr) at Stamford, Vermont and is buried in the Village Cemetery at Stamford.

He is listed in the 1810 census at Stamford, Vermont with: 2-1-0-0-1//2-1-0-0-1.

Selah is in the descriptive list of enlisted men from Worthington, Mass. under Capt. Benjamin Heywood in the 6th Regt. He was age 17, five feet seven inches tall, hair and complexion light, and occupation as a yeoman on May 10, 1782, with an enlistment of three years. He was reported confined January 26, 1783 by Sergt. Russell for drawing bread on a forged due bill. The judgement of the court marshall was 70 lashes and stoppage of $1.00 from his wages. The sentence was remitted on condition of good behavior in the future, and he was transferred to the 8th Company on March 8, 1783.

He was placed on the Pension Rool of Bennington County, Vermont on Sept. 4, 1819 with pension #S45259. In it, he states that both he and his wife Anna are subject to

rheumatism. He also states that he has had nine children, with five still at home, and then names those five: Ellis, Mason, Rebecca, Reuben, and Charlotte. This was in June of 1820. He signed his name Salah Benjamin.

Children of Salah B. and Ann (Bromley) Benjamin:

1514. 1 female b. 1794-1800; possibly Lucy Benjamin; m. June 1815 Thomas Pridget. (Stamford, Vt. vr).
1515. 1 male b. 1794-1800.
1516. 1 female b. 1800-10; possibly Lydia Benjamin; m. Eleaser Wilson December 29, 1819 (Stamford, Vt. vr Marriage record states she is "of Stamford, Vt.)
1517. 1 other child.
*1518. Ellis Benjamin b. 1800/1.
*1519. Mason Benjamin bc. 1804/5.
1520. Rebecca Benjamin bc. 1808/9; m. January 3, 1826 Joel Rice of Pownal, Vt. (vr). She was "of Stamford" at marriage.
1521. Reuben Benjamin bc. 1813.
1522. Charlotte Benjamin bc.1816; m. December 26, 1840 Horace Balsome at Stamford, Vt. (vr); m/2 October 11, 1849 John Cressy at Bennington, Vt. (vr).
?*1523. Dewey Benjamin bc. 1810.

Resources: p. 17 Bromley Gen., Bromley, 1911; Selah's Pension Records; Records of Mrs. John Keller of Litiz, Penn.; The Benjamin Family, Edith Benjamin; Vermont Vital Records.

842. ANNA BENJAMIN[6] (Barzillia[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1765 at Milford, Conn.; the dau. of Barzillia and Ann (Cheedler) Benjamin; bapt. November 21, 1773 at Milford (cr 1-94). She married John Baird of Milford, Conn.; the son of John and Abigail (Clark) Baird. They are both buried at Milford.

Children of John and Anna (Benjamin) Baird:

1524. Lena Baird; d. in infancy.
1525. daughter; d. in infancy.
1526. Polly(anna) Baird; m. Joseph McNeil. They had a dau. Anna McNeil who m. Thomas Mix, son of Deacon Mix of New Haven, Conn. They moved to Tenafly, N.J.
1527. Nancy Baird; m. --- Fitch, and had a son George Fitch.
1528. Abbie Baird b. before 1800 at Milford, Conn.; m. John Plumb of Milford. She d. age 98. They had no issue.
1529. Joseph Baird, had a son Gustaves Baird. Joseph removed to near Rochester, N.Y.

Resource: Research of W. C. Palmer of Milford, Conn.; Wilson Papers.

844. JOSEPH BENJAMIN[6] (Barzillia[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born about 1771 at Milford, Conn.; the son of Barzillia and Ann (Cheed ler) Benjamin; bapt. November 21, 1773 at Milford, Conn. (cr 1-94). It is possible that he married Betty Curtis on

July 25, 1795 at Stratford, Conn. (vr).

Dr. Wilson had a note that he went to the Great Bend of the Susquehanna River.

Children of Joseph and Betty (Curtis) Benjamin:
1530. Jesse Benjamin.

Resources: Research of W. C. Palmer of Milford, Conn.; Wilson Papers; Family Group Sheet located in Library at Salt Lake City, Utah; Book V p. 102 Early Conn. Mar.; Bailey.

847. BARZILLIA BENJAMIN JR.[6] (Barzillia[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born about 1773 at Milford, Conn.; the son of Barzillia and Ann (Cheedler) Benjamin; bapt. August 28, 1774 at Milford. (cr 1-94); died April 6, 1844, age 70 years. (gs). He is buried in the Bridgeport, Conn. Cemetery lot #5-919. He m/1 November 16, 1787 at Milford, Conn. (cr 1-69) Mary Wheeler of Stratford, Conn. She was the dau. of Stephen Wheeler, and a person of "rare beauty". She was born in 1781 and died January 3, 1830 at the age of 49 (gs) and is buried at Bridgeport in the same lot as her husband. He m/2 Nancy Northrop. According to Hale's Collection of Conn. Newspaper Obits, Nancy m/2 in 1848 George Banks and she died in San Francisco, California.

Barzillia was listed in the 1800 census at Milford, Conn. with: 0-0-0-1-0//2-0-1-0-0.

He was a silversmith, and was in business at New Haven, Conn. in 1833. He was a pew holder in the First Congregational Church at Stratford in 1835. Mary, wife of Barzillia Benjamin, was admitted to the Church of Bridgeport on March 7, 1819. (United Cong. cr.)

Children of Barzillia and Mary (Wheeler) Benjamin:

*1531. Mary Benjamin b. November 12, 1798 at Milford, Conn.

1532. Julia Ann Benjamin b. January 9, 1800 at Milford; d. February 5, 1875, age 75 years (gs); buried in the Bridgeport, Conn. Cem. lot #4-137; m/1 George W. Lewis on October 3, 1824 at the Bridgeport Cong. Church; m/2 Capt. Samuel Stow of Milford. She was dismissed from the Church of Christ in New Haven to the First Church of Milford in 1859.

1533. Samuel C. Benjamin b. June 4, 1801 at Milford; died October 24, 1839, at the age of 29 years 4 mos. (Note: If the age is correct, then the year should be 1829!) He was lost over board from a vessel. His marriage is unknown, as are his children. Supposedly, he had a son who was a printer in Philadelphia, Penn.

*1534. Sarah Benjamin b. April 16, 1804 at Milford, Conn.

*1535. Lucretia Ann Benjamin b. January 2, 1806 at Milford.

*1536. Everard Benjamin b. June 2, 1806 at Milford, Conn.

Children of Barzillia and Nancy (Northrop) Benjamin:

1537. daughter, who died young.

1538. Barzillia Benjamin III; after his father's death, he

and his mother went to San Francisco, Calif., where they died. He lived to be about 50 years of age.

Resources: Book 5 p. 10 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey; Wilson Papers; Hist.of Windham, Conn., Larnear, 1880; New Haven, Conn. Vital Records; p. 1085 Hist. of Wheeler Fam., Wheeler, 1914; p. 347 Hist. Chatalogue of First Church of Christ in New Haven, Conn., Dexter, 1914.

848. NATHAN C. BENJAMIN[6] (Barzillia[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born Aug-10, 1774 at Milford, Conn.; the son of Barzillia and Ann (Cheedler) Benjamin; bapt. March 29, 1778 at Milford First Congregational Church (cr 1-102). He died June 3, 1865, age 88, at Torrington, Conn. He married September 21, 1800 Phoebe Porter at Milford, Cong. Church (cr 1-70). She died perhaps in 1829. He may have m/2 Martha ---.

He moved to Wolcottville, now Torrington, Conn., about 1850 and remained there until he died. Phoebe (Porter) Ben jamin and Nathan Benjamin were recorded at the First Church of Christ in New Haven, Conn. in 1820-22. She was admitted there on Dec. 31, 1820 and he on Feb. 24, 1822 (cr 4-259).

Nathan was in the 1800 census at Milford, Conn. and in 1850 was on a List of Freeman in the town of Torrington.

Children of Nathan and Phoebe (Porter) Benjamin:

1539. Nathan Benjamin b. 1805; d. 1807 (Milford vr BP-15).
1540. John Benjamin.
*1541. Joseph Ransom Benjamin b. either 1809 or 1810/11 at Wallingford, Conn.
1542. Phoebe Benjamin; m. Wakeler or Wheeler.
*1543. Merrit Barzillae Benjamin bc. 1814 at Hamden, Conn.
1544. Mary Benjamin; m. June 30, 1862 Harvey Ford, a merchant. They resided in Torrington in 1863.
*1545. Harriet Ann Benjamin b. August 15, 1819 at New Haven Conn.

Resources: Hist.of Wheeler Fam. in Am., Wheeler, 1914; Wilson Papers; Research of W. C. Palmer of Milford, Conn.; Hist. of Torrington, Conn., Orcutt; Hist. Catalogue of First Church of Christ in New Haven, Conn., Dexter, 1914.

849. JOHN BENJAMIN[6] (Barzillia[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born December 22, 1779 at Milford, Conn.; the son of Barzillia and Ann (Cheedler) Benjamin; bapt. December 26, 1779 at the Milford Church (cr 1-104); died December 22/29, 1857, age 78 (gs) at Milford, Conn. (Note: The church record p. 22 gives his age at death as 76.) He is buried at the Old Cemetery at Milford, lot #1-91. He married Comfort Hines of Orange, Conn. on October 6,1830, at Milford (cr 1072), the dau. of John Hines. She was born April 2, 1783 and died March 29/30, 1856, age 73 (gs) at Milford. She is buried with her husband.

John and John Jr. were lieutenants in the Militia of Milford, Conn.

Children of John and Comfort (Hines) Benjamin:

*1545. Isaac Benjamin b. June 23, 1804 at Milford, Conn.
*1546. John Benjamin Jr. b. December 13, 1806 at Milford.
*1547. William Benjamin b. June 2, 1809 at Milford.
1548. Comfort Adaline Benjamin b. November 16, 1810 at Milford; bapt. March 24, 1811 (cr 1-123); d. unm. May 8, 1896.
*1549. Nancy Eliza Benjamin b. May 16, 1810 at Milford.
*1550. Luther Benjamin b. February 25, 1816 at Milford.
1551. Mary Jane Benjamin b. November 12, 1819 at Milford; bapt. September 5, 1819 at Milford (cr); d. February 2, 1859; m. Henry T. Merwin; no issue.
*1552. Martha Elizabeth Benjamin b. October 25, 1822.
*1553. James Barzillae Benjamin b. October 27, 1825.
*1554. Julia Ann Benjamin, a twin, b. October 27, 1825 at Milford, Conn.

Resources: p. 198 Hugh Clark 1645-1910, John Clark, 1866; #103 Hine Gen.; Wilson Papers; Research of W. C. Palmer of Milford, Conn.; p. 198 Deacon George Clark, Bryant, 1949.

850. ELIAS BENJAMIN[6] (Barzillia[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born July 21, 1782 at Milford, Conn.; the son of Barzillia and Ann (Cheedler) Benjamin; bapt. October 16, 1785 at Milford, Conn. (cr 1-109); died February 5/9, 1869, age 87 (gs) at Burwell Farms, Milford, Conn. He is buried in the New Haven, Conn. Cemetery, lot #2-759. He married Susan Burwell on September 2, 1804 at Milford, Conn. (cr-?4). She was the dau. of Jerre/Jeremiah and Lucy (Pardee) Burwell and was born January 17, 1784 and died September 10, 1882 (gs) at New Haven, Conn. and is buried with her husband.

Elias was a silversmith. Susan, wife of Elias, was recommended to the Free Church in New Haven on April 13, 1838 from the Milford First Cong. Church (cr 3-1).

Children of Elias and Susan (Burwell) Benjamin:

*1555. Lucy Pardee Benjamin b. April 4, 1805 at Milford.
*1556. Susan Benjamin b. January 7, 1807 at Milford.
*1557. Nancy Benjamin b. January 31, 1809 at Milford.
*1558. Mary Cheedler (Chaidlaw, etc.) Benjamin b. February 7, 1811 at Milford, Conn.
*1559. Grace Ann Benjamin b. July 11, 1813 at Milford.
1560. Elias Benjamin Jr. b. April 15, 1815 at Milford; d. unm. September 12, 1837, age 22, at Mobile, Alabama. (Conn. cr).
*1561. David A. Benjamin b. May 7, 1818 at Milford.
*1562. Sarah B. Benjamin b. July 16, 1820 at Milford.
*1563. John E. Benjamin b. June 12, 1823 at Milford.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Milford, Conn. Town Records; DAR Lineage Book Vol. 4 p. 171; Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery and Church Records.

855. JOSIAH BENJAMIN JR.[6] (Josiah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born Sept-

ember 1761 at Dutchess Co., New York; the son of Josiah and --- (---?Brush) Benjamin; died after October 25, 1849 and before 1852 in Johnstown, Fulton Co., New York. He must have been married twice, but the name of his first wife is unknown. He m/2 Elizabeth --- b. 1784 and died October 28, 1846, age 61-8-13 (gs) and is buried in Cemetery #1 at Caroga North Bush, N.Y. In the records she is named the wife of Josiah Benjamin.

Josiah is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Stillwater, Albany Co., N.Y. with: 2-1-4 and in the 1800 census of Saratoga Co., N.Y. with: 2 males 0/10; 1 m. 26/45// 2 f. 0/10; 1 f. 10/16; 1 f. 16/26. He is listed in the 1820 census at Salisbury, Herkimer Co., N.Y. with 3 m. 10/16; 1 m. 45+//1 f. 0/10; 1 f. 10/16; 1 f. 16/26; 1 f. 45+.

When the Revolutionary War commenced he resided with his father in the town of Stillwater, and remained there during the war, and for some time after. He then removed to Salisbury, and then on to Fulton County, where he died.

The first service he rendered in the war was a teamster under Capt. Case for nine months. He was a private in Capt. John Thompson's Co., Col. Cornelius Van Vechten's Regt. of Militia. His father was a Lt. in the same company and Isaac Fonda was Ensign. He continued in service until 1781 and saw much service. He had land bounty rights in the 13th Regt. of the Albany County Militia.

In 1850 Josiah Benjamin of Johnstown, Fulton Co., N.Y. applied for a pension, but it was denied. They felt his service as a teamster was not admitted and that his other service was not over two months.

Children of Josiah Benjamin Jr.:

*1564. Matilda Benjamin.
*1565. Eliakim Benjamin b. January 18, 1792/4.
*1566. Nancy Benjamin.
*1567. Lois (Louisa) Benjamin.
1568. Asa L. Benjamin b. 1821 in New York; d. April 3, 1902 at Ephiatah, Fulton Co., N.Y.; m. Jane A. McBeth bc. 1830 in N.Y. He left no children or issue of deceased children. His brothers and sisters had predeceased him, so he left a large amount of money to the Baptist Church of Rockwood, N.Y. He was in the 1850 census of Salisbury, Herkimer Co., N.Y. and in the 1860 census of Ephiatah. In his will, he names the children of his brothers and sisters.
*1569. Evelyn Benjamin.
*1570. Sarah N. Benjamin.

Resources: p. 234 New York in the Rev. as a Colony and State Robers; p. 108 Rejected or Suspended Applications for Rev. War Pensions, 1969; Pension Application #R747; Will of Asa L., #17-277 at Johnstown, Fulton Co., N.Y.; Research of Gloria Wall Bicha of Racine, Wis.

856. THOMAS B. (?BRUSH) BENJAMIN[6] (Josiah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born 1760-1774; a probable son of Josiah and --- (-?Brush) Benjamin; died before April 1789 at Stillwater, Saratoga Co., New York. He married Patience --- (Possibly Brown, and if so, then a dau. of Joseph and Sally (---) Brown). Patience m/2 Dr. William Patrick Jr., son of William and Elizabeth (---) Patrick.

In Book G. p. 252 (Saratoga Co., N.Y. Land Records) Thomas B. Benjamin sold land to Joseph Brown. Thomas B. Benjamin died intestate and letters of administration were renounced by Widow Patience Benjamin in favor of Josiah Benjamin of Stillwater, N.Y. on April 16, 1789.

The following children were named in the will of Josiah Benjamin Sr. as heirs. It is your compilier's belief that they took the place of their deceased father. In the will, it states that they (all except Josiah) were under age in 1805.

Children of Thomas B. and Patience (--?Brown) Benjamin:

1571. Josiah Benjamin III bc. 1775-95 in Saratoga Co., N.Y
Listed in the 1810 and 1820 census records of Salisbury, Herkimer Co., N.Y. with:
1 male b. 1794-1804.
2 males b. 1810-20.
1 female b. 1804-10.
2 females b. 1810-16.

*1572. Thomas B. Benjamin b. between 1785-92.

*1573. Nathan Benjamin b. 1785-92.

1574. Dytha Benjamin b. 1785-92.

Children of William and Patience (--Benjamin) Patrick:
Selina Patrick b. December 28, 1804 at Stillwater; d. November 29, 1869 at N.Y.C.; m. March 1, 1823 Oren Wilkinson b. Feb. 5, 1798; d. Aug. 9, 1877 at N.Y.C., a teacher of the deaf and dumb.

Resources: Probate Records of Saratoga Co., N.Y.; p. 476 Hist. of Woodstock, Conn. Vol. 7, Jacobus, 1943; Research of Gloria Wall Bicha of Racine, Wis.

857. ELIAKIM BENJAMIN[6] (Josiah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) bonr 1760-1774 in New York; the son of Josiah and --- Benjamin. He married Ruth ---.

He is listed in the 1800 census of Saratoga Co., New York and in the 1820 census of Salisbury, Herkimer Co., N. Y. There is a record of an Eli Benjamin in Onondaga Co., N.Y. in 1868, that might be he or a descendant.

Mrs. Ruth Benjamin was received October 4, 1801 from the Canaan, Conn. Church and removed to Stillwater, N.Y. (cr 1A-33). On May 6, 1809 she has a letter of dismissal to any Christian Church.

Ruth sold land to James Langworth of Stillwater (Book M:374 of Saratoga Co., N.Y. Land Records) and Eliakim owns land in Salisbury, N.Y. in 1815.

In Book 2 p. 483 on June 12, 1797 William M. (S)ee of the town of Stillwater, Saratoga Co., N.Y. sold land to Josiah Benjamin of the same place--40 parcels of land in the township of Camilbus, Onondaga Co., N.Y. and John Thompson and Eliakim Benjamin witnessed the sale.

Children of Eliakim and Ruth (---) Benjamin:
1575. 1 male b. 1790-1800.
1576. 1 female b. 1774-84.
1577. 1 female b. 1794-1804.
1578. 2 females b. 1810-20.

Resources: Census Records; Microfilm records at Library of Latter Day Saints at Salt Lake City, Utah; Volsberg Records of New York Church Records.

858. ABIGAIL BENJAMIN[6] (Josiah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]); the dau. of Josiah and --- Benjamin; married Oliver Kellogg of Egremont Mass., the son of Deacon Timothy and Keziah (Jones) Kellogg. He was born August 12, 1767.

They resided on the Burham Farm in Stillwater, Saratoga Co., N.Y. at the time of her father's death. Abigail and four children were received September 17, 1809 at the Still water Congregational Church (cr). In the 1810 census of Saratoga Co., N.Y. Oliver had: 0-0-1-0-1//2-1-0-0-1.

Children of Oliver and Abigail (Benjamin) Kellogg:
1579. Osias Kellogg.
1580. Sally Kellogg.
1581. Ruth Kellogg.
1582. Betsey Kellogg.

Resources: p. 113 Kelloggs in Old and New World.

859. MARY BENJAMIN[6] (Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born April 11, 1762 at Mt. Washington, Mass.; the dau. of Nathan and Abigail (Dibble) Benjamin; died April 2, 1790 at Mt. Washington, Mass. and is buried with her father in the Bow Wow Cemetery at Sheffield, Mass. She married Elijah King on April 9, 1783, the son of John and Elizabeth (Fenner) King. He was born February 9, 1758 at Egremont, Mass. or Armenia, N.Y. and died September 21, 1825 at South Egremont, Mass. He m/2 Mrs. Isabella Kellogg. Isabella had 2 sons by a previous marriage and Elijah and she had 7 children.

Elijah was a farmer and a Revolutionnary War soldier.

Children of Elijah and Mary (Benjamin) King:
*1583. Mary (Polly) King b. September 1, 1784 at Mt. Washington, Mass.
*1584. Elijah King Jr. b. March 28, 1786 at S. Egremont.
*1585. Elizabeth (Betsey) King b. July 12, 1787 at Egremont.
*1586. Esther King b. June 16, 1789 at S. Egremont, Mass.

Children of Elijah and Isabella (--- Kellogg) King:
Sarah King; d. 1821.
David King; d. 1836.

Josiah King.
Nancy King.
Orson Obias King.
Martin Luther King; d. age 5 mos.
William King b. 1802; d. 1822.
Frances King; m. --- Foster.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Mayflower Index #20633; Letters to Dr. Wilson from Mrs. Mary Pratt of Lena, Ohio. (Dau. of Esther King Roberts.)

860. JOSEPH BENJAMIN[6] (Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born July 1, 1762 (Family Bible rec.) 1764 (Town rec.); the son of Nathan and Abigail (Dibble) Benjamin; died May 17, 1803 at South Egremont, Mass. of consumption. He is buried in the Mount Everett Cemetery at S. Egremont, Mass. He married Susanna Gaylord of Hartford, Conn. on October 12, 1788 at West Hartford First Church (cr), the dau. of Moses and Susanna (Wells) Gaylord. She was born May 19, 1766 at West Hartford, Conn. and died August 14, 1856 at S. Egremont, age 90-2-26 (vr)(gs). She is buried in the same cemetery as Joseph Benjamin. She was a granddau. of William and Hope (Butler) Gaylord and a descendant of Samuel Stone. She married second Calvin Pease (or Pierce) Jr., son of Calvin Pease. He was born September 14, 1757 at Enfield, Conn. He had m/1 Sally Ives. He kept a tavern at Canaan, Conn. and is buried at Canaan. Susanna m/3 Elijah Stanton and lived in Salisbury, Conn. Elijah Stanton was born December 1750 at Preston, Connn., the son of Elijah Stanton and died in 1833 at Salibury, Conn.

Joseph is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Egremont Berkshire Co., Mass. with: 1-2-1. He was one of the largest land owners in S. Egremont. He inherited a great deal of land in S. Egremont, Mass.

A story that has been handed down about him is, that he bought a horse so fierce that none dared approach him. Joseph went up to him and put a halter on him and led him home. The horse seemed to recognize a master and proved very valuable and gave no trouble for a long time. But one day, when Major Joseph was using him, he incautiously turned his back on the horse. The horse caught his owner by his clothes and threw him violently to the ground. Arising, the Major gave the horse a severe whipping and led him to his stall. The Major then tottered into the house, his chest seriously injured. Consumption set in, ultimately costing him his life at the early age of 39.

Dr. Wilson felt that this story illustrated some of the leading Benjamin characteristics, "the fearlessness, nervous energy, pluck, and determination not to be outdone" and that these virtues were ones that made the family prominent where ever they have located and is what made good soldiers of so many.

Joseph served with the rank of Major in the Mass.

Militia in the Revolutionary War and took part in the suppression of Shay's Rebellion.

Children of Joseph and Susanna (Gaylord) Benjamin:

*1587. Orson Benjamin b. August 17, 1789 at S. Egremont.
*1588. Nathan Benjamin b. April 29, 1791 at S. Egremont.
1589. son b. December 29, 1792 at S. Egremont; d. January 30, 1793 and buried in the Bow Wow Cemetery at Sheffield, Mass.
*1590. Moses Gaylord Benjamin b. July 5, 1794 at S.Egremont
*1591. Joseph Benjamin Jr. b. June 20, 1796 at S. Egremont.
*1592. Susan Maria Benjamin b. November 21, 1798.
*1593. Emma Louise Benjamin b. November 28, 1800.
*1594. Calvin Wells Benjamin b. June 6, 1803 at S. Egremont.

Resources: p. 145 Ephraim Morris Gen., Morris, 1894; p. 172 Record of Thomas Stanton of Conn., Stanton, 1891; Vol. XL p. 28 Nat. Cyctopaedia of Am. Biog.; Vol. I Colonial Fam. of U.S., McKenzie; p. 82 Book 2 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey; Letters to Dr. Wilson; DAR Lineage Book Vo. 25 p123

861 ABIGAIL BENJAMIN[6] (Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born 1766/7 at Mt. Washington, Mass.; the dau.of Nathan and Abigail (Dibble) Benjamin; died September 11, 1801 at the age of 35. She married Moses Pier about 1786, the son of Oliver and Elizabeth (Webster) Pier. He was born February 28, 1767 in New Hampshire and died September 16, 1823 at Vergennes, Vermont. He m/2 Mercia Seymour Rogers and may have m/1 or m/3 --- Munger.

Most of the correspondents, in letters to Edmund Benjamin, indicated that Abigail died young and left 5 or 6 daus. and one son. However, another letter did give a death date for her of Sept. 11, 1851.

Children of Moses and Abigail (Benjamin) Pier:

1595. Sylvester Pier b. August 23, 1787; d. August 29, 1861 at Fishkill, N.Y.; m. Deborah Charlock and had no issue. He was agoldsmith in New York for many years.
1596. Laura Pier b. May 21, 1791; d. 1836; m. in 1829 Dr. Gideon Sprague.
1597. Malinda Pier, a twin, b. May 21, 1791; d. Sept. 15, 1862; m. Feb. 2, 1812 Elephalet Brush of Vergennes, Vt., the son of Elkanan and Alatheah (Fink) Brush. He was b. Nov. 12, 1781 and d. June 11, 1872. They resided in Hopkinton, N.Y. and had children:
    James Brush b. March 1812; d. June 1832.
    Jane E. Brush b. June 1819; m. Rev. Enos Wood.
    Jason Brush b. Jan. 1821; m. Olina Chittendon.
    Henry Brown Brush b. Apr. 1823; d. 1839.
    Lucretia Brush b. Apr. 1826; m. 1858 Jessie Pomroy.
    Ella Brush b. Aug. 1832; d. Apr. 1855.
1598. Sarah (Sally) Pier b. July 17, 1795; d. November 29,

1879; mc. 1816 George Field b. Mayl2, 1791; d. Oct 18, 1864 at Vergennes, Vt. He was the son of John and Mrs. Eunice (Woodward) Field. Children:

Mary Abigail Field b. Oct. 1816; d. 1844; m. 1839 Daniel Kimball.

Sarah Jane Field b. Aug. 1821; d.July 1846; m. 1841 Charles Mayo.

1599. Mary (Polly) Pier b. July 17; m. 1815 Seth Geer who dc. 1850 in Vergennes, Vt. Children:

C, P. Geer of Ogdensburg, N.Y.

George Geer of Boulder, Colorado.

John Geer of Menasha, Wisconsin.

Sarah Geer; m. Slatterly Church; res. Sierra Valley, Calif.

1560. Awilla Pier b. August 1797; perhaps died young.

Children of Moses and his second wife:

William Edward Pier b. March 31, 1807; res. Pontiac, Michigan.

Colewort Pier b. January 14, 1810.

Oscar Pier b. March 24, 1814; no children.

Caroline Pier b. May 6, 1816.

Norman Pier b. May 30, 1818.

Harriet Pier b. Dec. 2, 1820; had a son Platt b.1844

Oliver Pier b. May 31, 1823; no children.

Benjamin Pier; m. Maria Mooney; letter from Wm. Pier said he was his youngest brother.

Resources: p. 137 Hist, and Gen. of Gov. John Webster, Webster, 1915; Letter to Edmund Benjamin from Colewort K. Pier in 1881; Letter to Dr. Wilson from Jason Bush in 1881.

862. NATHAN BENJAMIN[6] (Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born March 7, 1769 at South Egremont, Mass.; the son of Nathan and Abigail (Dibble) Benjamin; died April 3/6, 1813 in Catskill, New York of consumption and is buried in Catskill. He married January 1/2, 1792 at the First Church of West Hartford, Conn. (cr 1-126) Ruth Seymour. She is the dau. of Capt. Charles and Lucy (Whitman) Seymour and was born June 3, 1770 at W. Hartford, Conn. and died November 14, 1857 at Williamstown, Mass., at the home of her daughter. She was 87-5-11 years (gs) and is buried in Williamstown. (Note: Dau. Lucy in a letter indicated that Nathan died April 24, 1813 and that they are buried together in the Catskills.)

He removed from Berkshire Co., Mass to Hudson, New York and then to Catskill. He was engaged in paper manufacturing in Catskill. One of his factories burned to the ground on Dec. 7, 1807. He built another one the next year, but overworked and lost his health. He was told to spend the winter in the South. He paid $137. for a horse and rode it all the way to Augusta, George. He returned the same way April 24, 1809, on the same horse, and then sold the horse for $350.

Nathan and his brother Joseph were very close.

After Nathan's death, Ruth went to Williamstown, Mass. to live with her dau. Lucy.

Children of Nathan and Ruth (Seymour) Benjamin:

*1561. Lucy Benjamin b. October 11, 1792 at Egremont, Mass.
*1562. Ruth Benjamin b. May 20, 1794 at Egremont.
*1563. Charles Seymour Benjamin b. January 18, 1797 at Sheffield, Mass.
*1564. George Whitman Benjamin b. February 27, 1804 at Catskill, New York.
*1565. Abigail (Abby) Benjamin b. January 30, 1808.
1566. Sarah Maria Benjamin b. February 22, 1810 at Catskill New York; d. October 1890 at Pittsfield, Mass.; m. August 18, 1843 Professor John Tatlock as his second wife. There was no issue of this marriage. (His first wife was Lucy Benjamin Perry. See #1593
*1567. Nathan Benjamin Jr. b. December 14, 1811 at Catskill.

Resources: p. 86 Desc. of William and Elizabeth Tuttle, Tuttle, 1883; Wilson Papers; Vol. 32 p. 307 Cyctopaedia of Am. Biog.; Vol. 25 p. 124 DAR Lineage Book; p. 563 Desc. of John Whitman of Weymouth, Farnam, 1889; Letters from Lucy Benjamin Perry and Abbie Benjamin Sabin to Dr. Wilson.

863. SARAH BENJAMIN[6] (Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born about 1770-1771 at South Egremont, Mass.; the dau.of Nathan and Abigail (Dibble) Benjamin; died March 3, 1791, age 20 years. She married January 8, 1789 at the First Baptist Church at Providence, Rhode Island Benjamin Haxstun, son of Andrew and Abigail (---) Haxstun. He was born about 1763 and died December 12, 1836 at Catskill, New York, age 73. He m/2 Sally Morton, dau. of Reuben and Mary (Worth) Morton. She died either August 19, 1823 or Feb. 7, 1827.

After his first wife's death, he moved to Hudson, Columbia Co., N.Y. He was a merchant and an alderman in 1796 and 1802 in Hudson and a Judge in the Green County, N.Y. courts in 1815. He was a prominent man of large means.

Children of Benjamin and Sarah (Benjamin) Haxstun:

1568. Milton Haxstun bc. 1789/90; he was killed in a duel in 1810. He was about 2 years of age when his mother died. He was sent to a military school at Carlisle, Penn. His father gave him a brace of pistols and told him never to be insulted without resenting it. He was shot by a Mr. Shaw.

Children of Benjamin and Sally (Morton) Haxstun:

Caleb Haxstun; d. Dec. 27, 1813; was drowned with Grandfather Morton while crossing the frozen Hudson River.
Sally Haxstun; m. --- Hastings.
Elizabeth Haxstun.
Cynthia Haxstun; m. Isaac Northrup.

Resources: Letter from William H. Morton in 1881 to Dr. Wil

son; (he was son of Reuben Morton Jr.); Letter from Mrs. Abigail Palmer; p. 182 John Hopkins of Cambridge, Mass., Hopkins, 1932; Desc. of John Whitman of Weymouth, Mass., Farnam, 1889; Rhode Island Vital Records.

864. IRA BENJAMIN[6] (Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born about 1774 at South Egremont, Mass.; the son of Nathan and Hannah (Wells) Benjamin; died at Lima, Livingston Co., New York. He married Betsey Humphrey of Lima and she m/2 --- Porter of Lima. Ira died fairly young. Abby Sabin said her father lived the longest, and he died at the age of 44.

According to Abbie (Benjamin) Sabin, Ira remained with the older brother in Berkshire, and attended a noted school in Canaan, Conn., taught by the celebrated teacher, Asa Day. She said she remembered Uncle Ira living with her father (Nathan) at the first celebration of General Washington's birthday, after Washington died. Uncle Ira went down to Canaan, Conn. to celebrate, had a pretty high time, and was brought home with a broken arm. She goes on to say that Ira lived with her father some years, and that her father provided him with a small stock of goods, with which to establish himself.

Ira is listed in the 1810 census of Lima, Livingston Co. (then Ontario Co.), New York with: 1-0-0-1-0//3-1-1-0-1

Children of Ira and Betsey (Humphrey) Benjamin:

*1569. Ira Benjamin b. June 3, 1793 at Newburgh, N.Y.
*1570. Malinda Benjamin b. 1794-1800.
1571. Chauncey Benjamin b. 1800-10; went to Springfield, Illinois; perhaps unm.
*1572. Eliza Benjamin b. January 7, 1806 at Lima, N.Y.
1573. Clarissa Benjamin b. 1800-10; m. January 28, 1829 Peter VanBergen at Springfield, Ill. and had several children; she died Jan. 28, 1879 at Springfield, Ill.
1574. daughter b. 1800-10; perhaps died young.

Children of --- and Betsey (Humphrey Benjamin) Porter:

Lydia Porter; m. John Williams and lived in Springfield, Illinois.

Resources: Clyde Maffin, Ontario Co. Historian; Wilson Papers; Letters from Abby (Benjamin) Sabin and from H. E. Pearce.

865. JOSIAH BENJAMIN[6] (Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born about 1776 at Mt. Washington, Mass.; the son of Nathan and Hannah (Wells) Benjamin. He married Lucy Adams of Bloomfield, New York.

Josiah owned land in Town 14 of the 9th Range of the Holland Land Company in Ontario County, New York.

Abby (Benjamin) Sabin said she never knew about Josiah, except that he lived at Bloomfield, married, had a family, and died young. Joseph Dibble came from Mass. in 1804 and

bought land from Josiah.

Josiah was listed in the 1800 census at Bloomfield, Ontario County, New York with: 1-0-1-0-0//1-0-1-0-0.

Children of Josiah and Lucy (Adams) Benjamin:

1575. John Benjamin b. 1790-1800; m. Theresa ---; resided in Lockport, Iowa (?Lockport, N.Y.?) and had 2 children--one boy, one girl.

1576. Sophronia Benjamin b. 1790-1800; m. on or about March 24, 1824 Alfred Barrett of Lockport, N.Y. at E. Bloomfield, N.Y. They had two sons:
Alfred W. Bartlett
William Bartlett, who died young.

?*1577. Nathan Calvin Benjamin b. March 12, 1805.

Resources: Clyde Moffin, Ontario County Historian; Wilson Papers; p. 207 Hist. of Ontario Co, N.Y., Everts, 1876.

867. LUTHER W. BENJAMIN[6] (Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-?], John[1]) born about 1778 at Mt. Washington, Mass.; the son of Nathan and Hannah (Wells) Benjamin; died in Vera Cruz, Mexico. He married Maria Mawela of Vera Cruz in Mexico.

One letter said they had 5 daughters, while another said 3 children, all daughters.

There was a Luther W. Benjamin that was listed as head of a household in 1808 in Canandaigua, N.Y.

According to Abby (Benjamin) Sabin, Luther, too, remained in Berkshire with an elder brother and learned the goldsmith trade. He, with Ira, attended the noted school in Canaan, Conn. taught by the celebrated teacher Asa Day. She said that after leaving Sheffield, he went West and that the next they heard from him was a letter from him at Honduras in Central America, saying that with two companions they had sailed 300 miles down the Mississippi River in a bark canoe and landed in the Bay of Honduras. There he established himself in his trade, the first American mechanic that had been permitted to set up his trade or license to go into business in that place. He found plenty of employment, for Spanish gentlemen seemed to wear three or four watches at a time. He received $300. per year to keep the town clock in repair. He married a Spanish lady and he was making preparations to return to his native land when he was taken sick and died. His wife wrote them of his death.

Resources: Colonial Fam. of U.S., McKenzie; Clyde Moffin, Ontario County Historian; Letter by Lucy (Benjamin) Perry dated 1880 and letter by Abby (Benjamin) Sabin.

868. JOHN BENJAMIN[6] (Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born February 4, 1782 at Egremont, Mass.; the son of Nathan and Hannah (Wells) Benjamin; died September 17, 1814 at the age of 32 at Mendon, Monroe Co., New York. (Note: One reference said he died in Canada.) He died of a head wound received in

the War of 1812. He married Asenath Wright on September 4, 1803. She was born September 7, 1786 and died July 12, 1820 at Victor, New York. She m/2 Joseph Haney of Mendon, New York.

Children of John and Asenath (Wright) Benjamin:

*1578. Hiram Benjamin b. June 8, 1804 at E. Bloomfield, N.Y
*1579. Elisha Benjamin b. July 2, 1806 at E. Bloomfield.
*1580. John L. Benjamin b. April 19, 1809 at Mendon, N.Y.
1681. Sally Maria Benjamin b. August 17, 1813 at Mendon, N.Y.; d. August 15, 1832 at Mendon of cholera. She is buried in Mendon, N.Y.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Letter from H. E. Pearce in 1880; Letter from Almira Benjamin dated 1899; Hist. of Ontario Co N.Y., Everts, 1876.

869. HANNAH BENJAMIN[6] (Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born December 9, 1783 at S. Egremont, Mass.; the dau. of Nathan and Hannah (Wells) Benjamin; died April 3, 1849 at East Bloomfield, Ontario Co., New York. She married March 4, 1806 Dr. Henry Pell Hickok, son of Jeremiah and Mary (Pell) Hickok. He was born April 19, 1781 at Sheffield, Mass. and died March 8, 1854 at Canadice, Catskill, N.Y.

Hannah was deeded land by Eluid Hopkins, the second husband of her mother.

Childrenof Henry Pell and Hannah (Benjamin) Hickok:

1682. Henry Horatio Hickok b. Feb. 10, 1807 at E. Bloomfield, N.Y.; d. April 29, 1836. He taught school in Tuscaloosa, Alabama and was in business in New Orleans. He was shot by Indians in Mexico near Chihuahua.
1683. Luther Wells Hickok b. Jan. 15, 1809 at E. Bloomfield, N.Y.; d. 1849 at Burlington, Iowa; m. Augusta Hull. She m/2 John Clark. Children: Emily H. Hickok who died young and Luther Wells Hickok.
1684. Jeremiah Pell Hickok b. Sept. 7, 1810 at E. Bloomfield, N.Y.; d. Nov. 7, 1848; lived in Springfield, Ill. for a time, but returned to E. Bloomfield, N.Y.; a farmer.
1685. Hannah Mary Hickok b. Jan. 26, 1812 at E. Bloomfield, N.Y.; d. May 15, 1847 at E. Bloomfield; m. Feb. 24, 1834 William Harris Hall b. Mar. 5, 1808, d. Feb. 22, 1847 at Champion, N.Y.
1686. Harriet Eliza Hickok b. March 12, 1815 at E. Bloomfield, N.Y.; m. Nov. 15, 1843 Allan Pearce, b.Aug. 25, 1810 at Trenton, N.Y., d. Nov. 24, 1873 at Washington, DC. No issue, but adopted one girl.
*1687. Samuel Hickok b. June 5, 1818 at E. Bloomfield, N.Y.
1688. Sophronia Benjamin Hickok b. Aug. 11, 1820 at E. Bloomfield, N.Y.; d. Oct. 5, 1845 there.
1689. James Dean Hickok b. July 28, 1823 at E. Bloomfield, N.Y.; d. Sept. 17, 1846 at E. Bloomfield, N.Y.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Letter from H.E. Pearce in 1880.

871. ELISHA DURKEE[6] (Mary[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 6/8, 1764 at Pomfret, Conn. (vr 1-97); the son of Andrew and Mary (Benjamin) Durkee; died August 21, 1819 at Scipio, New York age 55. He married Hannah Gore, the dau. of Obadiah and Anna (Avery) Gore, who was born September 8, 1769 and died April 6, 1855 at Scipio, N.Y.

Children of Elisha and Hannah (Gore) Durkee:

1690. Betsey Durkee b. December 5, 1790 at Ledyard, N.Y.; m. Col. Bowen Sweetland. She d. at Dryden, New York about 1859.
1691. Cynthia Durkee b. July 9, 1791; m. Roswell Bennet.
1692. Hannah Durkee b. Aug. 18, 1793 at Scipio, N.Y.; m. Sherman Beardsley.
1693. Amanda Durkee b. Dec. 25, 1795 at Scipio, Cayuga Co. N.Y., d. July 8, 1887; m. October 15, 1818 Cyrus Allen.
1694. Amarilla Durkee b. 20 Sept. 1797, d. Dec. 3, 1885 at Wapello, Iowa; m. Joseph Jackson.
1695. Lucinda Durkee b. April 29, 1799, d. July 21, 1889; m. Judge Reuben Weed.
1696. Obadiah Gore Durkee b. April 15, 1802.
1697. Anna Durkee b. March 25, 1804, dc. 1889 at Ada, Mich igan; m. Hiram Rhodes.
1698. Welthy Ann Durkee b. Sept. 12, 1806; d. Sept. 25, 1833, age 27; m. --- Crary.
1699. Sarah (Sally) Durkee b. Feb. 6, 1807; may have m. --- Spence and gone to Michigan.
1700. Augustus Myers Durkee b. June 3, 1811, d. Jan.14, 1889 at Hammond, La.; m. 1842 Esther C. Stevens.

Resource: Records of Mrs. Russell A. Winne of Oneonta, Mich.; Vol. 29 #2 p. 49-56 Detroit Soc. for Gen. Research, "Some Desc. of Andrew Durkee" by Frances Davis McTeer.

873. WILKES DURKEE[6] (Mary[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born July 25, 1768 at Hampton, Conn.; the son of Andrew and Mary (Benjamin) Durkee; died December 22, 1844 at Bloomfield Township, Oakland Co., Michigan. He m/1 Hannah Fuller on October 18, 1792 at Hampton, Conn., the dau. of Stephen and Mary (Abbott) Fuller. She was born August 17, 1772 at Windham, Conn. and died September 1, 1817 at Scipio, N.Y. He m/2 Marcia (Weed) Yauger (Yawzer) on September 17, 1818, the widow of Philip Yauger. She died November 12, 1840 at Bloomfield, Michigan. He m/3 Joanna (Southard) Hunt on November 2, 1842. There were no children of this marriage. She died July 20, 1860 in Kentucky.

He moved from Hampton to Scipio, N.Y. about 1790 and in 1823 moved from Cayuga Co., N.Y. to Bloomfield Twp., Mich. By family tradition, he came to Michigan with $1,000. in silver dollars and bought 1000 acres of government land.

Children of Wilkes and Hannah (Fuller) Durkee:

1701. Mary (Polly) Durkee b. Aug. 18, 1793 at Scipio, N.Y. d. Feb. 25, 1862 at Scipio; m. Austin Downs b. Jan 10, 1793 at Southbury, Conn.

1702. Aurelia Durkee b. March 7, 1795 at Scipio; d. Aug. 3, 1856 at Bloomfield, Mich.; m. April 16, 1816 Joshua Cooney b. October 11, 1790.

1703. Anna Durkee b. Nov. 5, 1796; d. Aug. 11, 1799.

1704. Almeron Durkee b. Aug.17, 1799 at Scipio; d. Aug. 6, 1867 at Union Spring, N.Y.; m. Eveline ---.

1705. Baldwin Durkee b. Sept. 9, 1802 at Scipio; d. April 5, 1810 at Scipio, N.Y.

1706. William P. Durkee b.June 18, 1807 at Scipio, D. Mar. 24, 1879 at Bloomfield, Mich.; m/1 Caroline Warner; m/2 Polly Ann Pratt.

1707. Stephen Fuller Durkee b. Jan. 4, 1805 at Scipio; d. Jan. 16, 1877 at Bloomfield, Mich.; m. Nancy Yawzer (Yauger), dau. of Wilke Durkee's 2nd wife.

1708. Royal Durkee b. June 16, 1811 at Scipio; d. July 15, 1882 at Long Lake, Genesse Co., Mich.; m. Maria --

1709. Hannah Ann Durkee b. June 7, 1815; d. Dec. 18, 1816.

Children of Wilkes and Marcia (Week Yauger) Durkee:

1710. John Franklin Durkee b. June 21, 1821 at Cayuga Co., N.Y.; d. Aug. 23, 1895 at Birmingham, Mich.; m. Aug. 5, 1841 Mary Beardslee.

1711. Caroline Durkee b.July 27, 1825 at Bloomfield, Mich; d. Feb. 15, 1898 at Franklin Twp., Mich; m. James Van Avery.

1712. Wilkes Durkee b. Sept. 3, 1828 at Bloofield, Mich.; d. Jan. 21, 1888; married 3 times, the last time to Joanne Southard.

1713. Ann Eliza Durkee b. Sept. 5, 1831 at Bloomfield, Mich.; d. May 24, 1880; m. Charles Hunt, a son of Wilkes' third wife.

(Note: Aurelia was stolen from her cradle by the Indians and carried to Cayuga and sold to a colored woman for a pint of whiskey.)

Resources: Records of Mrs. Harry F. Going of Pontiac, Mich. Hist. of Windham, Conn., Allen Lerned; Conn. Town Records.

878. ROBERT DURKEE[6] (Mary[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born February 23, 1779 at Hampton, Conn. (vr 1-334); the son of Andrew and Mary (Benjamin) Durkee; died February 1867 at Perry, Wyoming Co., New York. He married Amy Kingsbury on September 13, 1861 at Perry.

Children of Robert and Amy (Kingsbury) Durkee:

1714. Dimis Durkee b. June 23, 1806 at Scipio, N.Y.; m. February 26, 1826 Ely Lockwood.

1715. Julia Durkee b. June 14, 1808; m. September 18, 1823 William Hillaker.

1716. Norman Durkee b. November 15, 1811 at Scipio, N.Y.;

d. May 20, 1877 at St. John, Michigan.

1717. Emily Durkee b. January 25, 1817; m. April 8, 1836 Jedediah Macomber.

1718. Clorinda Durkee b. October 25, 1825 and died young.

Resources: p. 179-80 Hist. of Lebanon, N.H., Downs, 1908.

?882. ISAAC BENJAMIN[6] (Isaac[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born March 27, 1771, the possible son of Isaac and Mercy (Clark) Benjamin; died September 16, 1823. He married Arletta Cole on August 29, 1813, the dau. of Benjamin and Prudence (Hard) Cole. She was born January 12, 1792 at Shaftsbury, Vermont and died March 13, 1865 at Shelby County, Indiana. She m/2 David Tracy on March 12, 1825.

In their family Bible, it says "moved to Greenwich, New Jersey in the fall of our marriage. In 1814 moved to Bedford, Penn. Following year to Rodman, Jefferson Co., N.Y. Next year to Brownsville". Isaac removed with the Cole family to Selby Co., Indiana in 1820 and purchased land one mile sourth of Morristown. In the month of Oct. 1920 as the land office in Brookville, Ind. Benjamin Cole and his sons Abel and Calvin and his sons-in-law, Moses Blood, William Dyer, Isaac Benjamin, and Ashbel Stone each purchased a quarter section of land in Hanover Township, Shelby Co., Indiana.

Benjamin Cole moved to Otsego Co., N.Y. about 1804 and later to Jefferson Co., N.Y.

Children of Isaac and Arletta (Cole) Benjamin:

1719. Edwin A. Benjamin b. September 15, 1814 at Bedford, Penn.; d. January 3, 1846; unm.

1720. Calvin Benjamin b. September 22, 1815; d. September 13, 1857; unm.

1721. Judson Benjamin b. February 2/12, 1819 at Rodman, Jefferson Co., N.Y.; d. February 20, 1855 at Boston, Mass.; m. September 3, 1848 Susan R. Stone. She m/2 --- Ward about 1866. Judson had a son Wayland Everett Benjamin, for on June 4, 1866 the Court appointed W. P. Jenks of Middletown, guardian of Wayland E. Benjamin. Judson was a student at Newton Theological Institution 1847-48; was ordained a Baptist Minister in 1848; and was a missionary to Tavoy, Burma 1849-50; Mergui 1850-54; and returned and died at Boston, Mass. in 1855. He graduated from Brown University in 1846. Wayland E. Benjamin graduated from Boston University in 1879 and resided in N.Y.C. and had a son: Edward Merrill Benjamin.

1722. Prudence Benjamin b. August 16, 1821; d. October 20, 1867; unm.

Resources: p. 121 Desc. of James Cole of Plymouth, 1633, Cole, 1908; p. 96 Baptist Ency., Cathcart, 1881; Salt Lake Family Group Sheet.

883. STEPHEN BENJAMIN[6] (Obediah[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born October 23, 1757 at Preston, Conn.; the son of Obediah and Mary (Hurd) Benjamin; bapt. April 23, 1758 at the First Cong. Church of Griswold, Conn. (cr 1-91). He married Molly Pike (Pyke) on November 17, 1781 at Horton Township, Kings County, Nova Scotia, Canada. (Note: Another Source said he m/1 Mary Parker of Annapolis and m/2 Molly Pike.)

Stephen was a farmer. He lived in Gaspereau all of his life. On Dec. 28, 1809 he applied to Sir George Provost, Governor of Nova Scotia, for a land grant. The petition was signed by Stephen Benjamin Jacob Benjamin, John Gentridge, and William Stimpson. He was granted 500 acres on the west side of River Phillip in Cumberland Co. on Feb. 24, 1811. However, there is no record of him ever settling on this land. These grants were often treated as an invest ment, to be later sold. Perhaps Stephen's land was on the River Pugwash, not the River Phillip, as this land was later occupied by son Daniel.

Children of Stephen and Molly (Pike) Benjamin:

*1723. Daniel Benjamin b. December 1, 1782 at Horton Twp., Kings Co., Nova Scotia, Canada.
1724. Nathaniel Benjamin b. August 12, 1784 at Horton; d. Sept. 10, 1817; no issue.
*1725. Sarah Benjamin b. June 5, 1786 at Horton.
*1726. William Benjamin b. July 8, 1788 at Horton.
1727. Abraham Benjamin b. March 17, 1790; d. Oct. 6, 1792.
1728. Mary Benjamin b. August 19, 1793.
1729. Miriam Benjamin b. May 5, 1795; m. John Westcott.
*1730. Abraham Benjamin b. April 6, 1798.
*1731. Lucy Benjamin b. June 6, 1800 at Horton.
*1732. Lavinia Benjamin b. September 17, 1802 at Horton.
*1733. Stephen Benjamin b. June 25, 1805 at Horton.

Resources: p, 315 Desc. of Moses Cleveland, Cleveland, 1899 Book 9 Horton Township Records; Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, R. Allen Benjamin, 1973.

884. CALEB BENJAMIN[6] (Obediah[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born December 10/11, 1759 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-76); son of Obed and Mary (Hurd) Benjamin; bapt. March 23, 1760 at the First Cong. Church of Griswold, Conn. (cr 1-93). He married Lucy Colwall on August 6, 1784 at Horton Township, Kings County, Nova Scotia, Canada. She was born November 20, 1762 and the dau. of John and Eleanor (Hackett) Coldwell.

Children of Caleb and Lucy (Colwell) Benjamin:

*1734. Ebenezer Benjamin b. February 10, 1785.
1735. Jacob Whitman Benjamin b. December 20, 1786.
*1736. Eleanor Benjamin b. 1788.
1737. Unice (Eunice) Benjamin b. 1789.
*1738. Caleb Benjamin Jr. b. 1790.
*1739. Lydia Benjamin b. 1791.
1740. Elizabeth Benjamin; m. John Scott. They had a dau.

Lydia A. Scott who m. John L. Neal in 1850. He was b. 1824 and d. Dec. 30, 1919. Lydia d. Oct. 28, 1877.

1741. John Benjamin; died young.

Resources: p. 315 Desc. of Moses Cleveland, Cleveland, 1899 p. 76 Neal Fam. Gen., Brigham, 1938; Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, R. Allen Benjamin, 1973.

885. ABEL BENJAMIN[6] (Obediah[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born May 26, 1762 at Horton Township, Kings Co., Nova Scotia, Canada; son of Obediah and Mary (Hurd) Benjamin. He married Eunice Rand on June 4, 1787. She was born August 14, 1769 at Coventry, Conn., the dau. of Jonathan and Sylvia (Strong) Rand.

Children of Abel and Eunice (Rand) Benjamin:

*1742. Perez Martin Benjamin b. October 23, 1791.
1743. Orinda Benjamin b. June 4, 1794; m. William Duncan.
1744. Charlotte Benjamin b. February 19, 1796; d. before 1863; m. William Charles Porter.
1745. Joanne Benjamin b. May 11, 1798; unm.
*1746. Eunice Benjamin b. July 11, 1799.
1747. Olive Caroline Benjamin; died young.
1748. Lydia Matilda Benjamin; m. William Parker.
1749. Mary Jane Benjamin; m. David Porter.
1750. Abel Benjamin died 1875; m. 1852 Rebecca ---; no issue.
1751. Jonathan Rand Benjamin d. May 8, 1863; unm.

Resources: p. 315 Desc. of Moses Cleveland, Cleveland, 1899 Book 4 Horton Township Records; Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, R. Allen Benjamin, 1973.

887. JACOB BENJAMIN[6] (Obediah[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born October 13, 1776 at Wolfville, Hortown Twp., Kings Co., Nova Scotia Canada; the son of Obed and Mary (Hurd) Benjamin; died July 14, 1832 at Gaspereau, Nova Scotia. He married November 13 1794 Salome Cleveland at Gaspereau. She was the dau. of Major Ezekiel and Salome and was born January 5, 1794 and died February 25, 1853 at Nicheaux, Nova Scotia, age 77 years. (Note: R. Allen Benjamin says she is the dau. of Benjamin and Mary (---) Cleveland of Horton, who were with the original group that settled in Hortonville Twp.) They are both buried in the old cemetery at Wolfville.

Jacob was given homestead at Gaspereau on the death of his father and was to look after his mother. In 1821 he was made trustee of the Gaspereau United Baptist Church.

Children of Jacob and Salone (Cleveland)) Benjamin:

1752. Leva (Lova) Benjamin b. Dec. 22, 1795; d. Feb. 3, 1796.
*1753. Elizabeth Benjamin b. February 19, 1797.
*1754. Parney Benjamin b. April 26, 1799.
*1755. Ezekiel Benjamin b. April 1, 1801.

*1756. Nancy Benjamin b. February 10, 1803.
1757. Jacob Whitman Benjamin b. April 9, 1805; d. March 1, 1883; unm.; left estate to brothers and sisters.
*1758. Agnes E. Benjamin b. March 28, 1808.
*1759. James Harvey Benjamin b. August 17, 1813.
1760. Salome Benjamin b. April 17, 1813; m. July 11, 1837 Deacon Thomas Banks, farmer at Cleveland, Nova Scotia and had 6 children.
*1761. Obed Benjamin b. March 1, 1815.
1762. Mary Benjamin b. May 17, 1818; d. 1842 without issue; m. Colin Martin of Gaspereau.

Resources: p. 735 Desc. of John Whitman of Weymouth, Mass., Farnam, 1889; Book 5 Horton Township Records; p. 802 Desc. of Moses Cleveland, Cleveland, 1899; p. 775 Gen. of Cleveland Family, Cleveland, 1899; Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, R. Allen Benjamin, 1973.

888. LYDIA BENJAMIN[6] (Obediah[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born August 20, 1768 at Horton Twp., Kings County, Nova Scotia, Canada; the dau. of Obediah and Mary (Hurd) Benjamin; died in 1846; and married in 1790 William Parker. He was born in 1770 and died in 1846. He was the son of Major Nathaniel Parker a soldier in the British Army at the siege of Quebec and a leading citizen of the Aylesford area. Lydia moved to Aylesford when she married William.

Children of William and Lydia (Benjamin) Parker:
1763. Silas Parker b. 1790; m. Nancy Balcom.
1764. Mary Parker b. Jan. 1792; m/1 Job Randall; m/2 Joseph Wade.
1765. Deacon Abel Parker b. Nov. 8, 1793; m. Jan. 25, 1821 Susan Morse.
1766. Salome Parker b. Sept. 2, 1796; m. Jonas Balcom.
1767. Miriam Parker b. Sept. 1, 1799; m/1 William Chase; m/2 Foster Chute.
1768. David Obediah Parker (Rev.) b. Nov. 24, 1803; m/1 Hannah Marie Morse; m/2 Mary Balcom.
1769. Susanna Parker b. Nov. 24, 1805; m. Daniel Morse.
1770. Edward Parker b. Mar. 1, 1808; m. Evalina Morse.
1771. Nathaniel Parker b. Oct. 14, 1810.
1772. James Parker (Rev.) b. Aug. 25, 1813; m. Phoebe Durland.

Resource: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, R. Allen Benjamin, 1973.

889. ELIZABETH MARION BENJAMIN[6] (Obediah[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born December 31, 1770 at Horton Twp., Kings County, Nova Scotia, Canada, the dau. of Obediah and Mary (Hurd) Benjamin. She married Jeremiah Kinnie, the youngest son of Nathan Kinne, who was granted 500 acres of land in Horton in 1761. Jeremiah b. 1766 and died Jan. 29, 1831.

Children of Jeremiah and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Kinnie:

1773. James Kinnie b. 1794.
1774. Jeremiah Kinnie Jr. b. June 10, 1797; d. Sept. 17, 1876.
1775. Nancy Kinnie b. 1801; m. Isaac Coldwell.
1776. Pauline Kinnie b. 1803; m. Thomas McGrath Coldwell.
1777. Abner Kinnie b. 1805; d. August 3, 1872; m. Mary Coldwell.
1778. John Kinnie b. Aug. 14, 1807; m. Mary Angus.

Resources: Obediah Benjamin of Nova Scotia; R. Allen Benjamin, 1973.

892. ASA BENJAMIN[6] (Abel[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born March 20, 1762 at Preston, Conn.; the son of Abel and Esther (Smith) Benjamin; died April 26, 1734, age 71 (gs) at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-389). He married Mary Roath (?Booth?) on December 26, 1787. She was born 1764 and died January 25, 1859, age 95 (gs) at Norwich, Conn. They are both buried in the Norwich Cemetery, lot #12-739.

Asa purchased land from Capt. John Smith. He collected bounty property in Preston for his services. He served a total of 11 months. He served as a substitute for three different men and then he was drafted in 1779 for 2 months to guard prisoners of war in "Upper" Norwich. He was placed on the Pension Roll of New London, Conn. in 1833 with pension #23586.

Mary appeared in court on April 14, 1855 and testified that she was 90 years of age and lived with Ephraim Benjamin.

(Note: Dr. Wilson had this Asa as the son of Abiel, #427. The Salt Lake Family Group Sheet shows him as the son of this Abel, but that he m. Lydia ---, who d. January 26, 1831.)

Children of Asa and Mary (Roath) Benjamin:
*1779. Ephraim Benjamin b. November 18, 1785 at Preston.
1780. Mary Kemsley Benjamin b. September 15, 1788, d. August 20, 1790, age 2, at Preston, Conn.
?1781. Ashel Benjamin b. Oct. 1786.
?1782. Asa Benjamin b. October 1786; d. Oct. 1786.?

Resources: DAR Lineage Book Vol. 16 p. 179, Vol. 20 p. 241; Rix Family Gen., Rix, 1906; p. 136 Hist. of New London, Conn., 1905.

893. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[6] (Abel[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born December 5, 1763 at Preston, Conn.; the son of Abel and Esther (Smith) Benjamin; bapt. May 31, 1771 at the First Cong. Church of Norwich (cr 1-16); died July 2, 1847 at Burlington, Otsego Co., New York. He married Polly Kimball (?Kemball) of Stonington, Conn. on November 16, 1786 at the Cong. Church of Christ at Preston, Conn. (cr 6-11). She was born April 29, 1766 and died June 7, 1840, age 74 (gs). They are both buried in the Old Garratsville Cemetery,

also known as the Butternut Cemetery at Burlington, N.Y. She was related to David R. Kemball, who m. Ida Johnson; a descendant of Jac. Eldred and related to the Harringtons.

He was a Baptist Church member for more than 50 years. He is listed in the 1800 census at Burlington with: 1 m. 0/10; 2 m. 10/16; 1 m. 26/45//3 f. 0/10; 1 f. 26/45. In the 1810 census of Edmonston, Otsego Co. he is listed as having: 2 m. 0/10; 1 m. 10/16; 1 m. 45+//1 f. 10/16; 1 f. 45+.

Children of Samuel and Polly (Kimball) Benjamin:

*1783. Abel Benjamin b. November 17, 1787. in Conn.
1784. William Benjamin b. July 23, 1789; died young.
*1785. Solomon Benjamin b. July 5, 1790.
1786. Samuel Benjamin b. February 11, 1791; died young.
1787. Sally Benjamin b. April 28, 1793.
1788. Twin boys; died young.
1789. Polly Benjamin b. January 3, 1796.
1790. Esther Benjamin b. January 13, 1797; d. September 1839, age 42. (gs).
1791. Samuel Benjamin b. February 25, 1799; d. October 1820.
*1792. John Benjamin b. November 18, 1800 in Otsego Co., NY
*1793. William C. Benjamin b. September 13, 1804 in N.Y.
1794. Celinda Benjamin b. January 5, 1803; buried in same lot with parents, no dates on grave stone.
1795. Elizabeth Benjamin b. May 31, 1807; d. September 19, 1890, age 83 (gs); m. Stephen Marsh (March). She is buried in the Butternut Cemetery. Stephen Marsh came from Baimbridge, N.Y. area and was listed in the 1850 census at Edmeston, Otsego, N.Y. Had sons: Henry b. 1830 and Abel b. 1834.

Resources: Vol. 45 p. 24 N.E. Hist. and Gen. Register; Boston Transcript Nov. 24, 1909; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, New York; DAR Bible Rec. Vol. 96 p. 200-1, in possession of Mrs. Floyd Salisbury of Garretsville, N.Y.

895. SOLOMON BENJAMIN[6] (Abel[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born June 15, 1767 at Norwich, Conn.; the son of Abel and Esther (Smith) Benjamin; bapt. May 31, 1771 at the Norwich First Cong. Church (cr 2-164); died in 1852. He married Lucy ---.

In 1797 he belonged to the Cong. Church in Burlington, New York. He is listed in the 1800 census at Burlington with: 1 m. 0/10; 1 m. 26/45// 1 f. 0/10; 1 f. 16/26 and in the 1810 census with 1 m. 0/10; 1 m. 10/16; 1 m. 16/26; 1 m. 26/45// 2 f. 0/10; 1 f. 10/16; 1 f. 16/26; 1 f. 45+. He is listed in the 1840 census at New Hudson, Allegany Co. New York with 1 m. b. 1825-30; 1 m. b. 1760-70 and 1 f. b. 1760-70. Solomon's name is listed in the Allegany Land Records in 1839 and 1850.

Children of Solomon and Lucy (---) Benjamin:

?*1796. 1 m. b. 1790-94 perhaps Asa Benjamin bc. 1787 in Conn.
1797. 1 m. b. 1794-1800
*1798. Ephraim Benjamin b. 1804 in Otsego Co., N.Y.
?1799. 1 m. b. 1825-30.
1800. 1 f. b. 1784-94.
1801. 1 f. b. 1794-1800.
1802. 2 f. b. 1800-1810.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Gorton Ginther of Norwich, N.Y. Hurd's Hist of Otsego Co., N.Y. 1740-1878; Research of Mr. F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

897. RODOEPHUS BENJAMIN[6] (Abel[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born November 26/27, 1770 at Norwich, Conn.; the son of Abel and Esther (Smith) Benjamin; bapt. May 31, 1771 at Norwich First Cong. Church (cr 2-164); died about 1810. He married Lydia Franklin who was born 1774-84. Her father possibly might be Caleb Franklin of Hartwick, N.Y.

Rodoephus is listed in the 1800 census at Burlington, Otsego Co., N.Y. with: 2 m. 0/10; 1 m. 26/45// 1 f. 0/10; 1 f. 16/26. and in the 1810 census of Burlington, N.Y. it is the Widow Benjamin that is listed with 2-2-0-0-0//2-0-0-1-0.

Letters of administration were given June 27, 1810 and Lydia Benjamin was appointed administrator. (Cooperstown Probate Book C:24).

Children of Rodoephus and Lydia (Franklin) Benjamin:
*1803. Caleb Franklin Benjamin b. May 18, 1798 at Burlington, New York.
?*1804. Asahel (Asel) Ben amin bc. 1808 in Otsego Co., N.Y.
?1805. Lucinda Benjamin b. 1800-10.
1806. 1 f. b. 1790-1800.
1807. 1 m. b. 1794-1800.
1808. 1 m. b. 1800-10.
*1809. Louisa Benjamin.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Samuel Medbury of Berlin, N.Y. and Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

898. CHRISTOPHER BENJAMIN[6] (Abel[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born August 4, 1774 at Norwich, Conn.; the son of Abel and Esther (Smith) Benjamin; died July 11, 1849 at Barre, Orleans County, New York. He married/1 Sarah (Sally) Fitch of Preston, Conn. on April 9, 1797 at Preston (vr 1-83). She was the dau. of Elijah and Elizabeth (Mix) Fitch and was born August 10, 1778 at Norwich, Conn. and died August 1829 at Genoa, Michigan. He m/2 Nancy A. Beaupan of Genoa, Michigan on September 26, 1839. (See page 928.)

He moved to Burlington, N.Y. with his parents at the age of 15. (c.1788).

In 1798 he purchased land from Judge Cooper in Burlington., N.Y. on which he built a log house in which he re-

sided for 18 years and in which 8 of his children were born. In 1816 he built a new frame house, that was considered very nice for the time. In September 1822 he sold his farm to John Harris for about $15. per acre and purchased, in October 1822, 122 acres from Jesse Mason and Alva Inman in the township of Barre, Orleans Co., N.Y.

Children of Christopher and Sarah (Fitch) Benjamin:

1810. Fitch Benjamin b. December 1798 at Burlington, N.Y.; d. at the age of 3 from cholera.
1811. Zurvier Benjamin b. January 23, 1801; d. 1841 at Genoa, Mich; m. John Brown and left 4 daus.
1812. Fidelia Benjamin b. March 15, 1803 at Burlington, N. Y.; m. Elihu Rogers and resided in Barre, N.Y. Divorced about 1841; had 2 sons and 2 daus.
*1813. Alvin Fitch Benjamin b. June 13, 1805 at Burlington.
1814. David Benjamin b. August 1807; died within 2 days.
1815. Elizabeth N. Benjamin b. January 30, 1818 at Burlington, N.Y.; m. David Buck; resided at Lyons, Mich; had five children.
*1816. Henry Dearborn Benjamin b. January 31, 1813 at Burlington, N.Y.
*1817. Nelson S. Benjamin b. October 11, 1815 at Burlington
1818. Bishop Benjamin b. August 1818; d. within 3 months.
1819. Sarah Benjamin b. September 9, 1819; was scaled to death at the age of 2 years.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y. which included a diary kept by Henry D. Benjamin.

901. LATHROP (LATHRUP) BENJAMIN (Abel^{5}, Obed^{4}, Joseph$^{3-2}$, John^{1}) born October 24, 1782 at Norwich, Conn.; the son of Abel and Esther (Smith) Benjamin; died 1842 at the age of 60. He married Mary (Polly) Lewis.

He is listed in the 1810 census of Burlington, N.Y. with: 2 m. 0/10; 1 m. 10/16; 1 m. 26/45; 1 m. 45+// 1 f. 0/10; 1 f. 10/16; 1 f. 16/26; 1 f. 45+ and in the 1820 census as the same place with: 1 m. 0/10; 2 m. 10/16; 1 m. 26/45; 1 m. 45+// 4 f. 0/10; 1 f. 26/45; 1 f. 45+.

In the Diary of Henry D. Benjamin, he said that Abel and Esther Benjamin lived the last 15 to 20 years of their lives with Lathrop.

Children of Lathrop and Polly (Lewis) Benjamin:

*1820. Russell Benjamin b. 1805/6.
*1821. James Benjamin b. 1812.
1822. Almira Benjamin b. March 2, 1818 at Burlington, N.Y. d. August 28, 1891 at Hartwick, N.Y.; m. December 24, 1838 at Hartwick David Solomon Avery; m/2 Albert Allen Avery, the son of Solomon Story Avery b. Oct. 24, 1817, d. 1891: Children:
    Melvin Delos Avery.
    Marietta Stevens Avery.
    Lathrop Solomon Avery.

1823. Diantha Benjamin.
*1824. Erastus Benjamin b. November 2, 1821.
1825. William Benjamin bc. 1822; m. Nancy ---. Had son: Lathrop Benjamin b. Feb. 4, 1847 at either Lyons or Rose, Wayne Co., N.Y. (vr).
?1826. Lathrop Benjamin. There is a record of a Lathrop Benjamin of Hartford who m. July 20, 1845 Eliza Jane Washbun of Hartford. (p. 77 Marriage Rec. 1816-49 Susquehanna Co., Penn. Newspapers.)

Resources: p. 687 Groton Avery Clan, Avery, 1912; p. 202 John North of Farmington, Conn., North, 1921; Vol. 4 Vital Records of Wayne Co. Hist. Soc., N.Y.; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

902. DANIEL BENJAMIN[6] (Eben[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born September 26, 1762 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-43); the son of Ebenezer andPhoebe (Benjamin) Benjamin; died about 1823. He married Sarah Davis of Anslertilz, New York on November 19, 1782 at New Concord, Albany Co., New York. She was the dau. of John Davis and was born August 23, 1763 and was still alive in March 1843. She m/2 Jared Rice on April 13, 1825 and he died April 11, 1831. After his death, Sarah resided with Judson Park.

Daniel is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Canaan, Columbia Co., N.Y. with 1-2-2 and also in Canaan in the 1800 census with: 1-1-1-1-0//2-1-0-1-0.

Daniel was an Ensign in Preson's Company, Cady's Regt. of the Columbia Co. Militia in 1796 and resigned Jan. 1804. In the Revolutionary War he was a private in the Albany County Militia, 8th Regt. under Col. Robert VanRennsselaer. He was also in Col. Whiting's Regt. of the Albany Co. Militia and John Davis was a Captain in that same company. He served 1 or 2 tours under his wife's father. He also acted as a substitute and was hired by others to serve their tour of duty. He went to Fishkill in the same Company as Joseph Doty. He was also under Capt. Noble and Capt. Salisbury in the Regt. of Col. DuBois. His pension number was #W20023.

Children of Daniel and Sarah (Davis) Benjamin:
1827. Philander Benjamin b. August 14, 1784. (male).
1828. Tryphenia Benjamin b. June 24, 1785. (female).
1829. Ebenezer Benjamin b. January 19, 1787. (Have a record of a m. of Ebenezer Benjamin to Hannah Adsit b. 1782, dau. of Ebenezer and Betsey (Alger) Adsit that might be this Ebenezer.)
1830. Sally Benjamin b. November 2, 1789; d. January 17, 1860; m. May 17, 1810 Judson Parke, who was b. Oct. 9, 1789 at Canaan, N.Y., the son of Ezra Parke. He d. Dec. 22, 1872/4. They had two daus.--Atlanta and Sarah Ann Parke. One lived in Springfield, N.J. and the other at Spencertown, in the old homestead.

1831. Philotheta Benjamin b. April 24, 1793; d. April 2, 1866, age 72 (gs) and is buried in the Park lot in Spencertown, Columbia Co., N.Y.
1832. Benrent (Bearrent) Benjamin b. August 7, 1800. (male)

Resources: p. 146 Park Family in Conn., Parks, 1906; Wilson Papers, which included a letter from Judson Park's son-in-law; p. 111 N.Y. in the Rev. as a Colony and State, Roberts Benjamin Family of Columbia Co., N.Y., R. M. Benjamin, 1911 p. 7 Desc. of John Adsit of Lyme, Conn, Adsit.

903. EBENEZER S. BENJAMIN[6] (Eben[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born April 4, 1766 at Preston, Conn.; the son of Ebenezer and Phoebe (Benjamin) Benjamin; died January 25, 1855 at the age of 89-9-21 (gs) at Westmoreland, Oneida Co., New York. He is buried in the Lowell Cemetery in Oneida Co., N.Y. He married Elizabeth Foote on January 24, 1790. She was born 1771 and died Sept. 18/19, 1850/1, age 78-11-23 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Spencertown, Albany Co., N.Y. with 1-3-2.

He served in the Revolutionary War in the Albany, New York Militia. He was in the 8th Regt. under Col. Robert VanRensselaer and in the 17th Regt. under Col. B. Whiting. He also served under Col. VanCortland. He received a pension under the number #S12151 and was on the 1840 Pension Rolls at the age of 76 and was listed as being blind on the 1850 Rolls.

His will was dated Dec. 17, 1845 and probated March 1, 1855. (Oneida Co. Wills Vol. 11:134).

Children of Ebenezer and Elizabeth (Foote) Benjamin:
*1833. Darius Ranson Benjamin bc. 1797 at Washington Co. NY
*1834. Eliza Ann Benjamin b. 1811.
*1835. Ehil Benjamin.
1836. Cynthia Benjamin b. 1790-1800; m. Howard Ward of Penn.

Resources: The Benjamin Fam. of Columbia Co., N.Y., R. M. Benjamin, 1911; p. 134 Hist.of Oneida Co., N.Y.; p. 111 N.Y. in the Rev. and a Colony and State, Roberts; Vol. 11 p. 26 Oneida Co., N.Y. DAR Records; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

904. WILLIAM BENJAMIN[6] (Eben[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born April 16, 1768 at Preston, Conn.; the son of Ebenezer and Phoebe (Benjamin) Benjamin; died November 19, 1844 at Chatham, Columbia Co., N.Y., age 75 (gs) and buried at Red Rock on the farm with his father. He m/1 Mary Juliana Beebe of Chatham of January 24, 1790. She was the dau. of John and Mary (Hill) Beebe and was born about 1769 and died February 7, 1832, age 63 at Chatham, N.Y. (gs). She is also buried at Red Rock, N.Y., in her father-in-law's plot. He m/2 on April 11, 1833 Margaret Maybee.

He is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Caanan, Columbia Co., New York with just he and his wife. He is also in the 1800 census at Caanan and in the 1810 census at Chatham, N.Y.

He died intestate and letters of administration were given to Margaret Benjamin on March 19, 1845.

Children of William and Mary J. (Beebe) Benjamin:

*1837. Sally Benjamin b. October 10, 1790 at Caanan, N.Y.
*1838. Christinia Benjamin b. January 12, 1792 at Caanan.
*1839. Phoebe Benjamin b. January 4, 1795 at Caanan, N.Y.
*1840. Eleazer Benjamin b. August 19, 1797 at Caanan, N.Y.; resided in Stephentown, Renssalaer Co., N.Y. in 1845.
1841. Mary (Polly) Benjamin b. January 26, 1799 at Caanan; m. John Bodine in New York City in 1845.
1842. John E. Benjamin b. May 13, 1801 in Caanan, N.Y.; resided in New York City in 1845.
1843. Ruth Benjamin b. May 13, 1804 at Caanan; m.Joseph W. Smith and resided in Chatham, N.Y. in 1845; had a dau. Frances E. Smith m. July 21, 1856 George Keith Kimball.
1844. Anson P. Benjamin b. April 18, 1808 at Chatham, N.Y. m. April 27, 1832 Lucia Smith at Penn Yam, N.Y.. He may have m/2 Myrta Vernelia Chaplin. He resided in New York City in 1845.
*1845. Jane Benjamin b. April 26, 1815 at Chatham, N.Y.

Children of William and Margaret (Maybee) Benjamin:

*1846. William Benjamin Jr. b. October 8, 1834 at Chatham.
1847. Milton R. Benjamin b. October 13, 1838 at Chatham; d. September 7, 1869, age 30 yrs. 9 mos. (gs) and buried in Short Tract Cemetery in Granger Twp., Allegany Co., N.Y. There was a Mary Ann --- listed with him. No further information.

Resources: p. 775 Kimball Fam. of Am., Morrison, 1897; p.40 and p. 326 Crandall Gen., Crandall, 1898; Benjamin Fam. of Columbia Co., N.Y., Reuben Benjamin, 1911; Letters to Dr. Wilson from Stephen Crandall and Frank Wm. Crandall; p. 18 March 1968 Treetalks; Probate Records.

905. BENJAMIN B. BENJAMIN^{6} (Eben^{5}, Obed^{4}, Joseph$^{3-2}$, John^{1}) born January 13, 1770 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-43); the son of Ebenezer and Phoebe (Benjamin) Benjamin; died October 1859 at the age of 90 (gs) at Westmoreland, Oneida Co., N.Y. He married Pamelia (Permelia) ---. She was born 1778 in Mass. and died July 1865 at the age of 87 yrs. (gs). They are both buried in the Lowell Cemetery at Westmoreland.

He was a blacksmith, with limited means and a large family. He owned land in Westmoreland in 1814 and in the 1855 census says that he had been in Oneida Co. for 81 years. A Benjamin Benjamin was on the Pension Roll in 1813 and is listed as being from Conn. in the Revolutionary War.

He died intestate (Vol. 18:361 Probate Records) and his estate was filed in 1863.

Children of Benjamin and Permelia (---) Benjamin:

*1848. Henry Benjamin b. September 1798 at Columbia Co., NY
1849. Louisa Benjamin; m. --- Croshaw, and had a son John B. Croshaw, Private in the 117th Regt. of N.Y. Volunteers and was in Charleston, S.C. in 1859. Louisa resided in Westmoreland.
*1850. William Benjamin b. 1800 in Westmoreland, N.Y.
*1851. Riley Benjamin b. 1802 at Westmoreland.
*1852. Nelson Benjamin.
1853. Alansing (Alemson) Benjamin; m. Mary Keeney, who died in 1874 at Rome, N.Y. She m/2 --- Gordon. Her will is on file (Vol. 24:23) and she left the estate to 3 brothers of her first husband--Henry, Riley, and Nelson Benjamin and a niece, Mary L. Benjamin, wife of James E. Benjamin of Rose, Wayne Co., N.Y. Apparently they had no children.
*1854. Anson L. Benjamin b. March 14, 1817 at Westmoreland.
1855. Rose Benjamin b. 1818; d. June 12, 1834 at Westmoreland, N.Y.; buried in the Lowell Cem.
1856. Daniel Benjamin bc. 1820; d. March 18, 1834, age 14 years (gs); buried in the Lowell Cemetery.

Resources: p. 26 Landmarks of Wayne Co., N.Y., Cowles; p. 14 Oneida Co., N.Y. DAR Records, Vol. 2; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

907. ELIZABETH BENJAMIN[6] (Eben[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born May 9/11, 1773 at Preston, Conn.; the dau. of Ebenezer and Phoebe (Benjamin) Benjamin; married Amos Starkweather. He was the son of Nathan and Dorcas (Hamlin or Hamilton) Stark weather, born February 7, 1763 at Killingly, Conn. and died 1844 at Alabama, Otsego Co., New York.

He was a blacksmith and was in the Revolutionary War, with three months service.

Children of Amos and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Starkweather:

1857. Phoebe Starkweather b. 1793; m. Chester Goodrich and had son Asher Goodrich. Asher had: Chester B., Alida (d. young), and Frank Goodrich.
1858. David Starkweathe b.1794; m. Sarah Wood.
1859. Benjamin Starkweather b. 1796; m. Electa F. Bullock.
1860. Nelson Starkweather b. 1799 at Chatham, N.Y.; m. Annis Holmes.
1861. Asher Starkweather b. 1797; went South.
1862. Betsey Starkweather b. 1801 at Chatham; m. David Stark or Ebenezer Story.
1863. Riley Starkweather b. 1803; d. 1823.
1864. Almira Starkweather b. Jan. 6, 1805 at Caanan, N.Y.; d. Oct. 19, 1850 at Sudbury (?Sunbury), Ohio; m. at Worcester, N.Y. Aug. 3, 1824 Gurdon Babcock, son of Henry and Anna (Bull) Babcock. Her child-

ren were: Henry Gurdon; Phebe Ann; Oliver Morrell; Lucinda Florilla; James S.; Sophronia Almira; Alonzo Nelson; and George Riley Babcock.

1865. Florella Starkweather b. 1808; m. Isaac Denel.
1866. Martin Starkweather b. 1812; m. Mary Bachelor.
1867. Schuyler Starkweather b. 1816; m/1 Marianne Winchell m/2 Katherine LaFountain.

Resources: p. 270 Babcock Gen., Babcock, 1903; p. 77 Starkweather Gen., Starkweather, 1904; Benjamin Family of Columbia Co., N.Y., Reuben M. Benjamin, 1911.

909. ELIJAH BENJAMIN[6] (Eben[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born August/October 28, 1778 at Red Rock, Columbia Co., New York; the son of Ebenezer and Phoebe (Benjamin) Benjamin; died June 5/9, 1852 at either Red Rock or Canaan, Columbia Co., N.Y. He married Lois Barnes on January 25, 1804. She was born in 1779 and died February 18, 1852 at Red Rock.

An Elijah Benjamin owned land in Westmoreland, Oneida Co., N.Y. in 1814. Perhaps he bought the land but never moved there.

His will is on file in Columbia Co. Probate Records #L1-119.

Children of Elijah and Lois (Barnes) Benjamin:

*1868. Lucinda Benjamin b. November 6, 1804 at Red Rock,NY
1869. Elisha B. Benjamin b. October 2, 1806.
1870. Louisa Benjamin b. December 6, 1808 at Red Rock; m. --- Ford. She died before her father.
1871. Edwin Benjamin b. January 9, 1811 at Red Rock.
1872. Mary Benjamin b. August 6, 1814; m. --- Goodrich.
*1873. William H. Benjamin b. June 17, 1816 at Red Rock, NY
1874. Daniel B. Benjamin b. September 16, 1818 at Red Rock
1875. Nathaniel Benjamin b. January18, 1821 at Red Rock.
*1876. Leonard Benjamin b. October 12, 1823 at Red Rock.
1877. Addie Benjamin; m. --- Fuller.

Resources: Vol. 100 p. 241 and Vol. 107 p. 136 DAR Lineage Books; Benjamin Family of Columbia Co., N.Y., Benjamin, 1911.

910 PHOEBE BENJAMIN[6] (Eben[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born January 18, 1780 at Red Rock, Columbia Co., New York; the dau. of Ebenezer and Phoebe (Benjamin) Benjamin. She married Josiah Wheeler of Columbia Co., N.Y. He was born 1772 and died 1845.

Children of Josiah and Phoebe (Benjamin) Wheeler:

1878. Martin B. Wheeler.

Resources: p. 1013 Wheeler Gen., Wheeler, 1914; Hist. of Benjamin Fam. of Columbia Co., N.Y., Benjamin, 1911.

911. DARIUS BENJAMIN[6] (Eben[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born February 15, 1781 at Red Rock, Columbia Co., New York; the son

of Ebenezer and Phoebe (Benjamin) Benjamin; died April 24, 1850 at the age of 69 at Chatham Center, Columbia Co., New York. He married Martha (Patty) Rogers on July 5, 1817. She was the dau. of Timothy and Sally (Moore) Rogers and was born February 18, 1795 in N.Y. and died November 20, 1884 at Benjaminville, McLean County, Illinois.

Darius was a farmer and was in the War of 1812. In the 1850 census, Timothy and the younger sons still resided with the widow in New York. In 1856 Martha followed her sons to Illinois.

Children of Darius and Martha (Rogers) Benjamin:

*1879. Edward D. Benjamin b. June 29, 1818 at Chatham, N.Y.
*1880. DeWitt Clinton Benjamin b. May 28, 1820 at Chatham.
*1881. Timothy Rogers Benjamin b. May 17, 1822.
*1882. John R. Benjamin b. October 17, 1824 at Truxton, Cortland Co., N.Y.
1883. Gilbert R. Benjamin b. October 6, 1830 at Columbia Co., N.Y.; d. February1839 at the age of 9 at Columbia Co., N.Y.
*1884. Reuben Moore Benjamin b. June 29, 1833 at Columbia Co., New York.

Resources: Vol. 5 p. 69 Abridged Compendius of Am. Gen; Boston Transcript Sept. 12, 1929; Benjamin Family of Columbia Co., N.Y., R. M. Benjamin, 1911; Am. Gen. Biog. Index

912. MARTIN BENJAMIN[6] (Eben[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born about 1785 or 1787 at Red Rock, Columbia Co., New York; the son of Ebenezer and Phoebe (Benjamin) Benjamin; died May 17, 1852 at Brunswick, Medina County, Ohio. He married Anna Lovejoy, the dau. of Capt. Daniel and Prudence (Cady) Lovejoy. She was born about 1780 in New York.

Martin was a farmer and resided for a time in Jamestown, Chautauqua Co., N.Y. and was in the 1840 and 1850 census at Median Co., Ohio.

Children of Martin and Anna (Lovejoy) Benjamin:

*1885. Daniel Lovejoy Benjamin b. 1815 in New York.
1886. Ruth Benjamin.
1887. Almira Benjamin.
1888. Sophia Benjamin.
1889. Lucretia Benjamin.

Resources: p. 101 Lovejoy Gen., Lovejoy, 1930; Benjamin Family of Columbia Co., N.Y., Benjamin, 1911.

920. PHINEAS BENJAMIN[6] (Phineas[5], Jedediah[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born February 7, 1761 at Canterbury, Conn. (vr 1-81); the son of Phineas and Zipporah (Spaulding) Benjamin; bapt. August 5, 1770 at the First Church of Christ at Sharon, Conn. (cr 1-35); died December 15, 1845 and is buried at Lake Ridge Cemetery, Tompkins Co., New York. He m/1 Mehitable Chapman who was born about 1766 and died April 9, 1840, age 74 (gs)

She is buried in the same cem etery as her husband. He m/2 Hannah Pease of Enfield, Conn., the dau. of Aaron and Huldah (Spencer) Pease, born about 1780 in Conn. She was married two or three times, with children with each marriage, and in 1848 was the Widow Benjamin.

Phineas is listed in the 1790 Fedearl Census at Litchfield, Litchfield Co., Conn. with 1-1-3 and as Phineas Jr. was listed in the 1800 census of Sharon, Conn. with: 1-1-0-1-0//3-0-0-1-0.

He is listed as an Ensign in the 7th Co., 25th Regt. of the New York Mimitia.

Children of Phineas and Mehitable (Chapman) Benjamin:

*1890. Zener (Zemus/Zenus) Benjamin b. 1788 in Conn.
*1891. Phineas T. Benjamin b. December 27, 1791 in Conn.
1892. Samuel Benjamin (from cem. rec. West Genoa Cem.) m. Sophia LaTourette, wife of Jonathan, and 2nd wife of Samuel Benjamin b. Oct. 15, 1814, d. Sept. 25, 1877.
1893. Seymour Benjamin bc. 1775-94.
1894. Betsey Benjamin b. 1795; d. 1855; m. William K. Reeves, b. 1795; d. 1847.
*1895. Josiah Benjamin b. 1797.
1896. Tamar L./E. Benjamin b. August 11, 1804; d. Sept. 24, 1825 (gs); buried King Ferry Cemetery at West Genaoa, Cayuga Co., N.Y.; m. Nov. 24, 1825 Alonzo E./B. Atwater b. April 6, 1805; d. 1878 (gs), son of John G. Atwater. Children: Alonzo; Norma; Jason; W. Hudson; and Emily H. Atwater, who was b. 1841, d. 1926 (gs) and buried with her parents.
1897. Zipporah Benjamin; m. Fredrich Berlew.
1898. Roxy Benjamin.

Resources: DeWitt Historical Society Records via F. Everett Benjamin; Sharon, Conn. Town Records; p. 99 Vol. 137 DAR Lineage Book; p. 323 Vol. 8 Rec. of State of Conn., Hoadly; p. 364 Vol. 54 N.Y. Gen. and Biog. Record; p. 397 Vol. 53 Ibid; p. 96 Abbe-Abbey Gen., Nichols, 1916.

922. JEMIMA BENJAMIN[6] (Phineas[5], Jedediah[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born November 1, 1769 at Sharon, Conn.; the dau. of Phineas and Jemima (Hollister) Benjamin; bapt. Agust 5, 1770 at the First Church of Christ at Sharon (cr 1-35). She married Belden Kellogg of Egremont, Mass. on July 3, 1794, son of Lt. Stephen and Mindwell (Belden) Kellogg. He was born November 4, 1766. Jemima was his second wife. He had m/1 Tabitha Karner in 1786 and she died in 1792.

He removed from Mass. to Utica, New York and then in 1811 to Milton, New York.

Children of Belden and Jemima (Benjamin) Kellogg:

1899. Sylvanus Kellogg b. September 18, 1801.
1900. Sylvester Kellogg b. August 5, 1803; d. 1805.
1901. Phineas Benjamin Kellogg b. January 12, 1805.

1902. Belden Kellogg b. April 7, 1807; went to Illinois.
1903. Milton Kellogg b. October 12, 1808; went to Texas.
1904. Minerva Kellogg b. December 31, 1809; m. LeRoy Reed.
1905. Calista Kellogg b. November 7, 1811.

Resources: p. 123 and 253 Kelloggs in the Old World and New Hopkins,1903.

927. AMOS BENJAMIN[6] (Phineas[5], Jedediah[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born September 10, 1778 at Sharon, Conn. (vr 8-61); the son of Phineas and Jemima (Hollister) Benjamin. His wife was born 1785-95.

There is an Amos Benjamin listed in the 1810 census at Amenia, Dutchess Co., New York with: 0-1-0-1-0//2-0-1-0-0 between Francis Barlow and Thomas Might. There is also an Amos Benjamin listed in the 1835 records at Salisbury, Herk imer Co., N.Y. with 3 males, one subject to military duty, 1 male between 5-16; 1 f. under 45 all born in New York. In 1848 Amos was granted land to George and Martha Benjamin. (Vol. 54 p. 517 & 661.)

933. DANIEL BENJAMIN[6] (Phineas[5], Jedediah[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born December 27, 1791 at Sharon, Conn. (gs); the son of Phineas and Jemima (Hollister) Benjamin; bapt. March 1792 at Sharon Conn. (cr); died October 6, 1857 (gs) and buried in the Amenia Burying Grounds at Amenia, Dutchess Co., New York. He married Nancy Meade (Meed) of Amenia on January 22, 1814 at Amenia. She was the dau. of Job and Ruth (Hibbard) Meade and was born August 24, 1792 at Dutchess Co., N.Y. and died April 17, 1866 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Children of Daniel and Nancy (Meade) Benjamin:
1906. Maria Benjamin b. June 25, 1815; d. December 19, 1892 (gs); buried at Amenia Island, N.Y. She married Daniel Platt.
1907. Cornelia Benjamin bc. 1820; d. July 1857.
1908. Amelia Benjamin bc. 1822; m. Aaron Haskins.
1909. Louisa Benjamin b. November 18, 1824; d. 1901; m. E. G. Caulkins.
1910. John H. Benjamin b. February 1828 (cem. rec. says b. Jan. 31, 1829 at Dutchess Co.); d. April 1, 1888 at Syracuse, N.Y. and buried in the Oakwood Cem. at Syracuse; m. Hannah H. --- b. March 30, 1834, d. Apr. 1905 (gs) and buried with her husband.
1911. Charles A./M. Benjamin b. October 3/8, 1830/1; d. Janaury 8, 1891 and buried in the Amenia Burying Grounds, N.Y.

Resources: Amenia Cemetery Records sent by Mrs. Raymond Fales of Westford, Mass.; Marriages and Deaths of Dutchess Co., Reynolds; Salt Lake Family Group Sheet; DAR Cemetery Records Vol. 254A p. 33 and 35; Vol. IV Dutchess Co. Hist. Society, p. 16.

956. BELA E. BENJAMIN[6] (Simeon[5], Jedediah[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born June 24, 1771 at Canterbury, Conn. (vr 1-84); the son of Simeon and Abigail (Foster) Benjamin; died October 9, 1803 age 33 (gs) and buried at the Red Church Burying Ground at Amenia Island, Dutchess Co., New York. He married Louisa Parke on March 9, 1795 at Sharon, Conn., the dau. of Elijah and Olive (Brown) Parke. She was born October 23, 1775 and died December 24, 1863 at Amenia, N.Y. and is buried in the same lot as her husband.

His obit lists his wife and three children as survivors.

He is listed in the 1800 census at Amenia, Dutchess Co. N.Y. with: 2 m. under 10; 1 m. 16/26; 1 m. 26/45// 2 f. 16/26 and the Widow Benjamin is listed in the same place in the 1810 census with: 0-2-0-0-0//1-0-0-1-0.

He was a Captain in the Dutchess County Regt. of the New York Militia in 1798 and his resignation was accepted March 1802.

Children of Bela E. and Louisa (Parke) Benjamin:

1912. Loretta Benjamin b. 1796; d. May 21, 1797 (gs) age 29 months 21 days, buried in same cemetery as her parents.
1913. Electy Benjamin b. 1798; d. July 13, 1808, age 10.
*1914. Elijah Park Benjamin b. April 4, 1797.
*1915. Horatio Nelson Benjamin bc. 1800 at Amenia, N.Y.
1916. Jane Ann Benjamin b. July 5, 1801; m. January 20, 1819 Charles W. Power at Amenia, N.Y.

Resources: p. 78 Park Family of Conn., Park, 1906; Records of Mrs. John Keller of Litiz, Penn.; Vol. 68 p. 178 N.Y. Gen. and Biog. Record; Vol. IV p. 16 Dutchess Co. Hist. Society.

957. JEDEDIAH BENJAMIN[6] (Simeon[5], Jedediah[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born July 15, 1772 at Canterbury, Conn. (vr 1-84); the son of Simeon and Abigail (Foster) Benjamin; died July 18, 1830 age 58 in Oneida Co., New York. He married Elizabeth --- who was born in 1776 and died 1802.

He is listed in the 1820 and 1850 census of Hartwick, Otsego County, N.Y. and in the 1800 census at Sharon, Conn.

He was an Ensign in the 4th Co., 35th Regt. of the Conn.Militia on October 1802.

Children of Jedediah and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin:

1917. Elizabeth Ann Benjamin born in or near New York City; m. Horatio Nelson Benjamin. (see # 1915.)
1918. Helen Benjamin; m. --- Brown.
1919. Sarah J./P. Benjamin; m. 1824 Daniel Park of Amenia, New York.

Resources: Hartford Times Aug. 10, 1946; Coopertown Watch-tower article via Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y. p. 118 Public Rec. of State of Conn. Vol. XI.

959. SIMEON BENJAMIN JR.[6] (Simeon[5], Jedediah[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born 1782 in Dutchess County, New York; the son of Simeon and Abigail (Foster) Benjamin; died December 18, 1866 (gs) at the age of 84 and is buried in the Robinson Cemetery in Otsego County, New York. He married Mary --- born either 1784 or 1789 in Vermont and died in 1854 or 1859 (gs hard to read) at the age of 69-3-9 and is buried in the same cemetery.

He is listed in the 1820 and 1850 census records for Hartwick, Otsego County, New York.

Children of Simeon and Mary (---) Benjamin:

*1920. Bela E. Benjamin b. 1813 in Otsego Co., N.Y.
*1921. Charles S. Benjamin b. 1814 in Otsego Co., N.Y.
1922. Jane A. Benjamin b.1823 in Otsego Co., N.Y.

Resource: Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, NY.

960. ELY (ELI) FOSTER BENJAMIN[6] (Simeon[5], Jedediah[4], Joseph[3-2]John[1] born 1789/90 in Dutchess County, New York; the son of Simeon and Abigail (Foster) Benjamin; perhaps bapt. June 14, 1801; died October 14, 1856 at Utica, Oneida Co., New York. He married Mary (Polly) Hughes of Middlefield on January 11, 1810. She was born in 1791 and died between 1850-55.

From "Pioneer Cabinet Makers of Cooperstown" by Dunn, 1955 (a newspaper reprint) Eli F. Benjamin, a local grocer, turned to furniture construction in 1810 in Coopers town. He was the first cabinet maker to resort to barter. He would take many items in exchange. This was the result of the western land panic in 1819 and many bank failures. A few years later, he moved to Utica and with Tillman opened a mahogany chair manufacturing company. In Cooperstown, he left his accounts with his brother, Miles Benjamin, also a cabinet maker.

He is listed in the 1810 census at Otsego, Otsego Co., N.Y.

He died intestate (Cate #489) with a petition by Samuel C. Benjamin of Hamilton, Marlin Co., North Carolina as the only survivor.

Children of Eli Foster and Mary (Hughes) Benjamin:

1923. Samuel Cooper Benjamin b. October 25, 1810 at Otsego Co., N.Y.; bapt. Nov. 3, 1810; in 1856 resided in Hamilton, Martin Co., N.C.
1924. Mary Elizabeth Benjamin b. September 9, 1812; d. unm. August 1, 1831 at Utica, N.Y.

Resources: p. 37 and 41 of Records of Rev. Daniel Nash of the Births and Bapt. of Otsego Co., N.Y. 1763-1836 kept in the 2nd National Bank at Cooperstown, N.Y. via Marvel Cheney of Idaho Falls, Idaho and Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

960. COL. MILES BENJAMIN[6] (Simeon[5], Jedediah[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1])

born 1796 in Dutchess County, New York; the son of Simeon and Abigail (Foster) Benjamin; died November 5, 1853 at Cooperstown, Otsego Co., N.Y. He married in 1823 at Cooper stown Mrs. Elizabeth Cooper, possibly the widow of Samuel Cooper. She is buried at the Hartwick Seminary Cemetery. and was born about 1796 and died June 1, 1835 at Hartwick, Otsego Co., N.Y. (gs).

He was listed as an Ensign and Lt. in the New York Militia in 1814-20 and a Captain in 1820.

Simeon Benjamin Sr. sold land to Simeon Jr. in 1825, and Miles was a witness.

Miles was in the 1830 census at Hartwick with: 2 m 10/15; 1 m. 15/20; 3 m. 30/40// 2f 0/2; 1 f. 5/10; 1 f. 15/20; 1 f. 20/30; 1 f. 30/40; 1 f. 50/60; and 1 f. 70/80.

Elizabeth had at least two sons by her first marriage: Isaac and William Cooper.

Miles died intestate (Book 3 p. 13 Otsego Probate Rec.) with David Robinson and wife Hannah C. Robinson appointed administrators of his estate.

Children of Miles and Elizabeth (--- Cooper) Benjamin:
1925. Hannah C. Benjamin b. 1827; m. David Robinson and had a dau. Jane Robinson b. 1847.

Resources: DAR Record Vol. 5 p. 55; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

969. EZRA BENJAMIN[6] (Ezra[5], Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born January 2, 1770 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-133); the son of Ezra and Prudence (Maine) Benjamin; died 1799, age 29. (Note: Robert Benjamin Powers, in his book My Paternal Ancestors, gives his death date as October 1810.) He married Lucy Brown February 10, 1790 at Preston, Conn. (vr) while the m. date given in the N.E. Gen. and Hist. Register is given as Feb. 16, 1794. She m/2 either William Waite b. July 2, 1761 at Coventry, R.I., d. June 30, 1849 at Saratoga Springs, N.Y. or Samuel Mott of Preston, Conn., who was a Justice of the Peace.

Ezra was a petitioner for township organization. He wanted to divide Jewett City (Preston) by a line drawn from the mouth of the Broad Brook due east to a division line between the First and Second Societies and on that division line to the town of Stonington.

Children, if any, are unknown.

Resources: Am. Gen.; Rix Family; Vol. 35 p.179 N.E. Gen. and Hist. Register; Wilson Papers; My Paternal Ancestors, Robert Benjamin Powers; Hartford Times April 4, 1953.

971. PRUDENCE BENJAMIN[6] (Ezra[5], Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born November 5, 1775 at Preston, Conn.; the dau. of Ezra and Jeane (Eames) Benjamin; died March 15, 1841 at Delaware, Ohio. She married Avery Powers Jr. of Norwich on January 12, 1797

at the First Cong. Church at Preston, Conn. (cr 1-153). He was the son of Avery and Dorothy (Avery) Powers and was born January 22, 1772 at Norwich, Conn. and died July 26, 1812 in the War of 1812.

Avery bought and sold property, kept a tavern for a year, and ran a "Provisions Store". He was one of the founders of Norwich, N.Y. His will, dated April 29, 1812, mentions wife Prudence and children: Benjamin, Mary, and Hiram. He owned 485 acres of land in 1810 and paid a tax of $4.15 on his property.

He was a volunteer spy during the War of 1812. He was fired upon by a party of Indians at Turkey Creek. Major Denny, with 150 men and three rangers (including Avery Powers) had left for the bridge at Detriot to cut off the Indians. Avery became ill and was returning to Camp when killed.

Prudence wrote to her brothers in Conn. and many of the letters are preserved. In a letter to Eames, dated Aug. 1, 1840 she describes her homes. Her first home, after leaving Preston, was a "smoky" log cabin in York State, 300 miles from Preston. While in New York, she lived in 4 log cabins. She said that when they decided to move to Ohio, they were detained in "Penciveney" State and lived in a log cabin 3 months. After that, they were "7 weeks on by wagoning and 1000 miles by water on ciota to Franklinton, Ohio". When they arrived at the end of the road, they had to "pack on horse back 20 miles up Whetstone". While there they lived in a cabin without floor, door, windows, or chim ney. The nearest neighbor was in Franklinton--20 miles away. Sandusky was 100 miles to the north of them. Her husband had to go to Franlinton for supplies. She mentioned that all but her father-in-law and she came down with fever. When her husband died, she was living in a rented home and had 4 children, 11 to 2 years of age. She said she had lived six years in Franklinton, Ohio She said she had lived six years in Franklinton and took in work for a living. Then she moved to Columbus. She and her dau. supported themselves by sewing and her sons learned trades. Her last move was from Columbus to Delaware, with her dau. and dau.'s husband.

Children of Avery and Prudence (Benjamin) Powers:

1926. Avery Powers bapt. Sept. 17, 1798/9 at the First Presb. Church in Cherry Valley, N.Y. (They were Methodists, but the only church was Presbyterian.)

*1927. Benjamin Powers b. October 7, 1800 at Chilicothe, Ohio. (Born while family was on route from New York to Franklinton, Ohio.)

1928. Marquis Powers b. September 1, 1803 at Liberty Twp., Ohio; died February 6, 1806 Delaware Co., Ohio.

1929. Mary Powers b. December 9, 1806 at Franklinton, Ohio d. Feb. 5, 1891 at Columbus, Ohio; buried in Oak Grove Cemetery; m/1 Henry Van Horn who died Aug.

3, 1855 at Delawre, Ohio and buried with his wife; m/2 May 19, 1864 William Armstrong of Columbus, Ohio b. 1797, d. Apr. 21, 1891. He had m/1 Jane Delano. Mary had no children. H. Van Horn and George Dolton were partners in the tailoring business.

1930. Hiram Powers b. November 20, 1809 at Franklinton, Ohio; died November 8, 1839 at Houston, Texas. He did marry, but his wife left him. He went to Texas and was a chair manufacturer.

1931. Two children died in N.Y. State, one was probably the first Avery Powers.

Resources: p. 164-7 My Paternal Ancestors, Robert Benjamin Powers; p. 56 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey.

972. HIRAM BENJAMIN[6] (Ezra[5], Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born January 26, 1778/9 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-133); the son of Ezra and Jeane (Eames) Benjamin; died March 20/29, 1847 at Preston, Conn. He married Linda (Sinda) Marilla Brumley on June 14, 1842 at Griswold, Conn. (vr 1-279), the dau. of Israel and Lucy P. (Tracy) Bromley. She was born April 28, 1811 at Griswold, and died March 29/30, 1881/2 at Preston, age 70. (gs). They are both buried in the Griswold Cemetery, lot #1-12.

Children of Hiram and Linda M. (Brumley) Benjamin:

1932. Henry Josiah Benjamin b. June 3, 1844 at Griswold, Conn. (vr 1-279); d. unmarried January 25, 1916; age 72 (gs) and buried in the same cemetery lot as his parents. He was the ONLY Benjamin living in Griswold, Conn. in 1899.

Resources: p. 62 Bromley Gen., Bromley, 1911; Herrick Gen. p. 110, , Herrick, 1885.

973. EAMES BENJAMIN[6] (Ezra[5], Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born October 10, 1775 or 1779 at Preston, Conn. (the year 1779 is given in the vr 2-133); the son of Ezra and Jeane (Eames) Benjamin; died August 26, 1860 at Preston, Conn. (gs). He married Prudence Chapman on September 27, 1812 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-327). She was the dau. of Joseph and Thankful (Tift) Chapman and was born April 10, 1793 and died March 30, 1887. They are both buried in the Rixton Cemetery at Griswold, Conn.

He was a trustee of the Bethel Methodist Society in 1832 in South Griswold. He was a private in the Conn. Militia under Joseph Lester from June to July 1813 in the War of 1812.

Children of Eames and Prudence (Chapman) Benjamin:

*1933. Hannah Benjamin b. September 22, 1813 at Griswold.

1934. Lucy Ann Benjamin b. November 18, 1817 at Griswold, Conn. (vr 1-41); d. May 26, 1893 at Griswold; m/1

Sept. 5, 1853 Charles Kimball b. Oct. 16, 1799, d. Feb. 15, 1857; m/2 Henry Bennet b. March 10, 1797, d. July 25, 1875

*1935. Prudence Powers Benjamin b.June 8, 1821 at Griswold, Conn. (vr 1-41).

1936. Ezra Gardiner Benjamin b. January 22, 1825 at Griswold, Conn. (vr 1-41); d. January 14, 1826 at Griswold, Conn.

1937. Powers Benjamin b. July 18, 1828; d. same day.

Resources: p. 194 Rix Family; Conn. Militia of 1812; Hist. of Griswold p. 143; Letters to Dr. Wilson from Mrs. Kingsley Chapman.

974. ANNA BENJAMIN[6] (Ezra[5], Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born April 8, 1782 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-133); the dau.of Ezra and Jean (Eames) Benjamin; died February 28, 1838/9. She married, as his third wife, Thomas Kinney Park on June 9, 1812. He was the son of Hezekiah Park and was bapt. July 15, 1764 at Groton, Conn. and died June 4, 1826. He had m/1 Rebecca Gibson and m/2 Rebecca Thatcher.

Children of Thomas K. and Anna (Benjamin) Park:

1938. Benjamin Park b. April 22, 1813; died young.

1939. Thomas Kinney Park b. September 13, 1815.

1940. Benjamin Park b. December 19, 1819; umn. in 1841.

1941. Isaac Park b. July 16, 1823.

Resources: p. 15-16 Rix Gen.; p. 94 Park Gen. of Conn., Park, 1906.

983. ELAM BENJAMIN[6] (Abial[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born September 4, 1786 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-137); the son of Abial and Louise (Ellis) Benjamin; died November 19/20, 1861 at the age of 76 at Preston, Conn. (Voluntown, Conn. vr 2-71). He m/1 Hannah Denniss of Preston on October 7/10, 1810 at Preston (vr 2-332). She was the dau. of Russell and Ziporah (---) Denniss and was born February 18, 1790 and died February 22, 1854, age 64 yrs. 4 days. (gs). Both she and Elam are buried in the Griswold Cemetery lot #1-19. He m/2 Nancy (Farrier) Rix, the widow of James Rix, who died in 1848. Nancy was born 1797 and died 1882 at Griswold, Conn., and is buried in the Griswold Cemetery lot #1-15. There was no issue of this second marriage.

Elam was in the Conn. Militia during the War of 1812, and served as a musician under Joseph Lester.

Children of Elam and Hannah (Denniss) Benjamin:

1942. Jabez Lyman Dennis Benjamin b. June 25, 1811 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-332); d. July 29, 1811 (gs); buried at Griswold Cemetery lot #1-19.

*1943. Jabez Lyman Dennis Benjamin b. June 27, 1812 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-332).

*1944. Henry Butler Benjamin b. April 4, 1816 at Preston.

1945. Nancy Maria Benjamin b. May 8, 1814 at Preston; d. August 8, 1823 at Preston.
*1946. Laura Augusta b. December 9, 1817 at Preston, Conn.
1947. Calista Ann Benjamin b. October 12, 1819.
*1948. Abby Ardelia Benjamin b. January 10, 1822.
1949. Nancy Cornelia Benjamin b. November 30, 1825 at Preston, Conn.; d. July 28, 1845, age 18 yrs. 8 mos. (gs); buried at Griswold Cemetery, lot #1-19.

Resources: Wilson Papers; p. 194 Rix Family; p. 45 & 190 Rix Family Gen.; Mortality Schedule of Federal Census of 1850 from Tree Talks 1966, 1/28.

996. BETSEY BENJAMIN[6] (Jesse[5], Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born March 31, 1784; the; the dau. of Jesse and Rachel (Bunn) Benjamin. She married Chester Elliott on January 12, 1804.

Children of Chester and Betsey (Benjamin) Elliott:
1950. Electa Elliot; m. Shubel Wilder and had dau. Mary Wilder who m. Warren Hitchcock. They had: James; Luke, Fred and Alice Hitchcock.
1951. George Washington Elliott; m. Julianna Crowfoot and had son Irving Washington Elliott.

Resources: Records of Majel Lawrence of Medford, Oregon, sent by Doris P. Robinson of Sebastapol, Calif.

997. SALLY BENJAMIN[6] (Jesse[5], Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born December 23, 1785; the dau. of Jesse and Rachel (Bunn) Benjamin; died December 8, 1820/40 at Lewis County, New York. She married Jonathan Bishop on June 27, 1802 at Lewis Co., N.Y. and he died February 12, 1852 at FonDuLac, Wisconsin. He m/2 ---.

Jonathan bought property, a farm, in Watson, N.Y. in 1798.

Children of Jonathan and Sally (Benjamin) Bishop:
1952. Clarissa Bishop; m. Joshua Wells and had a dau. Diamatha Wells.
*1953. Betsey Bishop b. May 12, 1802.
*1954. Rachel Bishop b. October 4, 1808.
*1955. Lemuel Bishop b. June 29, 1810.
1956. Sally Bishop; m. Jerry Homiston in FonDuLac, Wis.
1957. Sylvia Bishop; m. Stephen Rose and had children: James, Laura, George and Lydia Rose.
*1958. Lyman Bishop bc. 1818 in N.Y.
1959. Phoebe Bisho; uumarried.
*1960. Lester Bishop bc. 1822 in N.Y.

Children of Jonathan and --- Bishop:
Caroline (Carrie) Bishop b. FonDuLac, Wis.; unm.

Resources: Records of Majel Lawrence of Medford, Oregon via Doris P. Robinson of Sebastapol, Calif.; Records of Cecelia F. Stanton of Milwaukee, Wis.

998. THOMAS BENJAMIN[6] (Jesse[5], Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born January 23, 1788; the son of Jesse and Rachel (Bunn) Benjamin. He married Lamenta Finch on September 18, 1814.

Thomas was a 2nd Lt. from Lewis County, N.Y. in 1821 in the New York Militia.

Children of Thomas and Lamenta (Finch) Benjamin:

1961. Duane Benjamin.
1962. Schuler Benjamin. There was a Schulyer Benjamin in the 1860 census of the 5th Ward of Utica, Oneida Co., N.Y.
1963. James Benjamin.

Resources: Records of Majel Lawrence of Medford, Oregon.

1001. ARCHIBALD BENJAMIN[6] (Jesse[5], Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born September 14, 1795 at New York; the son of Jesse and Rachel (Bunn) Benjamin; married Agnes (Annie) Root on May 7, 1820. Apparently he m/2 Dorcas --- b. 1800 in New York.

Archibald is listed in the 1850 census of Norwalk Twp., Huron Co., Ohio as a carpenter. He was worth $700. at that time.

Children of Archibald Benjamin:

*1964. Vincent Lewis Benjamin b. 1821/1831 at Watson, Lewis Co., N.Y.
1965. Lewis Benjamin b. 1834 in N.Y.
1966. Ananias Benjamin b. 1837 in Ohio.

Resources: Records of Majel Lawrence of Medford, Oregon.

1002. CALISTA (CELESTA) BENJAMIN[6] (Jesse[5], Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1] born February 14, 1798 in New York; the dau. of Jesse and Rachel (Bunn) Benjamin; died December 10, 1876 at Troy, Athens Co., Ohio. She married October 20, 1814 Sylvanus Skeels of Guysville, N.Y., the son of Elijah and Mary (Hamblin) Skeels. He was born June 16, 1787 in Salisbury, N.Y. and died October 31, 1863 in Troy, Ohio.

Children of Sylvanus and Calista (Benjamin) Skeels:

1967. Sophrina Rosette Skeels b. Aug. 3, 1816 at Lowville, Lewis Co., N.Y.; d. Feb. 16, 1900; m. March 2, 1837 Lee Waterman b. Mar. 12, 1812, d. June 9, 1852. Had son Wesley Barker Waterman b. Dec. 16, 1837, d. Jan. 16, 1838.
1968. Lorenzo Dan Skeels b. April 10, 1818; d. 1894; m. Feb. 18, 1844 Katherine Ball.
1969. Laura Thresa Skeels b. May 3, 1821 at Lowville, N.Y. d. July 20, 1899 at Guysville, Athens Co., Ohio; m. Jan. 12, 1843 Moses Lawrence, son of Moses and Sarah (Johnson) Lawrence b. Jan. 2, 1820 at Epping ham, N.H., d. July 30, 1906 at Coolville, Ohio. They had son Arthur Albert Lawrence b. Dec. 7, 1867, m. Florence Virginia LeGoullon. Arthur had

a dau. Majel, who compiled these records.

1970. Jane Ann Skeels b. May 16, 1824 at Lowville, N.Y.; d. unm. Feb. 23, 1898.

1971. Henrietta Louise Skeels b. March 30, 1828 at Lowsville, N.Y.; d. Nov. 8, 1887; m. April 15, 1851 William Wilson b. Aug. 5, 1824, d. June 7, 1910 and buried at Shade, Ohio.

1972. Lewis Benjamin Skeels b. June 13, 1839 at Coolville, Ohio; d. Jan. 30, 1916; m. Hulda Powell; had daus. Bessie Edith b. Oct. 3, 1889 and Freda Marie b. Aug. 24, 1894.

1973. Corilla Skeels b. Jan. 9, 1840 at Louisville, Lewis Co., Ohio; d. July 30, 1920; m. James Duree and had: Prescott, Henry, and Martha Duree.

Resources: Information copied for obituary of Jane Skeels, written by Florence V. Lawrence on Aug. 25, 1945; Records of Majel Lawrence of Medford, Ore. (who d. in 1967) sent by her dau. Doris P. Robinson of Sebastapol, Calif.

1003. CORILLA (CORIELA-CORDELIA) BENJAMIN[6] (Jesse[5], Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1])born January 9, 1801; the dau. of Jesse and Rachel (Bunn) Benjamin. She married Luke Wilder.

Children of Luke and Corilla (Benjamin) Wilder:

1974. Prescott Wilder.
1975. Henry Wilder.
1976. Martha Wilder.

Resources: Records of Majel Lawrence of Medford, Ore.

1004. LAURA BENJAMIN[6] (Jesse[5], Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born March 21, 1803 in New York; the dau. of Jesse and Rachel (Bunn) Benjamin; married Joseph H. Webb. He m/1 Lydia (Polly) Durphy and he m/3 Rachel (Totman) Berry. He resided in Lowsville, N.Y. and Jefferson Co., Wisconsin in 1852. He had 16 children in all.

Children of Joseph and Laura (Benjamin) Webb:

1977. Wesley Webb b. March 11, 1826.
1978. Harriet Webb b. 1827.
1979. Matilda Webb b. 1829.
1980. Harmon Webb b. 1830/1.
1981. Jesse Webb b. 1832/3.
1982. Fredrick Webb b. 1837.
1983. Calista Webb b. 1840.
1984. William Webb b. 1842.
1985. Julia Webb b. 1843.

Children of Joseph and Lydia (Durphy) Webb:

Ruth Webb b. 1815.
Mary Webb b. Dec. 15, 1816; m. Joel Arthur.
Caroline Webb.
Nelson Webb and Silas T. Webb b. 1823.

Resources: Records of Evelyn D. Arthur of Rochester, N.Y. and Records of Majel Lawrence.

1005. MARY (POLLY) BENJAMIN[6] (Jesse[5], Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born December 1, 1805; the dau. of Jesse and Rachel (Bunn) Benjamin; died April 21, 1877 at E. Martinsburgh, Lewis Co. New York. She married Nathan Lewis on January 28, 1828 and he died April 18, 1881.

Children of Nathan and Mary (Benjamin) Lewis:

1986. Martha Lewis b. December 18, 1830; d. June 7, 1882.
1987. Fernando Lewis b. February 6, 1834.
1988. Benjamin Conklin Lewis b. February 6, 1836; d. March 31, 1894; m. May 23, 1864 Gertrude Reiley and had: Kate Lewis b. May 1865, m. William Clark Newton in June 1896; John Lewis; and Eddie Lewis.
1989. Charles Carroll Lewis b. November 2, 1837; m. November 4, 1869 Hulda Skinner and had: Alfred, Jesse, and Nora Lewis.
1990. Lydia Ann Lewis b. August 30, 1830; d. March 4, 1840
1991. Nathan Dwight Lewis b. February 4, 1841; m. Dec. 27, 1871 Emily Pelton b. Oct. 26, 1839, dau. of William and Ermina (Hawley) Pelton of Sherman, N.Y.
1992. Mary Elizabeth Lewis b. September 23, 1846; m. November 4, 1868 John Straton Dunbar and had: Grace Lydia b. 1869, d. 1871; Alice Almonetta b. 1872, unm.; Ruth Ellen b. July 14, 1874 m. Freeman C. Pond in Utica, N.Y.

Resources: Records of Majel Lawrence of Medford, Oregon; p. 63 Hawley Rec., Hawley, 1890.

1007. PARK BENJAMIN[6] (David[5], John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born October 5, 1769 at Preston, Conn.; the son of David and Lucy (Parke Benjamin; died June 23, 1824 at the age of 55 at Demerara (Georgetown), West Indies. He married August 22, 1801 Mary Judith Gall of Demerara, West Indies. She was the dau. of William and Sarah (Gill) Gall and was born June 8, 1778 at the Barbadoes, West Indies and died February 12, 1878, age 70 years, at Norwich, Conn., when her dress caught on fire. She m/2 October 26, 1826 James Lanman of Norwich, the son of Peter and Sarah (Coit) Lanman. He was a Senator from Conn., mayor of Norwich, and Judge of the Supreme Court of Conn. He was born June 13, 1769 at Norwich and died August 7, 1841 at Norwich, Conn. They are both buried in the City Cemetery on Oak Street in Norwich.

Park learned the shoemaking business, possibly from his grandfather, and went into business with his brother, Elijah, but Park soon broke away and went into the West India trade.

The story of his life is full of adventure and enterprise. Left an orphan at the age of 16, with 4 younger brothers and 2 younger sisters, he probably lived for a

time with a relative. On January 14, 1790 Uncle Moses Park was appointed guardian for all these children and the next record for Park is on April 4, 1790 when he and Elijah lease from Jonathan Freeman of Preston certain land and buildings to errect a shoemaker's shop. (Preston Land Rec. Vol. 2 p. 492.)

Norwich and Preston had early followed maritime pursuits, but for a time the business declined on account of the Revolutionary War. After the war, the commerce of Norwich again revived and shared in the general impetus given to all foreign trade. Horses; cattle; grain; lumber as hoops and staves; beef; cheese; flaxseed; and potash were among the articles exchanged for hides; salt; rum; molasses; tea; coffee; sugar; and slaves. The West Indies trade offered great opportunities for profit, but were also a dangerous business. Gravestones at the Long Society (originally in the town of Norwich, but now a part of Preston) often note that the deceased was born or died in "Demarary" or "at Havana" or "near the coast of Spain".

In April 1795 in the sloop "Prosperity" Capt. Park Benjamin arrived in New London from Essequibo, bringing in also the ship "Polly", which had lost a rudder and sails. In March 1796 Park Benjamin, in the brig "Nancy" lost 45 mules overboard in a gale wind. Moses Benjamin, in the schooner "Beaver" lost 19 horses and 2 men in the same gale. On the return voyage, having a cargo valued at $50,000., he was carried into Granada, where he was obliged to pay largely to get cleared, and during the detention, lost his mate and all his people by putrid fever.

When the British obtained possession of the French Island in 1794, the American shipping was harrassed by both British and French privateers. The West India trade, through reviving, was carried under great hazards and difficulties. Park Benjamin, in the brig "Hannah" was twice taken in one voyage in 1797 and after some loss and detention, was released. Soon the war with Great Britian was foreshadowed, and trouble arose even more and the Benjamins were among the Norwich families who were affected.

Park made his will June 29, 1816 at Demarara, but it was invalidated because it did not name son Benjamin Henry, who was born after the making of the will. In New Haven, Conn. Probate Records (Vol. 37 p. 18) the will is set aside and Mary J. Benjamin is named administrator and Sherman Croswell with a bond of $5,000. (Ibid Vol. 37:544). Mary Lanman, late widow of Park, is given her third part of the real estate, which was valued at $940.50. (Ibid, Vol. 39 p. 34) Mary J. Benjamin is appointed guardian of the children and in Vol. 37 p. 75-6 is given a listing of the inventory. The personal estae was valued at $3,629.90.

After Mary Judith's second marriage, Judge Lanman acted with his wife in the settlement of the estates of Capt. Park Benjamin, her former husband, and of Margaret C. Gall, her sister. Her sister accompanied Capt. Park Benjamin on

his fatal voyage, and was drowned at sea.

On March 10, 1844 Mary J. Lanman quit claimed to Abby T. Lanman, all right to land and a house in E. Chelsea. (Norwich Land Records 51:322). This was witnessed by Mary A. Braggins, the old nurse of the Benjamin family, as she had other documents.

The will of Mrs. Lanman is dated July 16, 1847 and leaves her estate to her children: Park Benjamin, Mary Motlet; Susan Stackpole, and Benjamin H. Benjamin; to be equal ly divided between them with the proviso that Park's share be held in trust during his lifetime and after his decease, be conveyed to such persons as her son Park appoint. The value of her estate was $38,112.98. (Norwich Probate Rec. Vol. 18).

Children of Park and Mary J. (Gall) Benjamin:

1993. Park Benjamin b. August 1802 at Demerara (Georgetown) West India; d. April 1803.

1994. Sarah Benjamin b. January 2, 1804 at Demerara; d. April 1804.

1995. William Christopher Benjamin b. November 28, 1806 at Bridgeton Isle, Barbadoes; d. June 1824 at sea with his father.

*1996. Park Benjamin b. August 14, 1809 at Demerara, Br. Guiana.

*1997. Mary Elizabeth Benjamin b. April 7, 1813 at Demerara

*1998. Susan Margaret Benjamin b. 1815 at Demerara.

1999. Benjamin Henry Benjamin b. May 7, 1817 at Demerara, British Guiana; d. 1850 in Florence, Italy; m. Mary Anne Eugenia Laura --- in France. He went abroad to study medicine, settled in France, and spent his life abroad. His will was probated June 14, 1852 (Suffolk Co., Mass. Probate #37866) when Park Benjamin, a party in interest, appeared through his counsel, George H. Hillard, to object to allowance of the will. Samuel G. Goodrich, American Consul in Paris was asked to question the witnesses to the will, who were: Claudius Turral, M.D.; William Lawson; and William Lane. Epes Sargent of Boston petitioned for probate. The will gave all real estate and monies to wife with her as executrix. She declined in favor of Epes Sargent on Oct. 15, 1850. The will was allowed to stand by the Judge.

Resources: Gen. of Park Benjamin, Hoover; Benjamin Families of Norwich and Preston, Conn., Mrs. E. E. Rogers, 1917; Vol. 5 p. 227 Am. Ancestry; Wilson Papers.

1008. ELIJAH BENJAMIN[6] (David[5], John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born November 12, 1771 at Preston, Conn.; the son of David and Lucy (Parke) Benjamin; died February 16, 1813 at the age of 41 at Preston, Conn. (cr P-173), a suicide by hanging. He m/1 Amie (Amy) Brewster in 1793, the dau. of Capt. Ezra and

Amie (---) Brewster. She was born in 1773 at Norwich, Conn, and died June 5/6, 1794 at the age of 21, in child birth, at Preston, Conn. She is buried in the Long Society Cemetery. Elijah m/2 Deborah Newton on August 30, 1795 at Preston, Conn., the dau. of Jacob and Lydia (---) Newton. She was born 1776 and died December 28, 1803/4 at Preston (cr) and is also buried in the Long Society Cemetery. He m/3 Martha (Patty) Newton on February 24, 1805 at North Groton, Conn. (Private rec.), the dau. of Abel and Sylvia (---) Newton of Groton. She was born February 6, 1778 and died October 11, 1835 at the age of 57. (First Church cr).

On January 14, 1790 Elijah selected Moses Parke, brother of his mother, as his guardian.

Elijah lived in Preston, where on April 4, 1792, "Park Benjamin and Elijah Benjamin of Preston" leased from Jonathan Freeman of Preston certain land bounded by Truman's land, land of Nehemiah Corning, and the river, with a dwelling house and barn, for a period of ten years, beginning the first of April 1794; with the liberty of erecting a shoemaker's shop and the privilege of sinking vats. (Land Rec. Preston, Conn. Vol. 2 p. 492.) By 1795 Park had left the business.

Elijah was a shoemaker and later a horse breeder and mule trader.

On Nov. 19, 1801 Elijah deeded some land to Jacob Newton (Ibid 11:90) and on Feb. 4, 1805 Stephen Fillmore sold to Elijah three acres of land in Preston, with the dwelling house and other appurtenances. (Ibid 14:111.)

At the Court of Probate held in Norwich on March 2, 1813, Mrs. Patty Benjamin and Capt. Moses Benjamin were appointed administrators of the estate of Elijah. (Journal 7-82.) On July 8, 1813 Mrs. Patty Benjamin informed the Court that Capt. Moses Benjamin had died and asked that Mr. Jacob Newton be appointed in his place. (Ibid, 7:106). In the settlement of his estate he is called "Captain" and the inventory included a "Military Hat" and also "one stud horse "Peacock", now in the hands of Esquire Farnham of Chester, Mass. $50." The widow Martha Benjamin's thirds were set out to her Nov. 17, 1813 and included a part of the farm near John Haskell's, Jacob Newton's, and heirs of Jesse Palmer (Ibid, 12:240).

Widow Martha Benjamin was baptized at the First Church of Preston, Conn. on Jan. 18, 1829 and was admitted to the church on the same day.

Children of Elijah and Amie (Brewster) Benjamin:

2000. Child, still born April 31, 1794 at Preston, Conn.; buried in the Long Society Cemetery.

Children of Elijah and Deborah (Newton) Benjamin:

*2001. Seabury (Sebra) Newton Benjamin b. July 15, 1796 at Preston, Conn.

*2002. Anna Benjamin b. May 16, 1798 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-316.).

*2003. Russell Benjamin b. April 27, 1800 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-316).
*2004. Nathan Benjamin b. October 10, 1802 at Preston. (vr 2-316).
*2005. Elijah L. Benjamin b. 1803/4 at Preston, Conn.

Children of Elijah and Martha (Newton) Benjamin:
*2006. Rufus Benjamin b. June 22, 1805 at Preston, Conn.
2007. Deborah Benjamin b. August 15, 1807 at Preston, Conn (vr 2-316); d. February 9, 1808.
*2008. David Benjamin b. June 18, 1809 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-316).
*2009. Lucy Ann Maria Benjamin b. 1810/11 at Preston, Conn.

Resources: Gen. of Park Benjamin; Hoover; p. 117 Brewster Gen. 1566-1907, Jones; Extracts of Probate Records, L. B. Barbour; Benjamin Family of Norwich and Preston, Conn., Mrs E. E. Rogers, 1911; Records of Jerrard Benjamin of Portland Maine.

1009. MOSES BENJAMIN[6] (David[5], John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born July 5, 1774 at Preston, Conn.; the son of David and Lucy (Parke Benjamin; died July 5, 1813 at the age of 39 (gs) at Norwich, Conn. of typhoid fever (he was sick 12 days). He is buried in the City Cemetery at Norwich in lot #9-674 with all three of his wives. He m/1 Martha Avery on February18, 1798 (vr 1-580), the dau. of James and Martha (Smith) Avery. She was born August 22, 1773 and died September 12, 1800 at the age of 27 at Norwich, Conn. (gs). He m/2 Jerusha Avery a sister of his first wife, on December 15, 1801 at Preston Conn. (vr 1-580). She was the dau. of James and Martha (Smith) Avery and was born March 6, 1781 at Preston and died Agust 9, 1803, at the age of 22 at Norwich. (gs). He m/3 Cynthia Billings on September 9, 1804 (vr 1-582), the dau. of Capt. Stephen and Anne (Raymond) Billings of Montville, Conn. She was born 1784 and died September 15, 1807 at the age of 23 at Norwich. (gs). He m/4 Thankful Williams on October 12, 1808, the dau. of George and Nancy (Hewitt) Williams of Notville, Conn. She was born February 18, 1785 and died September 21, 1831 of T.B. She is the only wife not buried with her husband. She is buried in the New London Cemetery, lot #1-98.

Moses Parke, brother of Lucy Parke, was named his guard ian on January 14, 1790 at Norwich.

Moses Benjamin lived in Preston until 1798, when on March 15th he purchased from Capt. Stephen Colver of Norwich, a small lot of land with a dwelling house in Chelsea Society in Norwich; the lot is described as "lying on the southerly side of the highway called 'the back street'. In the earliest days of Norwich, this section was called "The Landing" and 'the back street' is now Church Street.

Capt. Moses early engaged in the profitable, if perlious, trade with the West Indies and encountered the usual

successes and visissitudes of the business. In March 1796, when Captain of the schooner 'Beaver', he lost 19 horses and 2 men in a heavy gale.

He seems also to have acted as an agent, as shown by the advertisment of October 7, 1806: "The beautiful staunch ship 'Thames', Jonathan Lester, will take a freight of 30 horses, cattle, or mules and 400 barrels in board. Apply to S. Woodbridge or M. Benjamin."

On June 19, 1812, war was declared by Great Britian and an English squadron was soon in Long Island Sound. The commerce ceased and vessels were dismantled and left to decay. An effective blockade continued for nearly two years. Many merchants and captains, whose fortunes were tied up in their cargoes, were forced into bankruptcy. That this affected Capt. Moses is shown by an item from the inventory of his estate: "Claim by appeal on the brig 'Park' condemed at Demarary by ye court of Vice Admiralty in the Spring of 1812. Amount of condemnation about $3,000." (Probate Rec. Norwich, Conn. 12:215).

On July 14, 1813 Mrs. Thankful Benjamin and Capt. Cushing Eells were appointed administrators of Moses' estate, and on August 3rd they represented the estate as insolvent. On March 8, 1814, Capt. Cushing Eells asked the court for an allowance for the widow for family expenses. On March 30, 1814 Thankful sold to Capt. James N. Brown the land and home in the Parish of Chelsea. (Land Rec., Norwich, 36:65 and 36:485).

At the Court of Probate in Norwich on Sept. 22, 1813, Stephen Benjamin was appointed guardian of George Benjamin and James Avery was appointed guardian for Moses Benjamin and Capt. Stephen Billings of Groton, Conn. was appointed guardian of Henry Benjamin on April 5, 1814. (Probate Rec. 7:113, 174, 142, 159).

Children of Moses and Martha (Avery) Benjamin:

*2010. Charles Benjamin b. December 28, 1799 at Norwich.

2011. George A. Benjamin b. July 25, 1800 at Norwich, Conn d. unmarried February 20, 1840 at Demarara (George town), British Guiana. On Nov. 9, 1814, when he was 14 years old, he chose Col. Freeman Tracy as his guardian. (Probate Rec. 7:174).

Children of Moses andJerusha (Avery) Benjamin:

2012. Moses C. Benjamin b. November 25, 1802 at Norwich, Conn.; d. unmarried November 24, 1845 at Georgetown, British Guiana.

Children of Moses and Cynthia (Billings) Benjamin:

2013. Henry Benjamin b. June 18, 1805 at Norwich, Conn.; d. unmarried June 1830 at the age of 25 in New Orleans, La.; gs New London Cem. lot #1-98.

2014. Cynthia A. Benjamin b. 1806 at Norwich, Conn.; d. 1866 (gs) and buried in the Norwich, Conn. Cemetery lot #9-674.

Children of Moses and Thankful (Williams) Benjamin:

2015. John Benjamin b. July 15, 1899 at Norwich; d. July 11, 1811.

2016. James B. Benjamin b. February 17, 1811 at Norwich, Conn.; died at sea on the brig 'Neston'. In his obit, he was listed as being 'of Demararia, formerly of Norwich;' g.s. New London Cem. lot #1-98.

*2017. William Park Benjamin b. July 13, 1813 at Norwich.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Gen.of Park Benjamin, Hoover; p. 364 Avery Gen., Avery, 1912; p. 44 & 105 Gen. of William Chesebrough, Widdey, 1903; Mayflower Index #38356; Norwich, Conn. Vital Records; Hist.of Norwich and Preston, Caulkins; Benjamin Family of Preston and Norwich, Mrs. E. E. Rogers.

1010. STEPHEN BENJAMIN[6] (David[5], John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born September 15, 1775/6 at Preston, Conn.; the son of David and Lucy (Parke) Benjamin; died June 2, 1821 at the age of 46 (gs) at Colchester, Conn. He married Barbara Phillips of Preston on March 7, 1799 at the First Cong. Church at Griswold (cr 1-54). She was the dau. of Jeremiah and Margaret (Benjamin) Phillips and was Stephen's cousin. She was born in 1779 and died February/March 13/14, 1846 at Colchester, Conn. at the age of 67 (gs).

Stephen bought land in Preston and Norwich. The land in Norwich was purchased from Samuel Comstock and Daniel Smith and on April 29, 1816 he mortgaged the land to George Tisdale and on May 3, 1816 he mortgaged it to his brother, Park Benjamin. (Norwich Land Rec. 26:485). Not long after this, he removed to Colchester, and on Nov. 4, 1817 he sold for $20. to William Ayers of Preston, all his right to the land in Preston, the one undivided seventh of the real estate that was set out to the heirs of Lucy Benjamin, deceased, in the estate of Zebulon Park. (Land Rec Preston 17:300). He bought land on the Norwich Road in Colchester Dec. 14, 1807. (Land Rec. Colchester 16:302), but sold the house in which he lived to Widow Abigail Ayer on March 27, 1811. (Colchester Land Rec. 16:237).

On August 20, 1794 he selected Capt. Nathan Geer of Preston, Conn. as his guardian.

He died laving an insolvent estate and his debts amounted to over $249. and there was not enough in his estate to cover them. (Colchester Probate Rec. 8:279). After his death, his widow supposedly removed to Norwich, but later returned to Colchester.

Children of Stephen and Barbara (Phillips) Benjamin:

*2018. Stephen Park Benjamin b. March 3, 1800 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-264).

*2019. Elvira (Eliza) Benjamin b. February 18, 1802 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-264).

2020. Esther Benjamin b. May 9, 1804 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-264); d. January 25, 1849; Charles A. Swift was

the conservator for Esther, who was insane. He resigned his trust and Harriet E. Benjamin was appointed by the Court to replace him and she was acting in that capacity in 1850. (Colchester Prob. Rec. 11:457).

2021. Lucy Benjamin b. June 12, 1806; d. October 24, 1871 at Wayne Co., New York; m. November 15, 1824 Charles Lamphere. The wedding took place at her Mother's home in Norwich.

2022. Mary Raymond Benjamin b. May 8, 1807 at Colchester (vr 2-27); d. October 3, 1818, age 11 years and is buried in the Colchester Cem., lot #15-130.

2023. Olive Benjamin b. October 16, 1810; d. April 8, 1811 and buried in the Long Society Cemetery, lot #15-130.

*2024. Henrietta Benjamin b. April 1, 1815 at Colchester.

2025. Emily C. Benjamin b. March 1, 1817 at Colchester; m. April 17, 1838 Henry W. Rathbone of Salem, Conn.

2026. Harriet Elizabeth Benjamin b. November 6, 1819 at Colchester, Conn.; m. February 2, 1852 in Colchester Gilbert B./R. Darrow of E. Lynn and Stonington.

Resources: Gen. of Park Benjamin, Hoover; p. 57 Book 4 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey; Benjamin Family of Norwich and Preston, Conn., Mrs. E. E. Rogers, 1917; p. 85 Rathbone Gen., Cooley,1908; Records of Mrs. Lloyd Brown of Colchester, Conn. Hist. Society.

1018. RUFUS AUGUSTUS BENJAMIN[6] (John[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born December 15/25, 1775 at Preston, Conn. (vr 1-105); the son of John and Grace (Waite) Benjamin; died October 6, 1818 at Biloxi, Mississippi or May 15, 1841 at Hunter, New York. (The last seems more correct!) He married Catherine Grant born 1770-80, in Green County, New York. She was a woman of Holland descent, who lived a long life.

He resided first at Windham, Green Co., N.Y.and was listed in the 1820 census at Hunter, Green Co., N.Y. with: 2 m. 0/10; 2 m. 10/16; 1 m. 16/18; 1 m. 16/26; 1 m. 45+// 4 f. 0/10; 2 f. 10/16; 1 f. 16/26; 1 f. 26/45 and 1 slave. In this census he was named Augustus R. Benjamin, but in the 1830 census of the same place is named Rufus A. Benjamin. In the Green Co., N.Y. Land Records he bought land from J. Groat on March 1814 (E:197); on April 1819 S. Simmons sold 100 acres of land to Augustus R. (E:2-4); and on March 1825 Augustus R. and wife Catherine were named in a land record (I:4,5). In all of these he is "of Windham". On May 1831 he bought a lot in Hunter from D. Ingersoll (R:59); on June 1840 he bought 100 acres from S. Palmatior (29:234); and on Dec. 1846, he is again named, now of Hunter. (39:5).

His will is on file in Green County Probate Rec. (Box 19:537) and names wife Catherine and son Augustus as executors. Catherine renounces her administration and the

name of Moses Benjamin appears as a witness.

Children of Rufus A. and Catherine (Grant/Groat) Benjamin:

*2027. Aaron Benjamin bc. 1797.
*2028. Joseph Benjamin bc. 1800.
*2029. Augustus Benjamin bc. 1802.
2030. Moses Benjamin b. 1800-10.
*2031. John B./V. Benjamin b. May 19, 1806 at Green Co.,NY.
*2032. Medad Benjamin b. 1804 or 1810.
*2033. George W. Benjamin b. 1823 at Hunter, Green Co., NY.
2034. Margaret Benjamin; m. Daniel Lindsey.
2035. Grace Benjamin; m. John B. Lindsey.
2036. Sarah (Sally) Benjamin; m. Oliver Ingals.
2037. Olive Benjamin b. Aug. 9, 1818; m. June 10, 1837 Horace Linsley; resided Hennepen and Streator, Illinois and had son John Calvin Linsley b. Jan. 28, 1839.
2038. Catherine Benjamin; m. Phillip Howard; had dau. Sarah Howard b. April 13, 1831 m. Nov. 9, 1850 James Van Steenberg.
2039. Lewis Benjamin.
2040. Clarissa Benjamin; m. Fredrick Olmstead.

Resources: Benjamin Family of Peoria Co., Ill. by F. A. Benjamin; Information from George W.'s death certificate and research in Green Co. by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1034. IRA BENJAMIN[6] (Barzillia[5], Jabez[4], John[3], Joseph[2], John[1]) born between 1790-1800; the possible son of Barzillia and Mary (---) Benjamin. He m/1 Lovina --- b. 1800-10. He m/2 Sophia Whitney on November 28, 1844 at Stafford, Vermont (vr), the dau. of Ebenezer and Rachel (Rawson) Whitney. She was born December 13, 1796 and died March 19, 1850.

Ira is listed in the 1830 census at Bethel, Windsor Co. Vermont with: 2 m. 0/5; 2 m. 5/10; 1 m. 30/40// 1 f. 10/15; 1 f. 20/30.

Possible children of Ira and Lovina (---) Benjamin:

2041. Barzillae Benjamin b. May 2, 1821 at Pittsfield, Vt. (vr); m. Rhoda L. Peabody on Sept. 23, 1851. She was the dau. of Isaac Kittridge and Clarissa (Gray) Peabody, b. 1834 at Middleton, Vt. and d. Nov. 17, 1857 at Sunderland, Bennington Co., Vt. (vr).
2042. 1 female b. 1815-20.
2043. 1 m. b. 1820-25.
*2044. 1 m. b. 1825-30; perhaps James Benjamin b. 1830 at Strafford, Vermont (vr).

Resources: p. 188 Desc. of John Whitney, Pierce, 1895; p. 132 Peabody Gen., Peabody, 1909; Vermont Vital Records.

1035. EBENEZER W. BENJAMIN[6] (Barzillia[5], Jabez[4], John[3], Joseph[2], John[1]) born May 27, 1804 at Bethel, Vermont (vr); the pos-

sible son of Barzillia and Mary (---) Benjamin; died January 8, 1877 at the age of 72-7-12 at Norwich, Vermont of dropsey. (vr). He m/1 Jane Niles on June 8, 1824 at Bethel Vt. (vr). He may have m/2 Philinda (Filinda) Thurston, dau. of Edward and Delinda (Wallace) Thurston. And, if so, then he m/3 Lovey Judd, dau. of Phillip and Lucy (---) Judd b. 1801 at Stafford, Vt. and died October 28, 1861 at Sharon, Vermont at the age of 60, when she was burned to death. (vr).

In 1860 he is listed in the Stafford, Orange Co., Vermont census in the home of Ellen and Vesper Hubbard

Children of Ebenezer W. Benjamin:

*2045. Thomas G./J. Benjamin b. February 18, 1831 at Sharon Vermont. (vr).

2046. Ellen T. Benjamin b. 1832; m. Vesper T. Hubbard and had son Cyrus Hubbard bc. 1857.

*2047. William E. Benjamin b. July 8, 1836 at Sharon, Vt.

2048. Charles Benjamin bc. 1847/8.

?2049. Orin D. Benjamin b. 1850; m. May 2, 1881 Jennie Luce at Norwich, Vt. (vr). He died May 13, 1884, age 33-3-27 at Norwich. (vr), Vt.

2050. Mary Harriet Benjamin b. March 17, 1824; d. March 19 1883 at Stafford, Vt.; mc. 1845 Daniel Clement Jr. b. Nov. 19, 1822 at Hopkinton, N.H., d. July 1, 1858, son of Daniel and Spida (Cochrane) Clement.

Resources: Vermont Vital Records; p. 706 Clement Gen., Clement, 1927.

1046. JOHN C. BENJAMIN^{6} (John^{5-4-3}, Caleb^{2}, John^{1}) born April 5, 1754 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of John and Lucretia (Backus) Benjamin; died October 30, 1817 at the age of 63 at Stratford, Conn. He married Anna Brooks on February 8, 1773 at Stratford, Conn.

He is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Stratford, Fairfield Co., Conn. with 2-2-5.

John was a sergeant in the 2nd Contiental Army of the Revolutionary War on June 5, 1777 and a 2nt Lt. on Sept. 1778. He resigned Nov. 14, 1780, but was a Capt. in the 13th Infantry on February 1799. He received an honorable discharge June 15, 1800 in either the reserve or the Milita. He is called "Major" in his obit.

Children of John C. and Ann (Brooks) Benjamin:

2051. Catherine Brooks Benjamin b. December 31, 1773 at Stratford, Conn.

2052. Anna Clarissa Benjamin b. September 12, 1780 at Stratford, Conn. (vr 5-83).

*2053. John Everard Benjamin b. June 5, 1782 at Stratford.

*2054. Lucretia Olivia Benjamin b. August 16, 1787 at Stratford, Conn. (vr 5-83).

*2055. Peter Woodward Benjamin b. November 6, 1788 at Strat ford, Conn.

2056. Delucina Benjamin b. March 7, 1790 at Stratford, Conn. (vr 5-83).
2057. Deborah Benjamin, a twin, b. March 7, 1790 at Stratford, Conn. (vr 5-83).
2058. David Benjamin b. September 1791 at Stratford.

Resources: p. 1146 Hist. of Stratford, Conn.; Hale's Collection of Conn. Vital Records; p. 503 Desc. of Richard Austin, Moore and Day.

1047. SIBYLE BENJAMIN[6] (John[5-4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born September 28 1755 at Stratford, Conn.; the dau. of John and Lucretia (Backus) Benjamin; died September 19, 1814 (gs) at the age of 59 at Bridgeport, at the home of her son-in-law Brooks. She is buried in the Grove Street Cemetery at New Haven, Conn., lot #1-162. She married Rev. Isaac Jones of New Haven on January 23, 1774 at New Haven. He was the son of Timothy and Ann (Goodrich) Jones and was born December 21, 1738 at New Haven and was buried May 22, 1812. He had m/1 Elizabeth Trowbridge and m/2 Lucy Goodrich.

He was a merchant in New Haven and graduated from Yale in 1757.

Children of Isaac and Sibyle (Benjamin) Jones:
2059. Isaac Jones Jr. b. February 18, 1775 at New Haven; d. October 9/17, 1850/2 at Litchfield, Conn.; m. 1804 Tabitha Thomas, dau. of Hezekiah and Chloe (Beecher) Thomas, b. May 18, 1787 at Woodbridge, Conn.
2060. Mary Jones b. October 2, 1777; d. August 1850 at Litchfield, Conn.; m. 1800 Ozias Lewis Jr. of Litchfield.
2061. William Henry Jones b. November 3, 1778; m. Sarah Barker; taught school in Athens, Georgia.
2062. Amelia Jones bapt. 1791; m. Charles Goodrich.
2063. Timothy Jones bapt. 1791; graduated from Yale; resided in Southington, Conn. and practiced medicine.
2064. Algernon Sidney Jones b. June 1786; d. February 23, 1858; m. 1812 Frances Farnham.
2065. Harriet Jones bapt. 1791; m. Benjamin Brooks of Bridgeport, Conn.; was married in the parlor of Asa Benjamin's home in E. Bridgeport, Conn., now called Stratford, Conn. They lived in the house many years and he died there. A dau., Mrs. Noble, lived there in 1899.
2066. Frances Jones bapt. 1791.

Resources: Browne, Foster, and Related Families, Browne, 1967; Wilson Papers; Boston Transcript July 21, 1930.

1048. COL. AARON BENJAMIN[6] (John[5-4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born August 17, 1757 at Stratford, Conn. (vr 1-58); the son of John and Lucretia (Backus) Benjamin; died November 3/22, 1828 at the

age of 72 (gs) at Stratford, Conn. He married Dorothy Brooks of E. Bridgeport, Conn. on February 1, 1787 at Stratford, Conn. (vr 1-121). She was the dau. of Benjamin Brooks and was born March 3, 1768 and died October 5, 1853 at the age of 85 (gs). She is buried in the Stratford Cemetery lot #4-524.

He is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Stratford, Fairfield Co., Conn. with 1-1-2, and in the same place in the 1800 and 1810 census.

Aaron enlisted in the Revolutionary War in July 1775, when he was not quite 18 years of age, and remained in service until 1815. He was under fire more than 100 times. He was an Ensign in the 8th Conn. Regt. in January 1777 and also served in the 3rd and 5th Regts. and became a Lt. Col. He was discharged June 15, 1815. His wife, Dorothy, received a pension #W25223.

Children of Aaron and Dorothy (Brooks) Benjamin:

2067. Delia Benjamin b. February 29, 1788 at Stratford, Conn.; m. Philo Dickerson.

2068. Delucina Pulaski Benjamin b. April 3, 1790 at Stratford (vr 5-121); d. August 7, 1794 at Stratford, Conn.

2069. Olivia Eloiza Benjamin b. March 7, 1792 at Stratford (vr 2-121); d. unm. January 6, 1853 (gs) and is buried at Stratford Cemetery, lot #4-524.

2070. Alvira Benjamin b. February 8, 1794 at Stratford, Conn. (vr 5-121); m. Captain Samuel C. Nicoll on February 23, 1820.

*2071. Delucina Pulaski Benjamin b. March 22, 1796 at Stratford, Conn. (vr 5-121).

*2072. William Massena Benjamin b. January 1/3, 1800 at Stratford.

*2073. John C. Benjamin b. July 11, 1802 at Stratford.

2074. Richard Montgomery Benjamin b. February 29, 1805 at Stratford (vr 5-121); d. August 20, 1805.

2075. Lucy Emily Benjamin, a twin, b. February 20, 1805; d. November 2, 1880 and buried at Stratford Cemetery, lot #1-47; m. --- Purcell.

*2076. Frederick Augustus Benjamin b. September 24, 1807 at Stratford, Conn.

Resources: Vol. 11 p.181 Public Rec.of State of Conn., p. 1146 Hist. of Stratford, Conn., Orcutt, 1886; Vol. 29 National Cyclopaedia of Am. Biog.; p. 100 Book 5 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey; Wilson Papers; Providence R.I. Journal of Deaths; Vol. 6 p. 35 Records of State of Conn., Hoadly; Hale Colletion of Conn. Vital Records and Cemetery Records; Barbour Collection of Conn. Vital Records.

1050. CLARA BENJAMIN^{6} (John^{5-4-3}, Caleb^{2}, John^{1}) born May 13, 1762 at Stratford, Conn.; the dau. of John and Lucretia (Backus) Benjamin; died August 13, 1843 at Columbus, Georgia. She married Josiah Meigs of Middletown, Conn. and Washington DC

on January 20, 1782. He was the son of Return Jonathan and Grace (Starr) Meigs and was born August 21, 1757 at Middletown, Conn. and died September 4, 1822.

He graduated from Yale College in 1738 and was a proffesor at Yale and the first President of the University of Georgia. He was Secretary of the W. S. Land Office at Washington, D.C.

Children of Josiah and Clara (Benjamin) Meigs:

*2077. Henry Meigs b. October 28, 1782 at New Haven, Conn.

2078. Clara Meigs b. September 18, 1784; d. July 17, 1853; m. John Forsyth of Columbus, Georgia. He was Secretary of State under Presidents Jackson and Van Buren. They had a dau. who m. General Meade and their son became Admiral Meade.

2079. Julia Meigs b. April 1, 1787; d. October 26, 1787.

2080. Samuel William Meigs b. Dec. 1, 1788; d. July 1,1818

*2081. Charles Delucena Meigs b. --- 19, 1792 at Bermuda.

2082. Lea Meigs b. at sea May 19, 1794; d.May 1794.

2083. Juliana Meigs b. July 18, 1795; d. July 18, 1808.

2084. Ezra Stiles Meigs b. August 8, 1801; d. 1842.

2085. John Benjamin Meigs b. June 1808.

Resources: p. 514-5 Vol. 2 ColonialFam. of U.S., McKenzie.

1051. ASA (ASAPH) BENJAMIN^{6} (John^{5-4-3}, Caleb^{2}, John^{1}) born December 2/12, 1763 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of John and Lucretia (Backus) Benjamin; died August 13, 1833 at the age of 70 years at E. Bridgeport, Conn. (gs). He married Hannah Plant on October 7, 1787 at Stratford, Conn. She was the dau. of Solomon Plant and the sister of Governor Plant of Conn. She was born October 25, 1770/1 and died May 31, 1829, age 58 (gs). They are both buried in the Bridgeport Cemetery lot #4-148.

They lived at Stratford until 1821, when they moved to Bridgeport, Conn. He was a cordage manufacturer.

He served in the Conn. troops in the Revolutionar War for two years and three months and was pensioned April 10, 1833. (Pension #S12207). He was present when Major Andre was hung at Tappan on Oct. 1780. He enlisted March 1779 in the Company of Guards or State Troops stationed at the town of Stratford under the command of Lt. Samuel Patterson

He was listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Stratford, Conn. with 1-1-1 and at the same place in the 1800 and 1810 census.

Children of Asa and Hannah (Plant) Benjamin:

2086. Everard Benjamin b. January 24, 1791 at Stratford, Conn. (vr 5-105); d. September 10, 1817 at New Orleans, age 26. He was a soldier in the War of 1812 and was taken a prisoner and died (one reference said in France)?and another death date is given as August 31, 1817. He was a Captain.

2087. Meigs Delucena Benjamin b. October 16, 1792 at Strat

ford, Conn. (vr 5-105); d. August 15, 1794, at the age of 2 years.

*2088. Meigs Delucena Benjamin b. September 13, 1795 at Stratford, Conn.

2089. Sally Matilda Benjamin b. September 14, 1779 at Stratford; d. December 30, 1800, age 1 year.

*2090. Sally Matilda Benjamin b. October 18, 1801 at Stratford, Conn.

*2091. Hannah Marion (Maria) Benjamin b. August 28, 1809 at Stratford, Conn. (vr 5-105).

2092. Delia Benjamin b. September 10, 1814 at Stratford; (vr 5-105); d. October 8, 1815.

Resources: p. 1146 Hist. of Stratford, Conn., Orcutt; Vol. 26 p. 34 DAR Lineage Book; Book 5 p. 100 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey; Wilson Papers, which included information from Asa's family Bible; Vol. 6, 7, & 8 Records of State of Conn., Hoadly, 1922.

1056. WILLIAM DELUCINA BENJAMIN[6] (John[5-4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born March 7, 1773 at Stratford, Conn.; theson of John and Lucretia (Backus) Benjamin; died July 13, 1852 at the age of 79 at Stratford (gs). He married Sarah Marie ---, who was born October 1782 and died April 1853. (gs). They are both buried at the Stratford Cemetery, lot #4-524.

Children of William D. and Sarah (---) Benjamin:

2093. William Benjamin. According to Dr. Wilson's records, he died in Brooklyn, N.Y. in 1875. A William Benjamin Jr. m. Ann D. Steele on September 1, 1835 at the Brooklyn Dutch Reform Church in New York City. Also, a William Benjamin died December 16, 1835 and is buried in the Stratford lot #4-522, (which would be in his grandfather John's lot.)

2094. Everard Benjamin. He married and had a daugher, who m. Mr. Gordon of Utica, New York.

Resources: Vol. 72 p. 243-4 N.Y. Gen. and Biog. Record; Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records.

1060. GIDEON BENJAMIN[6] (George[5]John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born November 17, 1759 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of George and Mary (Howe) Benjamin; died November 5, 1846 at the age of 87 (gs), at Stratford, Conn. He married Sarah Booth, the dau. of John and Abigail (Paterson) Booth, who was born in 1759 and died January 16, 1841, at the age of 81 (gs) at Stratford. They are both buried in the Stratford Cemetery, lot #21-522.

Gideon is listed in the 1800 and 1810 census at Stratford, Conn.

Children of Gideon and Sarah (Booth) Benjamin:

2095. Mary Benjamin b. 1785-92; d. at 19 years of age.

*2096. Delucena Benjamin b. 1784-90 at Stratford, in the

old Benjamin Inn or Tavern.

2097. Harriet Benjamin b. 1785-92; m. Samuel Peet; had dau Abbie Peet, who m. Henry Edwards and dau. Isadore Peet, who resided in Bridgeport, Conn.

*2098. Sarah Benjamin b. June 1, 1794 at Stratford, Conn.

*2099. Hiram B. Benjamin b. 1796 at Stratford.

*2100. William Hiatt Benjamin b. 1797 at Stratford.

*2101. George M. (or R./S.) Benjamin b. 1800 at Stratford.

*2102. Robert Charles Benjamin b. November 2, 1803 at Stratford, Conn.

Resources: Vol. 8 p. 135, Vol. 49 p. 157, Vol. 91 p. 155 DAR Lineage Books; Wilson Records; Bible and Family Records at Hartford State Library, Conn.

1062. ALICE (ELLIS) BENJAMIN[6] (George[5], John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born September 8, 1764 at Stratford, Conn. (vr 5-65); the dau. of George and Mary (Howe) Benjamin; died May 1, 1862, age 98, at Stratford, Conn. She married John Thompson on January/February 19, 1786 at Stratford, Conn. (vr 5-76). He was the son of Capt. William and Mehitable (Uffit/Uffort Thompson and was born July 17, 1763 and died July 16, 1836 at Stratford, Conn.

He was in the Revolutionary War and received a pension, #W25480. He enlisted at Stratford, under the command of Capt. James Burton.

Children of John and Alice (Benjamin) Thompson:

2103. Caroline Thompson; m. Dr. William Sheeton.

2104. Joseph Thompson b. June 12, 1806 at Stratford, Conn. d. February 26, 1876 at Bridgeport, Conn.; m. July 18, 1831 Harriet Marie Kirkland.

2105. Mary Hough Thompson; m. William H. Stevenson.

Resources: p. 436 Gen. of Bostwick Fam., Bostwick, 1901; Vol. 7 p. 70, Vol. 31 p. 206 DAR Lineage Books; p. 54 War Pension Abstracts; Thompson Family Ass.

?1063. JOHN BENJAMIN[6] (George[5], John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born 1766/1767 at Stratford, Conn.; the possible son of George and Mary (Howe) Benjamin. He married about 1790 ---.

He was called both "of Stratford and Preston" and served in the Conn. Line in 1777-81

Resources: Conn. Society Collection, Vol. 8.

1063. DAVID BLISS BENJAMIN[6] (George[5], John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born January 29, 1771 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of George and Mary (Howe) Benjamin. He married Esther Benjamin, dau. of Jacob and Esther (Dunham) Benjamin. She was born October 25, 1774 at West Windsor, Hartford Co., Conn. and died March 1864.

The names of their children are unknown at this time.

Resource: Family Group Sheet found in the Library of Latter Day Saints in Salt Lake City, Utah.

1068. PHILIP BENJAMIN[6] (George[5], John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born January 27, 1775 at Stratford, Conn.; theson of George and Mary (Howe) Benjamin. His marriage is unknown.

He was an Ensign in the New York Militia in 1813 and was in the 1800 census of Stratford, Conn. with: 1-0-1-1-0//2-1-1-0-0...so obviously he had a family.

Resource: Census Records.

1076. JOSEPH D. (?DRAKE) BENJAMIN[6] (Elnathan[5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 177/8 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of Elnathan and Mary (---) Benjamin. (If Elnathan was married only once, then his mother was Jane Drake.); bapt. December 1771 at Stratford, Conn. (cr); died September 19, 1828, age 50 (gs) and buried in the Galick Farm Cemetery at West Haven, Vermont. He m/1 Betty Curtis on July 25, 1795 at Stratford, Conn. (vr) and m/2 Sarah (Sally) Rice (Race) on December 30, 1804 at Hamton, Washington Co., New York, the dau. of Isaac and Sarah (Cleveland) Race. She was born in 1776 and died April 10, 1869 at Hampton, N.Y. (Note: Another account gives his wife's name as Sarah Washburn of Whitehall, N.Y.)

Joseph is listed in the 1800 census of Rutland, Vermont with self, wife, and son under 10 years. He is listed in the 1810 census at Salem, Washington Co., N.Y. with: 0-2-0-1-0//2-1-0-1-0 and again in the 1820 and 1825 census of Whitehall, Washington Co., N.Y.

In 1806 Joseph Drake Benjamin bought for $500. land from Jeremiah Adams and wife Patience, but it wasn't filed until 1815. In 1825 he sold land to his dau. Eliza and also dau. Charity and William Hannes. In 1826 he and wife Sarah sold land to Israel Howe, and in 1831 his two daus. sold land to Datty Allen.

A Joseph Benjamin was a Lt. from Washington Co., N.Y. in 1807 with the N.Y. Militia and in the War of 1812, a Joseph Benjamin is listed from Fairhaven, Vt.

However, there was also a Drake Benjamin, an Ensign, in the Washington County, N.Y. Militia in 1807 and in the 1800 census in Rutland Co., Westhaven, Vermont with both he and a wife in the 16-24 age group with no children. This indicates to your compilier that there were two separate individuals, one Joseph D. Benjamin and the other Drake Benjamin.

Joseph Benjamin was on the assessment roll of Whitehall New York in 1805.

Children of Joseph and Betty (Curtis) Benjamin:

*2106. Nathan Benjamin b. 1794-1800; prob. in Conn.

2107. Charity Benjamin b. May 27, 1802; m. Deacon William Hannas (Hannis).

2108. Eliza Benjamin bc. 1806 in Whitehall, N.Y.; d. December 1891; m. Rev. Gershom Day, a clergyman and brother of Henry Day.

Resources: p. 102 Book 5 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey; p. 458 Hist. of Fair Haven, Vt., Adams; Vol. 3 p. 682 & 720 Vermont Hist. Gazateer.

1077. CHARITY BENJAMIN[6] (Elnathan[5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born February 6, 1769 at Stratford, Conn.; the dau. of Elnathan and Mary (---) or Jane (Drake) Benjamin; bapt. March 1769 at Stratford, Conn.; died December 26, 1851 at Medina, Ohio. She married January 30, 1791 at Hartford, Conn. (vr) Joseph Winthrop Northrup/Northrop.

They moved from Brookfield, Conn. to Cornwall in Feb. 1796, and ten years later left for the Western Reserve section of Ohio. Two of their sons went ahead and put up a log cabin for their family. Nira B. Northrop published a book in 1861 on the pioneer history of Medina Co. In it is said, "In Nov. 1816, Dathan Northrop came on and put up the logs and roof of the cabin for Joseph Northrop and family, who had stopped in Nelson, Portage Co., and waited for sled ding until the last of Jan. 1817, when they removed to Medina and went in with Esq. Ferris. There they remained until they could mud up the cabin. In order to do this, they had to heat water, and dig through the snow, then 8 inches deep. This being accomplished, they moved into it the 6th day of Feb.1817, without door, floor, or chimney. The weather was very cold, but plenty of wood was at hand, and they were quite comfortable and thankful. In a few days, built a stick chimney, hewed puncheon boards for door and table. Pole bedsteads and stools or benches constituted the furniture for the time being."

The first election for township officers for Medina was held on April 6, 1818 and Joseph Northrop was elected one of three trustees. Their house was about the third built in Medina. The First Congregational Church was organized Feb. 21, 1819 with 7 members, indluding Joseph, Charity, and Nira Northrop.

Children of Joseph and Charity (Benjamin) Northrop:

2109 Nira Benjamin Northrop b. December 8, 1793; d. September 27,1878; m. July 1, 1818 Abigail Nettleton.

2110. Betsey Northrop b. September 1793; d. March 6, 1877; m. February 28, 1813 Alanson Johnson.

2111. Dathan Northrop b. February 28, 1795; d. September 26, 1883; m. Pamelia Johnson. He was a Brig. General of the Medina Co. Militia and member of the Ohio Legislature 1831-2.

2112. Eliza Northrop b. October 1798; dc. 1860 in Weymouth Ohio; m. March 22, 1818 Giles Barnes. She was the first school teacher in Median, during the summer of 1817 and her's was the first wedding in Medina.

2113. Amanda Northrop, who died at age 8.
2114. Morris Northrop b. March 16, 1803.
2115. Mary Northrop b. August 29, 1808; d. April 1875 at Windham, Ohio.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Byron E. Janes of Storrs, Conn.

1078. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[6] (Elnathan[5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1774 in Stratford, Conn.; the son of Elnathan and Mary (---) or Jane (Drake) Benjamin; died May 28, 1855 at age 81 (gs) and is buried in the Stratford Cemetery, lot #3-556. He may have m/1 Delda or Delia --- and m/2 Sally --- who was bc. 1777/8 and died February 28, 1844, age 66 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He was a blacksmith and listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Stratford, Conn. with: 1-0-1 and in the 1800 census of Derby, Conn. with: 1-0-0-1-0//0-0-1-0-0.

Children of Samuel Benjamin:
2116. Samuel Benjamin bc. 1790-1800.
*2117. Sherman Benjamin b. September 21, 1800 at Derby.

Resources: Hale's Collection of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records.

?1079. DAVID BENJAMIN PHIPANY (PHIPPENNEE), CAPT.[6] (Elnathan[5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1775/6 probably at Stratford, Conn.; probably the son of Elnathan and Mary (----) Benjamin and the adopted son of Joseph or Benjamin and Hannah (Benjamin) Phippennee; died January 5, 1849, age 73 years (gs) and buried in the Galick Farm Cemetery at West Haven, Vermont. He married Nancy Snody.

David Benjamin was adopted when he was four weeks old, and according to family tradition, was orphaned. (If that is true, he certainly isn't the son of Elnathan! However, it is your compilier's belief that Elnathan was married twice, first to Mary, and then to Jane Drake. When Mary died, probably in child birth, Elnathan couldn't handle a small baby, so allowed the child to be adopted by his sister, wife of Benjamin Phippeny. In fairness to the reader, the compilier must assert that this is all conjecture...except that the records do indicate that Elnathan was married twice, David was a Benjamin, the Phippeny family came from Stratford, Conn., Elnathan had a sister Hannah, and children of David's call children from other lines of Elnathan "cousin".

He was adopted by either Joseph or Benjamin Phippeny and wife Hannah ---. (It is your compilier's theory that Hannah was a Benjamin.)

Nancy Snody was also an adopted child of Joseph Phippeny. Snody was a family name that came to Whitehall from Conn. David was a leading man in the community and lived until 1849. He was a Captain in the Militia, and generally

referred to as Captain Phippeny or Captain Benjamin. He was a member of the old Social Masonic Lodge and was the Master in 1815. He was a stern, uncompromising man, strict in discipline, without much sympathy for the follies of the rising generation. He retained his name until his sons were adults, and then he resumed the name of Benjamin. It would seem that his change of name was not always recognized, as his gravestone carried the name: David B. Phippenee.

David lived on the bank of the lake in Vermont, across from South Bay.,

It would seem that his children honored the change in name, since they carry it as their surname.

Children of David Benjamin and Nancy (Snody) Phippany:

*2118. Benjamin Benjamin b. 1804 at Stiff Knee, Vermont.
*2119. Elnathan Benjamin b. 1808 in Vermont.
2120. Morris Benjamin b. 1813 in Vermont; d. August 3, 1873, age 60, buried in the Galick Farm Cemetery at West Haven, Vt.; he was feeble minded, after father's death he lived with his brother Samuel.
*2121. Samuel Benjamin b. 1819/20 at West Haven, Vt.
2122. Anna Benjamin; m. John Offensend.
2123. Maria Benjamin; m. General David Barrett.
2124. Hannah Benjamin; m. William Clark.
*2125. Annis Benjamin b. January 6, 1820 at West Haven, Vt.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Fred Stiles of Ft. Ann, N.Y.; Records of Mrs. Gordon McEachron of Argyle, N.Y.; Newspaper clipping dated Nov. 11, 1918 by Clarence Holden.

1080. ELNATHAN BENJAMIN^{6} (Elnathan^{5}, Samuel^{4}, John^{3}, Caleb^{2}, John^{1}) born about 1782 in Stratford, Conn.; the son of Elnathan and Jane (Drake) Benjamin. He married Polly Wiltsey of Whitehall, N.Y. She was born in 1813/4 in Washington Co., N.Y. It would also seem that she was a second wife. His first wife was b. 1790-1800. Elnathan had died before 1865.

He is listed as an Ensign from Warren, Washington Co., N.Y. in the N.Y. Militia in 1815 and a Captain in 1822 in the 154th Regiment of the State Militia.

Three brothers, Elnathan, Walter, and Duthan, settled the shore of South Bay previous to 1820. Elnathan was an early Justice of the Peace. He is listed in the 1810 census of Putnam Twp., Washington Co., N.Y. with 1 m. 0/10; 1 m. 26/45// 2 f 0/10; 1 f. 16/26. In the 1820 census of Dresden, Washington Co., N.Y. he is listed as Nathan, not Elnathan with: 3-0-0-1-1-0//2-2-0-1-0.

There are deeds on file for him. Book CC p.131 Elnathan and wife Polly sell land to Israel Howe of Whitehall in 1830; and again in 1836 they sell to Israel Howe and wife Celinda. In 1843 (Book 7 p. 574) Elnathan of Dresden buys land from James Tucket and wife Martha. In 1842 he sold land to Alfred H. Griswold and Throop Barney. Other names included in deed records with Elnathan were: Jacob S.

Clark and wife Polly, Samuel Benjamin and wife Mary J., Orange and Lucretia Watkins, Dennis Jones, and William and Hannah Clark.

Children of Elnathan and unknown wife:
*2126. Joseph Benjamin b. January 19, 1813 at Dresden, N.Y.
*2127. Jesse Benjamin bc. 1814 at N.Y.
2128. 2 females b. 1810-15.
2129. 1 male b. 1815-20.
2130. 1 female b. 1815-20.
*2131. Alonzo or Alanson Benjamin b. 1822 at Whitehall, NY
2132. 2 females b. 1825-30.
2133. 1 male b. 1825-30.

Children of Elnathan and Polly (Wiltsey) Benjamin:
2134. Sarah Benjamin b. 1835 at Whitehall, N.Y.
2135. Susannah Benjamin b. 1840 in N.Y.
2136. Caroline Benjamin b. 1848 in N.Y.

Resources: p. 185 Hist.of Washington Co., N.Y., Johnson; Census Records; Research of Mrs. Fred Stiles of Ft. Ann, NY

1081. ABEL BENJAMIN[6] (Elnathan[5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1784 in Stratford, Conn.; the son of Elnathan and Jane (Drake) Benjamin; died February 25, 1826, age 42 (gs) and buried in the Galick Farm Cemetery at West Haven, Vermont. He married Rachel Hurlburt, dau. of Caleb and Lydia (Mitchell) Hurlburt, Jr. She was born in 1780 in Washington Co., N.Y. and died February 24, 1865/6 at the age of 85 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Abel is listed in the 1810, 1820, and 1830 census records at Whitehall, Washington Co., New York.

Abel was a blacksmith and his shop was on Church Street. Deeds covering a period from 1823/4 to 1849 for Abel are on file. They were with William Walker, Israel Howe, Horace and Celestia Holcomb, Throop Barney, Bennett Cobb and Julio T. Buel.

Children of Abel and Rachel(Hurlburt) Benjamin:
2137. 1 female b. 1804-10; prob. Colenet Benjamin who m. Seymour Daley.
*2138. Celeste/Celestia Benjamin b. 1812 in Washington Co.,
2139. 1 male b. 1815-20.
2140. Abel Hale Benjamin b. February 21, 1820; d. November 18, 1848; m. Emeline Town.
2141. 1 male b. 1825-30; prob. David L. Benjamin, d. Dec. 13, 1837 (gs), buried with parents.
2142. Nancy Benjamin d. May 21, 1818 and buried in the William Street Cemetery of Whitehall, N.Y.

Resources: p. 112 Hurlburt Gen., Hurlburt, 1888; Research of Mrs. Fred Stiles of Ft. Ann, N.Y.

1082. JESSE BENJAMIN[6], Elnathan[5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1])

born about 1794 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of Elnathan and Jane (Drake) Benjamin.

There is a Jesse Benjamin located in the 1820, 1830, and 1840 Potsdam, St. Lawrence Co., New York census records. In the 1820 census there are just two individuals--likely a young married couple. In the 1830 census there is listed the following: 2 m. 5/10; 1 m. 40/50// 1 f. 5/10; 1 f. 40/50 and 1 f. 60/70. In the 1840 census there is listed: 1 m. 15/20; 1 m. 50/60// 1 f. 15/20; 1 f. 50/60.

p. 36 Vol. 50 of the N. E. Hist. and Gen. Register indicates Elizabeth Cotton, dau. of William Cotton of Waterbury, Washington Co., N.Y. married Jesse Benjamin and she died in Madrid, St. Lawrence Co., New York.

Children of Jesse and Elizabeth (Cotton) Benjamin:

2143. Ruth M. Benjamin.
2144. John Benjamin.
2145. Lysander Benjamin. There is a Lysander Benjamin in the 1855 City Directory of Buffalo, Erie Co., NY.

Resources: Given above.

1083. WALTER BENJAMIN[6] (Elnathan[5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born between 1775-94 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of Elnathan and Jane (Drake) Benjamin; died before 1855. He married Jane Barrett, born in 1795 in N.Y. and died June 5, 1876, age 81 (gs). She is buried in the Clemons Cemetery, along old Route #22, near Dresden, N.Y.

In the 1825 Dresden, N.Y. census, Walter Benjamin is listed with 5 males and 2 females in his family.

Children of Walter and Jane (Barrett) Benjamin:

2146. 1 male b. 1810-20 (may have died).
*2147. Burr Benjamin b. February 29, 1820 in Washington Co.
*2148. Edward Smith Benjamin b. February 24, 1824.
*2149. Charles Benjamin b. November 24, 1825.
*2150. Polly Benjamin b. 1836 in Washington Co., N.Y.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Fred Stiles of Ft. Ann, N.Y.

1085. DUTHAN BENJAMIN[6] (Elnathan[5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born March 31, 1799 in Washington Co., New York; the son of Elnathan and Jane (Drake) Benjamin; died 1881. He married Delinda (Dulinda) Allen on December 24, 1820, the dau. of Daty and Elizabeth (Blossom) Allen. She was born in October 12, 1804 at Pawlet, Vermont and died January 1898.

Duthan was listed as a carpenter and ship's carpenter. He was a Justice of the Peace in 1833 thru 1837. In the 1825 census of Dresden he is listed with 1 male and 4 females. In the 1865 census, she is listed as the mother of 12 children, and they have a grand dau., Arena D. Reed born 1857, living with them.

Duthan was a Baptist, and when he joined the Odd Fellow he was expelled from the church, but he preferred to give

up his church rather than his lodge.

Delinda's obit said that they had 14 children, of whom 5 were still alive at her death in 1898.

Children of Duthan and Delinda (Allen) Benjamin:

*2151. Mary Benjamin b. 1822 in Washington Co., N.Y.

2152. Sally (Sallie) Benjamin b. Sepgember 29, 1825 at South Bay, N.Y.; d. January 29, 1825 at Nebraska; m. in Whitehall, N.Y. December 29, 1842 Benjamin W. Brewster, son of Nathaniel Brewster. He died at Ragan, Nebraska August 25, 1889. He removed from Dresden to Ft. Ann and then on to Ragan, Neb.

2153. Eliza Benjamin b. 1836.

*2154. Julio Buell Benjamin b. April 22, 1838.

*2155. Harry S. Benjamin b. September 22, 1843 at Dresden.

2156. William F./P. Benjamin bc. 1851; apparently died before his parents.

2157. John Benjamin.

2158. Daughter who m. David Beck of Whitehall, N.Y.

2159. Daughter who m. Thomas Knight of Whitehall, N.Y.

Resources: p. 596 Brewster Gen., Jones, 1907; Census Record Research of Mrs. Fred Stiles of Ft. Ann, N.Y.

?1086. DRAKE BENJAMIN^{6} (Elnathan^{5}, Samuel^{4}, John^{3}, Caleb^{2}, John^{1}) born between 1774-84; the son of Elnathan and Jane (Drake) Benjamin.

He is listed in the 1800 census of West Haven, Vermont with just himself and wife in the 16-24 age bracket.

He is named as an Ensign in 1807 in the Washington Co., Company of the New York Militia.

There seems to be some confusion between his name and that of Joseph D. Benjamin, who also seems to be called Drake Benjamin on occassion. (See #1076.)

1089. ALLEN (ALLYN) BENJAMIN^{6}(Caleb$^{5-4}$, John^{3}, Caleb^{2}, John^{1}) born August 14, 1765 at East Hartford, Conn.;the son of Caleb and Rebecca (Risley) Benjamin; bapt. August 18, 1865 at E. Windsor, Conn. He m/1 August 28, 1788 at Enfield, Conn. (vr) Beulah Osborn (Ashborn). She was born January 23, 1768 and died April 23, 1811, at the age of 43 (gs). He m/2 December 4, 1811 Lydia Bancroft, who was born in 1766 and died February 3, 1824/5 at E. Hartford. She is buried in the E. Hartford Cemetery, lot #7-111 and Allen and his first wife are buried in the North End Cemetery at Warehouse Point, Conn.

Allen was listed in the 1790 Federal Census at E. Windsor, Conn. with 1-1-1, and in the 1800 census at the same place with :3-0-0-1-0//2-0-0-2-0. A Capt. Alea Benjamin lived in Stratford in 1787 at the Old Mill. (It is thought this might refer to Allen?)

Allen's will is dated June 19, 1824 with Josiah Ellsworth as executor. The will is #277, with a cocidal #477.

He gave his estate to sons Caleb and Ithamar, from which they are to pay Caleb $200., Walter #30., Harvey $30., Dorothy $70., Beulah $40., Odaline $30., and he left Allen his wearing apparel and Conrad his watch and saddle.

Children of Allen and Beulah (Osborn) Benjamin:

*2160. Walter Benjamin b. January 28, 1789 at E. Windsor.

2161. Mabel Benjamin b. December 30, 1790 at E. Windsor; d. December 11, 1818, age 28 (gs) and buried in E. Windsor, Conn. Cemetery, lot #3039; unm.

2162. Allen Benjamin b. September 20, 1792 at E. Windsor; d. July 27, 1825, age 34 at Warehouse Point; m. January 1812 at E. Windsor Lydia Osborn, who d. February 3, 1824. They had 2 children.

*2164. Beulah Benjamin b. October 3, 1794 at E. Windsor.

2165. Harvey Benjamin b. August 27, 1796 at E. Windsor; m. Sarah McKinney; resided in Springfield, Mass. and later Syracuse, N.Y.; had son William Benjamin, who resided in Michigan, plus 2 other children.

*2166. Conrad Benjamin b. February 10, 1799 at E. Windsor.

2167. Dorothy Avaline Benjamin b. August 26, 1801; d. May 20, 1874; m. as 2nd wife of Samuel Patchen (Pitkin) at Warehouse Point. They had no issue.

*2168. Caleb Benjamin b. February 8, 1807 at E. Windsor.

2169. Ithamar B. Benjamin b. November 30, 1810; unm.; d. April 3, 1852 at Rio de Janerio, South America; buried in E. Windsor, Conn. Cemetery lot #3-39. He was the master of the ship "John Jay".

Resources: p. 71 & 828 Hist. of Ancient Windsor, Conn., Stiles; Probate Records of State of Conn., Manwarning; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records; p. 1502 Vol. 2 Hist. of Enfield, Conn., Allen; p. 80 Book 7 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey; Records of Jon Stedman of Denton, Texas.

1094. DOROTHY BENJAMIN^{6} (Caleb$^{5-4}$, John^{3}, Caleb^{2}, John^{1}) born about 1775 at East Hartford, Conn.; the dau. of Caleb and Rebecca (Risley) Benjamin; bp. February 19, 1775 at East Hartford, Conn. (cr 1-41); died February 1800. She married Aaron Hills, son of Ebenezer Hills. He was born February 25, 1770 at E. Hartford. The administration of his estate was dated October 4, 1837. He m/2 Lucy ---.

Children of Aaron and Dorothy (Benjamin) Hills:

2170. Austin Hills b. July 1794; d. May 21, 1875.

2171. Isaac Hills b. July 1796; m. Elizabeth Sage.

2172. Dorothy Hills b. September 1798, d. June 1799.

Resource: p. 55 Gen. of Desc. of William Hills, Hills, 1906

1099. EDWIN BENJAMIN^{6} (Jonathan^{5}, Gideon^{4}, John^{3}, Caleb^{2}, John^{1}) born about 1793 at Hartford, Conn.; the son of Jonathan and Mary (Woodbridge) Benjamin. (Note: The above birth date is

figured from his grave stone record, which might have been misread.); bapt. at the E. Hartford, Conn. Church (cr 1-53) on January 13, 1788; died April 28, 1848, age 55 (gs). at E. Hartford, Conn. and is buried in the Center Cemetery of E. Hartford, lot #1-63. He m/1 Harriet Case of E. Hartford on June 4, 1818 at Manchester, Conn. (cr 2-199). He m/2 Elizabeth S. Danforth of Hartford on August 23, 1827 at Hartford, Conn. (vr 1-56), the dau. of Samuel and Melinda (Seymour) Danforth. She was bapt. December 1802 and died October 8, 1858 at Hartford. (obit record.)

Edwin and Elizabeth S. Benjamin were confirmed June 30, 1830 at Christ Church in Hartford. (cr).

His death was also reported as Edward Benjamin of Litchfield, Conn.

In the E. Hartford Town Hall Land Records, he sold land on March 8, 1832 and was a trustee on June 24, 1839.

Children of Edwin and Harriet (Case) Benjamin:

*2173. George Benjamin b. 1822 in E. Hartford, Conn.

Children of Edwin and Elizabeth (Danforth) Benjamin:

2174. Mary Elizabeth Benjamin bp. July 18, 1830 at Christ Church of Hartford; m. Frank E. Wiggins of Washington, D.C.; moved to San Francisco, Calif.

Resources: E. Hartford Cemetery Records; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records; p. 38 Olmstead Fam. in Am., Olmstead, 1912; p. 449 Desc. of Wm. and Elizabeth Tuttle, Tuttle, 1883; p. 105 Danforth Gen., May, 1902; p. 60 & 165 Hist. of Christ Church of Hartford, Conn.

1103. JAMES BENJAMIN[6] Gideon[5-4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1760 at E. Hartford, Conn.; the son of Gideon and --- Benjamin; bapt. April 6, 1760 at E. Hartford, Conn. (cr 1-28); died December 1799 at Tinmouth, Rutland Co., Vermont. He married Mary (Molly/Polly) Hyde on June 23/24, 1784 at Lebanon, Conn. (vr 7-22), the dau. of Dan and Mary (Wattles) Hyde. She was born May 7, 1764 and died in Berkshire, Franklin Co., Vermont. She m/2 Neri Crampton on April/May 1816. He died September 20, 1827 at Tinmouth, Vermont.

James was a chorister and was to assist in tuning the psalms in 1784 in E. Hartford. Polly, wife of James Benjam in 'owed ye covenant' on April 17, 1796 at the E. Hartford Church. (cr 1-71).

James was in the Revolutionary War. Mary Crampton was allowed a pension, #W20935, on account of the services in the Rev. War of her former husband, James Benjamin. She made application for the pension October 27, 1838, at which time she was 73 years of age and a resident of Berkshire, Vermont. It was stated that James, while a resident of Hartford, Conn., and aged 14 years, enlisted and served as a fifer and orderly sergeant. The lenght of his service was not stated. When he was 19 years of age, he was commissioned June 20, 1779 as an Ensign in the Conn. Line and

served until 1781, when he was transferred to the 5th Conn. Regt.

From Conn. records, James and Jonathan Benjamin (probably his brother) asked to form and constitute a Matross Company, which was allowed. Later James is listed as a Lt. in Matross Co., 19th Regt.

Children of James and Mary (Hyde) Benjamin:

2175. Daughter, stillborn July 1786.

*2176. Dan Hyde Benjamin b. September 12, 1787 at E. Hartford, Conn.

2177. Sally Benjamin b. March 17, 1789 at E. Hartford; bp. April 23, 1796 at First Church of E. Hartford (cr 1-61); m. October 9, 1814 Harden Andrews (Andrus) at Tinmouth, Vermont.

2178. Sophia (Sophy) Benjamin b. June 27, 1891; bp. August 23, 1796 at the First Church of Hartford (cr 1-61) m. February 28, 1813 Hennery Green of Tinmouth, Vermont (vr).

2179. James Benjamin b. June 16, 1793; bp. August 14, 1794 at Hartford; d. August 15, 1794 at Hartford.

2180. Lucy Benjamin b. June 1795; d. December 26, 1795 at Hartford, Conn.

2181. Lucy Benjamin b. February 23, 1797 at E. Hartford, Conn.; m. November 12, 1819/20 Alfred Thomas, son of Daniel and Eunice/Lucy (Baker) Thomas of Groton b. May 26, 1795 (Vt. vr and Preston, Conn. vr 3-17

Resources: Vol. 3 & Vol. 7 Rec. of State of Conn., Hoadly, 1922; p. 219 Vol. 15 N. E. Hist. and Gen. Register; p. 60 Hist. of E. Hartford, Conn., Goodwin; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church Records; Family and Bible Records on file at the Hartford, Conn. Library.

1104. GIDEON BENJAMIN[6] (Gideon[5-4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born October 2, 1762 at Hartford, Conn.;the son of Gideon and --- Benjamin. There is no information regarding his marriage or death. This son is placed as his child because of the name and being born in Conn., but might very well be the child of a brother.

Children of Gideon Benjamin:

*2182. Gideon Benjamin bc. 1780/1 in Conn.

Resources: Vermont Vital Records.

1105. HANNAH BENJAMIN[6] (Gideon[5-4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born in Hartford, Conn.; the dau. of Gideon and --- Benjamin. She married Jonathan Shepard Jr., son of Jonathan Shepard, born January 6, 1739/40 at either Coventry or Norwich, Conn.

Children of Jonathan and Hannah (Benjamin) Shepard:

2183. Elisha Shepard bc. 1766 at Hartford, Conn. When Mary (Hyde Benjamin) Crampton applied for a pens-

sion Elisha testified in 1839 that he was age 73 years, living in Berkshire, Vt., had moved from Hartford, Conn. to Tinmouth, Vt., and was a nephew of the soldier James Benjamin.

2184. Jonathan Shepard.
2185. Amos Shepard.
2186. Ralph Shepard.
2187. Royal Shepard.
2188. James Shepard.
2189. Levi Shepard.
2190. Molly (Polly) Shepard.

Resources: Pension papers of James Benjamin; Boston Transcript Nov. 17, 1902; March 18, 1939.

1106. ELISHA BENJAMIN[6] (Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1768 at E. Hartford, Conn.; the son of Elisha and Mabel (Hulburt) Benjamin; bapt. June 12, 1768 at E. Hartford, Conn.; died December 6, 1857, age 89-5-19, at Woodbury, Vermont. (vr). The name of his first wife is unknown, though it might have been Phoebe ---. He m/2 Joanna Thayer of Marshfield, Vt. on December 26, 1813 at Calais, Vt. (vr).

He was a farmer, Selectman in 1812, and Town Clerk of Woodbury, Vermont in 1812-15. He was highway surveyor in 1837.

In the 1790 Federal Census he is listed in E. Windsor, Conn. with: 1-1-2 and in the 1800 census at Marshfield, Caledonia Co., Vermont with: 1-0-0-1-0//3-0-0-1-0. He took the Freeman's Oath in Marshfield, Vt. March 24, 1800.

Children of Elisha and --- Benjamin:

*2191. 1 male b. 1790-1800 in Conn; William Abner Benjamin b. September/November 27/29, 1790.
2192. 1 male b. 1800-10.
2193. Lucy Benjamin b. July 15, 1797 at Marshfield, Vt. (vr).
2194. Phoebe Benjamin b. October 10, 1799 at Marshfield, Vt. (vr); m. December 12, 1819 Nathan Barker Page Dow at Woodbury, Vt. (vr).
2195. Harriet Benjamin b. May 25, 1802 at Marshfield, Vt. (vr); m. December 29, 1818 James Nelson at Woodbury, Vt. (vr).
2196. Emily Benjamin b. September 27, 1804 at Marshfield, Vt. (vr); m. January 4, 1821 Samson Lawson at Woodbury, Vt. (vr).
*2197. Chauncey Benjamin b. June 17, 1808 at Marshfield, Vt. (vr).

Resources: Vermont Vital Records; Census Records; p. 521 Gazatter of Washington Co., Vt. 1783-1889, Hamilton Child, 1889.

1107. DAVID BENJAMIN[6] (Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1769 at Hartford, Conn.; the son of Elisha and Mabel (Hurlburt) Benjamin; bapt. May 27, 1770 at E. Hartford, Conn.; died April 24, 1839 at Warrensville, Ohio. He is buried in the Warrensville East Cemetery in the War of 1812 section. He married Esther Russell of Windsor Locks, Conn. on January 20, 1793/98 in Conn. She is the dau. of Jacob and Esther (Durham) Russell and was born October 25, 1774 at West Windsor, Conn. and died February 2, 1864, age 89, at Tomah, Wisconsin.

David is listed in the 1800 census at Marshfield, Vermont with: 2-0-0-1-0//0-0-1-0-0. The took the Freeman's oath at Marshfield, Vt. on March 24, 1800. He is listed in the 1820 and 1820 census of Warrensville, Cayahoga Co., Ohio and his wife is listed in the 1850 census there.

Jacob Russell b. April 26, 1746, removed to Ohio in 1812. He died August 29, 1821 at Warrensville, Ohio and his wife d. September 16, 1835 at Solon, Ohio.

Children of David and Esther (Russell) Benjamin:

2198. son b. 1790-1800, may have died young.
*2199. Jacob Russell Benjamin bc. 1798 in Vermont.
*2200. Jersuha Benjamin bc. 1802 in Vermont.
*2201. Esther Benjamin b. March 1804 in Vermont.
*2202. David Benjamin Jr. bc. 1805 in Vermont.
*2203. Mabel Benjamin bc. 1806 in Vermont.
*2204. Elisha Benjamin b. June 21, 1808 in Marshfield, Vt.

Resources: Records of George Ely Russell of Bowie, Maryland Hartford Times July 11, 1942 and June 20, 1942.

1108. MABEL BENJAMIN[6] (Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1772 at Hartford, Conn.; the dau. of Elisha and Mabel (Hulburt) Benjamin; bapt. April 12, 1772 at the First Cong. Church of E. Hartford, Conn. (cr); m. February 18, 1798 at Peacham, Vermont (vr) John Cutler. He was born July 12, 1768.

The Vermont vital records for the marriage indicate that Mabel was a Mrs., but believe that this information is incorrect.

Children of John and Mabel (Benjamin) Cutler:

2205. Polly Cutler b. 1798 in Vermont.
2206. Elizabeth (Betsey) Cutler b. 1800 in Vermont; m. Curtis McCloud of Madison Co., Ohio.
2207. Tryphena Cutler b. 1802.
2208. I. or G. (perhaps Guy) Benjamin Cutler b. 1807.
2209. Elisha Benjamin Cutler b. 1809.
2210. ? Cutler b. 1810.

Resources: Gen. and Hist., pub. in Washington, D.C. Nov. 15, 1946.

1109. GUY BENJAMIN[6] (Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born

between 1770-1780 in Hartford, Conn.; the son of Elisha and Mabel (Hulburt) Benjamin; bapt. May 8, 1774 at E. Hartford, Conn. (cr 1-40). His death and marriage is unknown, though his wife was born 1780-90.

He took the Freeman's Oath in Marshfield, Vermont on March 24, 1800. A private Guy Benjamin is listed in the New London, Conn. Militia under Edward Wolcott between August 13 and September 13, 1812.

He was allowed a tax abatement on October 8, 1804 (cr 2-59) and was one of the signers of a petition on Februbary 23, 1816 asking for a meeting to be called to consider Eber L. Clark to become the minister.

He is listed in the 1820 census records of Washington County, Marietta Township, Ohio and is in the 1830 census of Morgan Township, Morgan Co., Ohio.

Children of Guy Benjamin:

*2211. George Benjamin b. 1808 in Vermont.
*2212. Horace L. Benjamin b. 1811 in Conn. (prob. Vermont?)
?*2213. Elisha Benjamin b. 1812 in Ohio.
*2214. Laura Benjamin b. 1804-10.
2215. 1 female b. 1810-15.
2216. Ann Benjamin b. 1815-20; m. Andrew McVey.
2217. 1 female b. 1820-25.
2218. 1 female b. 1825-30.

Resources: Census Records; Vital Records of Vermont; Records and Research of Mr. Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, Indiana.

1115. NAHUM BENJAMIN[6] (Samuel[5], David[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born May 17, 1771 at Hartford, Conn.; the son of Samuel and Naomi or Roxey (---) Benjamin; died June 16, 1839 at Phelps, Ontario County, New York. He married April 1, 1795 Jerusha Webster, the dau. of Elijah and Jerusha (---) Webster. She was born October 10, 1775 and died September 8, 1805 at Phelps, New York.

Jerusha and her husband became members of the church at New Hartford, Conn. after June 4, 1795 (First Cong. cr 5-5).

Nahum is listed in the 1800 census records of New Hartford, Litchfield Co., Conn. and in the 1810 census records of Phelps, Ontario County, New York with: 2-1-0-1-0// 3-1-0-1-0.

Children of Nahum and Jerusha (Webster) Benjamin:

2219. Polly Benjamin b. September 7, 1796 at New Hartford, Conn.; d. 1842; m. December 30, 1819 Abram Cole of Mendon, New York.
2220. Elijah Benjamin b. March 24, 1798 at New Hartford, Conn.; d. August 11, 1824 at Phelps, New York.
2221. Sally Benjamin b. July 15, 1800 at New Hartford, Conn.; d. August 30, 1812 of cholera; buried in the Mendon Cemetery in Monroe Co., N.Y.
2222. Grove Benjamin bp. June 13, 1802 at New Hartford,

Conn. (cr 2-8); d. 1845.

2223. Celinda Benjamin b. June 10, 1804 at Mendon, Monroe Co., N.Y.; d. 1833; m. --- Cate.

2224. Esther Benjamin b. December 22, 1806; d. August 25, 1812.

2225. Lewis Benjamin b. September 1, 1810; d. 1875.

2226. Horace Benjamin b. March 9, 1813; d. February 26, 1873 at Phelps, N.Y.

2227. Caroline Benjamin b. June 15, 1815; d. 1888; m/1 May 23, 1849 Theron Hart Childs, son of Oliver and Nancy (Hart) Childs b. March 28, 1812 at Seneca, N.Y.; d. Oct. 18, 1859; she m/2 --- Monroe.

2228. Esther Benjamin b. December 21, 1820; m. --- Mower.

Resources: Records of Ronald Branch of Rutherford, N.J. p. 614 Gen. of Childs Fam., Child, 1881; Hist. and Gen. of Gov. John Webster, Webster, 1915 p. 426; Vol. 236 p. 66 DAR Records, Mendon, N.Y. Cemetery Inscriptions.

1116. ROXANNA BENJAMIN[6] (Samuel[5], David[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born August 1774 at Hartford, Conn.; the dau. of Samuel and Naomi (---) Benjamin; died August 1, 1825, age 51, near Fredonia, Chautaqua Co., New York. She married Ebenezer Webster of New Hartford, Conn. He was born March 6, 1767 at North Bolton (now Vernon), Conn. and died April 20, 1863 at Fredonia, N.Y. He m/2 Polly Martin, who died between 1841 and 1843.

Children of Ebenezer and Roxanna (Benjamin) Webster:

2229. Russell Webster b. February 9, 1793 at Vernon, Conn; d. 1853.

2230. Nancy (Mary) Webster b. 1796; d. 1862; m. --- Barlow

2231. Electa Webster b. 1799; d. quite young; m. James Norton.

2232. Emily Webster b. 1804 at Vernon, Conn.; d. 1878; m. Edward Howard.

2233. Amelia Webster b. 1806; unm.

2234. Esther Webster b. 1809; m. Rev. Allison, a Baptist minister.

2235. Fidelia Webster b. 1812 at Pomfret, N.Y.; m. T. J. Newton.

2236. Samuel Benjamin Webster b. 1817; d. 1865.

Resources: Boston Transcript Nov. 20, 1920; Records of Ronald K. Branch of Rutherford, N.J.; Hist. and Gen. of Gov. Webster, Webster, 1915, p. 423.

1117. DAVID BENJAMIN[6] (Samuel[5], David[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1777 at Hartford, Conn.; the son of Samuel and Naomi (---) Benjamin; died probably before 1850 census; married in 1798 at New Hartford, Conn. Hannah Steele, the dau. of William and Hannah (Webster) Steele. Hannah is shown as a widow in the 1850 census of Fredonia, Chautauqua Co., NY.

Mrs. Hannah Benjamin was admitted to the church at New Hartford, Conn. on November 2, 1806.

David is listed in the 1800 and 1810 census records of New Hartford, Litchfield Co., Conn. and came to Fredonia, New York in 1815 in an oxcart. There is a David Benjamin listed in the 1825 census records of Pomfret, Chautauqua Co N.Y. with 6 males and 3 females in his family.

Children of David and Hannah (Steele) Benjamin:

*2237. David Webster Benjamin b. July 14, 1798 at New Hartford, Conn.

*2238. Wooster B. Benjamin b. 1800 at New Hartford, Conn.

*2239. Sela (Silas) Merrell Benjamin b. 1803 at New Hartford, Conn.

2240. William Steele Benjamin b. 1806 at New Hartford, Con bapt. 1809 at New Hartford (cr 3-7); d. 1836; he is supposed to have had 2 sons and 1 dau.; resided in Cherry Valley, Ashtabula Co., Ohio.

2241. Porter S. Benjamin b. 1808 in New Hartford, Conn.; d. June 12, 1847 at Fredonia, N.Y.; m. Sally ---. They had no issue. He purchased lot #46 Jan. 1829 in Fredonia, N.Y.

*2242. Herman Brinsmaide Benjamin b. June 10, 1812 at New Hartford, Conn.

*2243. Henry Badger Benjamin, a twin, b. June 10, 1812.

*2244. Nelson Horatio (or Horatio Nelson) Benjamin b. December 11, 1814 at New Hartford, Conn.

*2245. Naomi Hannah Benjamin, a twin, b. Dec. 11, 1814.

2246. Lovirtue Benjamin bc. 1817; d. in the South as a young man, while there was a teacher.

2247. Lovisa Nancy Benjamin b. 1819; d. 1900; m. Sewell S. Clark; had two sons: Erastus Clark and another unknown one plus one dau., perhaps Abbie Clark.

Resources: Boston Transcript Jan. 26, 1925; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church Records; p. 207 Hist. and Gen. of Gov. John Webster, Webster, 1915.

1119. DAVID BENJAMIN[6], (David[5], John[4], Joshua[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born September 9, 1789/90 at Exeter, Rhode Island; the son of David and Mary (---) Benjamin; died November 5, 1839 at the age of 50 years. He married Colinda (Selinda/Celindy) Lawton on November 30, 1815. She was born April 16, 1795.

In the Rhode Island Land Records on June 2, 1817 David and wife Mary sell to David Jr. a small piece of land, then on Nov. 29, 1817 David Jr. gives a note to David Sr.; and on March 5, 1819 David Jr. sells the land back to David Sr. The deed is witnessed by Simeon and Mary Benjamin.

Children of David and Colinda (Lawton) Benjamin:

2248. Julia Benjamin b. January 15, 1816; d. February 28, 1816.

* 2249. Stephen Benjamin b. March 22, 1817 at Exeter, R.I. (Town record.)

2250. Phebe Benjamin b. July 30, 1819 at Exeter, R.I.

Resources: Research in R.I. by Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.; Bible Records at Salt Lake, Utah Library Microfilm #022-352-5312

1120. GRIFFEN BENJAMIN[6] (David[5], John[4], Joshua[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born in 1800 at Exeter, Rhode Island; died in 1888 at Honeoye Falls, Monroe Co., New York. He married Laura Marshall, who was born 1807 in R, I. and died 1871 at Honeoye Falls.

Children of Griffen and Laura (Marshall) Benjamin:

2251. Mary Ann Benjamin b. January 23, 1836 at Mendon Twp. Monroe Co., N.Y.; d. March 31, 1898 at Lima, Livingston Co., N.Y.; m. Feb. 12, 1858 William Henry Lockwood b. Feb. 5, 1840 and d. 1907 at Steuben Co., Indiana.

Resource: Research of Elmer L. Lockwood of Brooktondale, NY

1121. SIMEON BENJAMIN[6] (David[5], John[4], Joshua[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born before 1790 at Exeter, Rhode Island, the son of David and Mary (---) Benjamin. He married Mary --- (?Franklin?).

On February 5, 1812 J. Waterman Franklin sold 50 acres of land to Simeon Benjamin of Exeter for $600. On June 2, 1817 Simeon and Mary were witnesses to a deed between David Benjamin Sr. and Jr. On Feb. 24, 1824 Simeon sold land to Ann Dexter of N. Providence for $700., which included 50 acres in Exeter with dwelling and barn and on August 1, 1824 (on which date she appears and acknowleges her signature) Ann Dexter, now of Exeter, a weaver, sells the same property back to Simeon. On March 5, 1829 Simeon sells this same property to George N. Thurston.

Children of Simeon and Mary are unknown at this time.

Resources: R. I. Land Records.

1222. GEORGE SWEET BENJAMIN[6] (Thomas[5], John[4], Joshua[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born 1790-1800 in Madison Co., New York; the son of Thomas and Amy (Sweet) Benjamin; died 1838 at Brookfield, Madison Co., New York. He married Laura --- who was born August 9, 1803 at Sangerfield, N.Y. and died October 13, 1889 at Sangerfield, N.Y. She m/2 Clark Truman Rogers on May 15, 1851. He was the son of Ethan and Sarah (Truman) Rogers an was born June 23, 1798 at Greet Neck, Waterford, Conn. and died Sept. 23, 1882 at Sangerfield, Oneida Co., N.Y. He had m/1 Nancy Williams. He was a carpenter and farmer.

George's will is on file at the Madison Co. Surrogate Office (#942) and he died intestate. Listed is his father Thomas, widow Laura, brothers Jonathan and David and sister Sally and Susanna.

Children of George S. and Laura (---) Benjamin:

*2252. George Oscar Benjamin b. either 1832 or 1838 at

Brookfield, N.Y.

Resources: p. 174 & 267 James Rogers and his Desc., Rogers, 1902; File #1942 Madison Co. Court House, N.Y. via Mrs. John Keller of Litiz, Penn.; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

1129. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[6] (Thomas[5], John[4], Joshua[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born 1800 in Brookfield, Madison Co., N.Y.; the son of Thomas and Amy (Sweet) Benjamin; died in 1877 probably in Allegany Co., New York. He married Elizabeth Nye, who died in 1860.

In 1834 he brought his family to Hume Twp., Allegany Co New York, where he bought 50 acres of land. He was a farmer and lumberman and built a saw mill in 1840, which he continued in operation until 1870.

Children of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Nye) Benjamin:

*2253. Delos Benjamin b. 1828 in Brookfield, Madison Co. NY

2254. Ruth Benjamin b. 1835; m. Orlo Buell of Hume, N.Y.

Resources: p. 762 Allegany Co. and It's People; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y. and F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1130. DAVID BENJAMIN[6] (Thomas[5], John[4], Joshua[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born 1807/8 at Brookfield, Madison Co., New York; the son of Thomas and Amy (Sweet) Benjamin; died April 1, 1882 at the age of 74 (gs) at North Brookfield, Madison Co.,N.Y. He married Sarah Ann. (H.) Ingersoll who was born 1816 (gs) in Allegany Co., N.Y. and died 1885. (gs). They are both buried in the North Brookfield, Side of the Road Cemetery.

He is listed in the 1850, 60, and 65 census of Brookfield. His will is on file at the Madison Co. Surrogate Office (#4521) and has as executor E. C. Benjamin and names widow Sarah of Brookfield, son Albert or Elbert C, son John J. of Eaton, and Alonzo L. Sweet.

Children of David and Sarah (Ingersoll) Benjamin:

*2255. John I./J. Benjamin b. 1839 at Brookfield, N.Y.

2256. Albert (Elbert) C. Benjamin b. 1841; died April 26, 1920 and left no descendants. He signed his name both ways.

Resources: Vol. 183 p. 34-5 Madison Co. Cemetery Records; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

1131. JOHN BENJAMIN[6] (Silas[5], John[4], Joshua[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born between 1775-94 probably at Exeter, R.I.; the son of Silas and Ruth (---) Benjamin. His death date is unknown, as is his first marriage. He m/2 Keziah Burdick on April 27, 1837 at Alfred, Allegany Co., N.Y., the dau. of Lewis and Eunice (Satterlee) Burdick. She was born May 7, 1796 and died in 1880 at Hartsville, Allegany Co. N.Y. She m/2

Silas Burdick. John's will filed Dec. 1838 in Allegany Co. The petition to have his will settled was filed Dec. 12 1838 and the will names wife Keziah and children: Hannah Miller, Sinthia, Clarissa, and Samuel Benjamin.

He is listed in the 1820 census at Alfred, Alleghany Co N.Y. and also owned land in Steuben Co., N.Y. Charles Benjamin was a witness to his will.

Children of John and --- Benjamin:
2257. Samuel Benjamin b. 1804-10.
2258. Hannah Benjamin b. 1810-20; m. --- Miller.
2259. Sinthia Benjamin.
2260. Clarissa Benjamin; Jared Stillman named guardian of Clarissa and Samuel in 1839.

Resources: p. 77 Desc. of Robert Burdick of R. I., Johnson, 1937; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1132. CHARLES BENJAMIN[6] (Silas[5], John[4], Joshua[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born 1795-94 in Rhode Island; the son of Silas and Ruth (---) Benjamin. His death date and information regarding his marriage is unknown, except his wife was b. 1790-1800.

He was listed as a member of the New York State Militia as a Captain and was from Alfred, Allegany Co. in 1820.

He is listed in the 1820, 1830, and 1840 census records of Alfred, Allegany Co., N.Y.

Children of Charles Benjamin:
2261. 1 male b. 1794-1804.
2262. 1 male b. 1802-04.
2263. Charles Benjamin b. 1820/1.
*2264. William M. Benjamin b. 1823.
2265. Harvey W. Benjamin b. 1824.
2266. Harrison Benjamin b. 1827.
2267. Jane Benjamin b. 1825.
2268. Emarilla Benjamin b. 1831.
2269. Louisa Benjamin b. 1833.
2270. 1 female b. 1825-30.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1134. THOMAS BENJAMIN[6] (Silas[5], John[4], Joshua[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born between 1790-1800 perhaps in Rhode Island; the son of Silas and Ruth (---) Benjamin; died before 1840? in in 1849 resided in Fulton, Rock County, Wisconsin. He married Diadema --- who was born 1800-10.

He is listed in the 1830 and 1840 census records of Alfred, Allegany Co., New York.

Children of Thomas and Diadema (---) Benjamin:
2271. Silas Benjamin bc. 1826; m. Aseneth --- and resided in Alfred, Allegany Co., N.Y. in 1880.
2272. Sarah Ann Benjamin b. 1820-25.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

Chapter 8

GENERATION VII - JOHN LINE

1165. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[7] (Jonathan[6], William[5], Jonathan[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born April 27, 1782 at Ashburnham, Mass. (vr); the son of Jonathan and Annis (Holt) Benjamin; died March 24, 1845, at the age of 64 (gs) at West Windsor, Vermont. He married Hannah Swinerton, the dau. of Samuel S. Swinerton. She was born 1785 at Putney, Vermont and died March 16, 1866 at Reaching, Vermont, age 80 yrs. 4 mos. (gs). They are both buried in the Sheddville Cemetery at W. Windsor.

She is listed in the 1850 census of W. Windsor (Reading), Windsor Co., Vermont with Daniel, age 30, Rhoda, age 25, and Hannah, age 64.

Children of Jonathan and Hannah (Swinerton) Benjamin:

*2273. Alvin Benjamin b. December 11, 1808 at Reading, Vt.

?*2274. John H./R. Benjamin bc. 1812/3 at Reading, Vt.

*2275. Hosea L. Benjamin b. August 24, 1815.

2276. Albert Benjamin b. September 24, 1817 at Winsor, Vt. d. September 4, 1861 at Reading, Vt. of Consumption. He is also buried in the Sheddville Cemetery; unm.

2277. Daniel Benjamin b. 1819/20 at W. Windsor, Vt.; d. April 22, 1881 at Reading, Vt.; m. June 20, 1853 at Reading (vr) Catherine Wardner. She was b. July 30, 1826 at Reading and d. Oct. 9, 1923 at Cornish, N.H. and is buried in the Brownsville Cem at W. Windsor, Vt. Daniel had the homestead of his father. (Deed Book 20:153). He had no children, but did have a great deal of property.

2278. Rhoda Benjamin bc. 1824/5; d. 1845; m. Sylvanus Hale and had children named: Loretta; Dick; Ellen; and possibly Leet Hale.

Resources: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass
Records of Alfred C. Benjamin of Montpelier, Vt.

1166. ANNIS BENJAMIN[7] (Jonathan[6], William[5], Jonathan[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) bapt. January 26, 1783 at Ashburnham, Mass.; the dau. of Jonathan and Annis (Holt) Benjamin; died August 6, 1846 at Woodstock, Vermont. She is buried in S. Woodstock. She m/1 Edward R. Hayes on December 27, 1807 at Woodstock, Vt. (vr), the son of John and Azubah (---) Hayes. He was born about 1782 and died March 25, 1813 at the age of 31. She m/2 Captain David Mack, Jr. about 1816. He died March 10, 1847, age 62.

David Mack was a business partner of Edward Hayes. Valley of the Kedron by Cauldfield has several references to Edward R. Hayes and David Mack, Jr.

Children of Edward and Annis (Benjamin) Hayes:

2279. Lucy Hayes b. February 1, 1809; d. October 27, 1881, age 91; m. Thomas J. Slayton, who d. October 26, 1896. Children: Abba and Leslie C., who both died young, and Edwin Slayton, who m. Ella ---.
2280. Oliver Hayes b. 1811; d. Sept. 28, 1819, age 8 yrs.
2281. Edward R. Hayes Jr. b. 1813; d. March 1837, age 24.

Children of David and Annis (Benjamin Hayes) Mack:

2282. Annis Mack bc. 1823; d. July 4, 1855, age 32 yrs.
2283. Sarah A. Mack b. 1829; d. September 19, 1852, a school teacher.
2284. Truman D. Mack b. 1833; d. Oct. 28, 1854, age 21 yrs
2285. Oliver Mack; m. Julia Perry; moved to Chicago, Ill.
2286. Cordelia Mack; m. Isiah T. Fullerton of S. Woodstock, Vt.

Resources: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin os S. Carver, Mass

1167. LEMUEL BENJAMIN[7] (Jonathan[6], William[5], Jon.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born April 1, 1784 at Woodstock, Vermont; the son of Jonathan and Annis (Holt) Benjamin; died July 29, 1853 at South Woodstock, Vt. (vr). He is buried in the Walker Cemetery. He m/1 Abigail Lake on March 10, 1804 at Woodstock, Vt. (vr). She was the dau. of George and Sarah (---) Lake and was born December 16, 1781. He m/2 Beulah Fullerton on December 31, 1810, the dau. of Arunah and Lilless (---) Fullerton. She was born February 14, 1790 at Pembrooke, Mass. and died March 30, 1861 at S. Woodstock, Vt., at the age of 71 (vr p. 746). She is also buried in the Walker Cemetery.

In the Vermont Deeds (Vol. V:323-4) which was registered in 1835, Jonathan sold his farm of 110 acres in South Woodstock to Lemuel. Also 50 acres in lot 3, 1st range and 60 acres in lots 2 and 3, 2nd range, that were formerly owned as joint partner with Lemuel.

Lemuel was located in the 1810 and 1830 census at Woodstock, Windsor Co., Vermont. In the 1830 census it would appear that his parents were living with him.

He had 11 children, and all except the 2 who died young were mentioned in the settlement of his estate.

The Lumbard Benjamin mentioned in the Vermont records of the War of 1812 from Montpelier might be a misspelling of the name Lemuel.

Children of Lemuel and Abigail (Lake) Benjamin:

*2287. Lorenzo Dow Benjamin b. January 29, 1806 at S. Woodstock, Vermont.
2288. Hosea Augustus Benjamin b. September 8, 1804 at S. Woodstock; died April 17, 1813.

*2289, Rosamond W. Benjamin b. August 2, 1808 at S. Woodstock, Vermont.

Children of Lemuel and Beulah (Fullerton) Benjamin:
*2290. Beulah F. Benjamin b. May 12, 1813 at S. Woodstock.
*2291. Marietta D. Benjamin b. May 1, 1815.
*2292. Charles Frederick Benjamin b. May 6, 1822.
*2293. Lavinia Abigail Benjamin b. August 23, 1826.
*2294. John Quincy Benjamin b. April 22, 1829.
*2295. Lemuel Orlando Benjamin b. July 3, 1830 at South Woodstock Vermont.
2296. Lucy Benjamin b. February 20, 1835; d. April 19, 1835.
*2297. Lucinda K. Benjamin b. February 20, 1835 at South Woodstock, Vermont.

Resources: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass p. 523 Serling Gen., Serling, 1909; Boston Transcript April 6, 1927; Records of Bible of Lemuel and Beulah Benjamin, in the possession of Mrs. Arnold Halberg.

1168. DANIEL BENJAMIN[7] (Jona.[6], Wil.[5], Jona.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born 1786 at Woodstock, Vermont; the son of Jonathan and Annis (Holt) Benjamin; died September 7, 1818 at the age of 32 at Woodstock, Vermont. (vr). He married Martha (Patty) Waldron on October 10, 1816 at Woodstock. (vr). She was the dau. of John and Elizabeth (---) Waldron and was born 1785 and died June 16, 1860, age 75, at Woodstock, Vt. (vr).
Martha was living in the home of D. L. Ranson in 1850 at the age of 65, as was Elizabeth Waldron, age 86.

Children of Daniel and Martha (Waldron) Benjamin:
2298. Martha A. Benjamin b. 1816; d. August 28, 1846, age 26, buried in the Kendall Co. Cemetery.
2299. Nancy Benjamin b. 1823; m. (a cousin) Daniel L. Ransom, born 1810/11.

Resources: Census Records; Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin.

1169. FREDERICK BENJAMIN[7] (Jno.[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born between 1774084 at Ashburnham, Mass.; the son of Jonothan and Annis (Holt) Benjamin; died February 1855 at Springfield, Windsor Co., Vermont. He married Lucy K. Carlton on October 7, 1834 at Woodstock, Vt. (vr). After Frederick's death, Lucy m/2 James C. Slayton on November 3/5, 1856 at Woodstock, Vt. (vr). He was born February 29, 1796 at Woodstock and died May 28, 1872 at Mendota, Illinois. He had m/1 Abigail Benjamin, sister of Frederick.) (See #1173)
Lucy and son Frederick received $1664. for property in Springfield, Vt. (Vol. 23:297 Windsor Deeds) that was in the estate of Fredrick Benjamin, late of Springfield, on April 5, 1855.

Children of Frederick and Lucy (Carlton) Benjamin:

2300. Frederick Calvin C. Benjamin b. 1836 at Woodstock, Vt.; d. December 14, 1911 at Ogle Co., Illinois age 75-7-3. He is buried in Woodlawn Cemetery. He married Maraline Adams b. 1835, d. 1915. His will was written June 24, 1907 and probated Jan. 6 1912 and settled Oct. 6, 1913 with the only heir named, a second cousin, Mary Hunter. On June 15, 1857 he gave a quit claim deed for $1.00 to Daniel Cushing in Vermont for property of his father's.

2301. Augusta Benjamin b. 1835; d. April 3, 1838, age 2½ years; buried in Kendall Cemetery at Woodstock, Vt

Resources: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass p. 93 Hist. of Slayton Fam., Slayton, 1898.

1170. SARAH BENJAMIN[7] ((Jno.[6], Wm.[5], Jon.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) birth date unknown; the dau. of Jonathan and Annis (Holt) Benjamin. She married December 7, 1809 at Woodstock, Vermont (vr John Bayley. (Bailey/Boley).

Children of John and Sarah (Benjamin) Bayley:

2302. Sarah Ann Bayley b. January 12, 1826 at Northeast, Penn.; m. May 2, 1846 at Lowell, Ill. Nelson Alvord b. Groom, N.Y. on Aug. 14, 1813 and d. at Clay Center, Kansas.

Resource: p. 280 Gen. and Desc. of Alexander Alvord, Alvord 1908.

1171. RHODA BENJAMIN[7] (Jno.[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born 1794 at Woodstock, Vermont; the dau. of Jonathan and Annis (Holt) Benjamin. She married Pliny Watson on January 7, 1818 at Woodstock, Vt. (vr). He was born 1794.

Children of Pliny and Rhoda (Benjamin) Watson:

2303. Sylverster Watson b. Feb. 23, 1819 at Attica, N.Y.; d. Oct. 16, 1896 at Upper Sandusky, Ohio; m/2 on June 1, 1854 at New Woodstock Caroline Kellogg, dau. of Jeremiah Kellogg. She was b. Dec. 21, 1827 and d. Oct. 16, 1896 at Upper Sandusky, Ohio.

Resources: p. 1189 The Kelloggs in Old and New World, Hopkins, 1903.

1172. MARY BENJAMIN[7] (Jno.[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born September 5, 1795 at Woodstock, Vermont; the dau.of Jonathan and Annis (Holt) Benjamin; died August 5, 1874 at Weathersfield, Vermont. She married Abel Slayton, son of James and Molly (Bugbee) Slayton on December 1816 or June 1816. He was born November 4, 1793 at Woodstock, Vt. and died July 30, 1869 at Westhersfield, Vt. age 75.

He was always a farmer in S. Woodstock until about 1840 when he moved to Hartland until 1850, and then moved to Weathersfield, Vermont.

Children of Abel and Mary (Benjamin) Slayton:

2304. Addison Slayton b. April 1, 1817 at S. Woodstock; d. March 23, 1822.

2305. Mary Slayton b. January 23, 1818 at S. Woodstock; m. Samuel Alford and had 6 children.

2306. Abel Orlando Slayton b. January 1, 1823 at S. Woodstock, Vt.; d. Dec. 11, 1853 at Weathersfield, Vt.

2307. Adaline Bailey Slayton b. Nov. 11, 1831 at S. Woodstock; d. Dec. 11, 1853 at Weathersfield, Vt.

2308. Eliza Benjamin Slayton b. 1834.

2309. Atta (Abba) Slayton b. 1840; m. William C. Gram.

Resources: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass p. 93 Hist. of Slayton Fam., Asa W. Slayton, 1898.

1173. ABIGAIL BENJAMIN[7] (Jno.[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born October 20, 1797 at S. Woodstock, Vermont; the dau. of Jonathan and Annis (Holt) Benjamin; died December 19, 1852 at Woodstock, Vt. She married Captain James Culwood Slayton on December 2/4, 1818/9 at S. Woodstock, Vt. (vr). He was the son of James and Molly (Bugbee) Slayton born February 29, 1796 at Woodstock, Vt. and died May 28, 1872 at Mendota Illinois. He m/2 Lucy (Carlton) Benjamin on November 5, 1856 at Woodstock, Vt. (vr), the widow of Frederick Benjamin and a brother of Abigail's. (See #1169).

James was a farmer and elected Captain of the 2nd Company of Light Infantry on March 20, 1827 at Woodstock. About 1855 he moved from Slayton Hill to Stoneham, Mass. Years later he moved to Criston, Ogle Co., Illinois, where his son James resided.

Children of James C. and Abigail (Benjamin) Slayton:

2310. Abba Slayton b. 1820; d. 1849; m. Harvey Thomas and had 3 children.

2311. James Henry LaFayette Slayton b. August 8, 1825; d. Oct. 28, 1893 of heart attack at Daytona, Florida; m. 1854 Anna M. Sweetser.

2312. Sarah Benjamin Slayton b. May 18, 1828; d. Nov. 19, 1896; m. 1845 Jabez C. Crooker of Lincoln, Neb.

Resources: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass p. 93 Hist. of Slayton Fam., Asa W. Slayton, 1898.

1174. JESSE BENJAMIN[7] (Jonas[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born December 17, 1785 at S. Woodstock, Vermont; the son of Jonas and Merch (Saulter) Benjamin; died December 20, 1844, age 59 years at E. Hounsfield, New York. He is buried in the Muskalongue Cemetery at E. Hounsfield. He married Elizabeth Livermore. She was born 1789 in Conn. and died June 30, 1857, age 68. (gs). She is buried with her husband.

Jesse left no will. Elizabeth asked that her eldest son, Silvester, be put in charge of the estate. In the

1810 census Jesse is found in Potstam Twp. and in the 1820 census in Hounsfield Twp., Jefferson Co., N.Y. with: 2-0-0-1-1-0//1-0-0-1-0. In 1850 Elizabeth is residing with Sylvester, and the census indicates she was born in N.Y.

Children of Jesse and Elizabeth (Livermore) Benjamin:

2313. Clarissa Benjamin b. 1804; d. April 26, 1815, age 10 yrs., at E. Hounsfield, N.Y.; buried in brother Sylvester's lot.

2314. Levi Benjamin b. 1818; d. April 1, 1837, age 25 yrs. at E. Hounsfield, N.Y.

2315. Solomon Benjamin b. 1813; d. March 1820, age 6 yrs. at E. Hounsfield; buried in brother's lot.

*2316. Lucy Benjamin b. 1816 at Hounsfield, N.Y.

*2317. Silvester Benjamin b. 1819 at Hounsfield, N.Y.

2318. Clarissa Benjamin b. October 29, 1820; d. Feb. 23, 1896 at S. Brookfield, N.Y.; m. Feb. 2, 1843 Pardon Babcock b. Oct. 21, 1820, the son of Russel and Lucinda (Maxon) Babcock. Children: Frances V. and Lizzie M. Babcock.

2319. Wealthy Benjamin b. 1823; d. July 6, 1845, age 22; buried in bro. Silvester's cem. lot.

2320. Andrew Benjamin b. 1827; d. August 1831, age 3; buried in bro. Silvester's cem. lot.

2321. Amanda Benjamin; m. Robert Herrick.

Resources: p. 385 Vol. 46 DAR Lineage Book; Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.; p. 293 Babcock Gen., Stephen Babcock, 1903.

1175. JONAS BENJAMIN[7] (Jonas[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born December 16, 1786 at S. Woodstock, Vermont; the son of Jonas and Mercy (Saulter) Benjamin; died March 16, 1857 at Smithville, Jefferson Co., New York, age 70 yrs. 3 mos. (gs He is buried in the Smithville Cemetery. He married Amy Webb in 1815, the dau. of William and Lois (Strong) Webb. She was born about 1787 and died March 20, 1869, age 82 yrs 1 mo. (gs) in Jefferson Co., N.Y. She had m/1 Richard LaValley in 1802 and had 3 children of that marriage, and from census records they apparently were all girls.

Jonas was located in Hounsfield, N.Y. in the 1820 census with: 1-0-0-0-1-0//3-2-0-1-0.

Children of Jonas and Amy (Webb LaValley) Benjamin:

*2322. Elvira Benjamin b. November 19, 1818 at Hounsfield.

2323. Lewis W. Benjamin; m. Lucretia D. ---. Lewis had no grave marker and his wife's was too far into the ground to read. Their only child, Mary E., died young and is buried in the lot with her parents and grandparents at Smithville, N.Y.

*2324. Charles A. Benjamin b. 1820 at Hounsfield,N.Y.

*2325. Mary Benjamin b. June 1823 at Hounsfield, N.Y.

Resources: p. 545 Brewster Gen. 1566-1907, Jones, 1907;

Boston Transcript July 28, 1914; Research of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.

1179. LYDIA BENJAMIN[7] (Jonas[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born 1794/5 at Woodstock, Vermont; the dau. of Jonas and Mercy (Saulter) Benjamin. She married Stephen Richardson, the son of the pioneer settler of E. Hounsfield, N.Y. John and Dorothy (Vining) Richardson.

Children of Stephen and Lydia (Benjamin) Richardson:

2326. Mercy Ann Richardson b. March 11, 1831 at E. Hounsfield, N.Y.; d. Aug. 31, 1899 at Watertown, N.Y. and buried in Brookside Cem.; m. Oct. 2, 1848 Philander Blodgett Cleveland, son of Isaac Cleveland. He was b. 1823 and d. Feb. 24, 1895, age 71 at E. Hounsfield. Issue: Merrit A. b. 1849, d. 1912 m. Ellen E. Smith; Milo L. b. 1851, d. 1812, m. Lucy D. Warren; Stephen R. b. 1854, d. 1922, m. Emma C. Baker; Flora b. 1867, d. unm. 1939.

Resources: p. 1512 Gen. of Cleveland Fam., Cleveland, 1899; p. 60 Henry Gen.

1180. MERCY BENJAMIN[7] (Jonas[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born February 14, 1795 at S. Woodstock, Vermont; the dau. of Jonas and Mercy (Saulter) Benjamin; died June 10, 1875. She married Elisha Livermore at E. Hounsfield, N.Y., the son of Solomon Livermore. He was born June 11, 1793 and died November 21, 1949.

Children of Elisha and Mercy (Benjamin) Livermore:

2327. Julia Livermore b. Sept. 29, 1817; d. 1857; m. Lewis Livermore.

2328. Frederick A. Livermore b. Jan. 13, 1824; d. Feb. 9, 1806; m. Mary A. Frost b. 1847, d. Nov. 12, 1860. Issue: George F. (may have had a dau. Jennie); Mary m. L. G. Ives; Ida b. 1806, d. unm. 1924.

2329. George Livermore.

Resources: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass Records of Miss Madge Benjamin of Watseka, Ill.

1181. WILLIAM BENJAMIN[7] (Jonas[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born July 8, 1800/1 at S. Woodstock, Vermont; the son of Jonas and Mercy (Saulter) Benjamin; died January 4, 1867, age 66, (gs) at E. Hounsfield, N.Y. He married Charlotte Welsh on October 25, 1827. She was born February 28, 1808 and died March 29, 1881, age 73 (gs) and they are both buried in the Muskelonge Cemetery at E. Hounsfield, Jefferson Co., New York.

William is listed in the 1850 census at Hounsfield, Jefferson Co., N.Y. with all the children living at home.

Children of William and Charlotte (Welsh) Benjamin:

*2330. Lyman Alonzo Benjamin b. July 18, 1829 at Hounsfield
*2331. Charles William Benjamin b. July 12, 1831.
*2332. Anson D. Benjamin b. June 23, 1834 at Brownsville, New York.
2333. John W. Benjamin; moved to Danforth, Illinois about 1881; died there in 1882/3. He separated from his wife in E. Hounsfield, N.Y.
*2334. Charlotte Adalide (Addie) Benjamin b. April 25, 1844 at Hounsfield, N.Y.
*2335. Eunice Elizabeth Benjamin b. August 17, 1848.
*2336. Fred Clarence Parker Benjamin b. Nov. 1, 1860 at Hounsfield, N.Y. He was actually a son of John W. Parker and Charlotte A. Benjamin, but was adopted by his grandfather and shared in his estate as a son.

Resources: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass Records of Miss Madge Benjamin of Watseka, Ill.; Records of Edward P. Benjamin of Melrose Park, Ill.; Iraquois Co., Ill Records p. 96; Biog. Record of Iraquoi Co., Ill.

1183. CHARLES BENJAMIN[7] (Jonas[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born 1807 at E. Hounsfield, New York; the son of Jonas and Mercy (Saulter) Benjamin; died January 30, 1888 at age 81. (gs). He is buried in the plot as his 2nd wife's first husband. He m/1 Sarah Steton (Sleton), dau. of Nathan and Sally (Randall) Steton, born February 17, 1800 and died March 16, 1863, age 63 and is buried in Field's Cemetery. He m/2 Katherine (Peckham) Bruner, the dau. of Samuel and Caroline (Scriven) Peckham and the widow of Samuel Bruner. They were married at Stephentown, Rensalaer Co., N.Y. She was born 1806 and died January 28, 1858 at North Adams, Jefferson Co., N.Y.

Charles had no childrnn.

Resources: p. 182 Vol. 12 N. E. Gen. and Hist. Register; p. 250 Elder John Crandall of R. I., Crandall, 1989; p. 62 Desc. of Robert Burdick of R.I., Johnson, 1937.

1184. SARAH (SALLY) BENJAMIN[7] (Wm.[6-5], Jno.[4], Daniel[3], John[3-2]) born June 15, 1787 at Waltham, Mass. (vr); the dau. of William and Beulah (Child) Benjamin. She married Daniel Child (a cousin) on September 29, 1808 at Lincoln, Mass. (vr). He was the son of Daniel and Molly (---) Child of Lexington Mass. and was born September 22, 1780.

Children of Daniel and Sarah (Benjamin) Child:
2337. Mary Child b. Feb. 7, 1808 at Gardner, Mass.
2338. Louisa Child b. Sept. 7, 1810 at Waltham, Mass.
2339. Daniel Child b. June 20, 1814 at Lexington, Mass.
2340. John Child b. Nov. 8, 1815.
2341. Henry Child b. Jan. 31, 1817. at Lexington, Mass.

Resources: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass

p. 545 Gen. of Child Fam., Elias Child, 1881.

1186. WILLIAM BENJAMIN[7] (Wm.[6-5], Jno.[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born August 12, 1791 at Concord, Mass.; the son of William and Beulah (Child) Benjamin; died June 18, 1843 at Lincoln, Mass. (vr). He married May 25, 1818 Hannah Estabrook of W. Cambridge and Lexi ngton, Mass. She was the dau. of Eliakim and Hannah (Cook) Estabrook and was born February 4, 1801 and died December 26, 1886.

His will was dated June 17, 1843 (Vol. 184:595 Cambridge Probate Rec.) with William O. Benjamin named as executor. He names wife Hannah and Hannah Matilda Whitney, son William O., and dau. Mary Ann. William O. and Daniel Stone Benjamin receive the residue of the estate.

None of the births of the children are recorded publicly.

Children of William and Hannah (Estabrook) Benjamin:

2342. Hannah Matilda Benjamin b. April 21, 1819 at Lincoln, Mass.; m. August 8, 1843 Waldo Whitney of Leominster, Mass. and had no children.

*2343. William Oliver Benjamin b. March 7, 1821 at Lincoln.

*2344. Daniel Stone Benjamin b. March 30, 1823 at Lincoln.

2345. Thomas Lovel Benjamin b. March 25, 1825; d. May 5, 1825.

2346. Mary Ann Benjamin b. August 14, 1829 at Lincon, Mass m. Israel Whitney of Leominister, a brother of Waldo.

Resources: Hist. of Lincoln, Mass.; Records of Town Clerk of Lincon, Mass.; Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.

1187. THOMAS EVERETT BENJAMIN[7] (Wm.[6-5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born 1795 at Waltham or Lincoln, Mass.; the son of William and Beulah (Child) Benjamin; died September 12, 1828 at the age of 35 (gs) at Concord, Mass. (vr), and is buried in the Sleepy Hollow Cemetery at Concord. He m/1 Anna Hunt of Concord on December 17, 1818 at Lincoln (vr, also Concord vr). She was the dau. of Nehemiah and Mary (Edes) Hunt Jr. and was born March 19, 1794 and died June 8, 1823, age 29, at Concord, Mass. (vr). He m/2 Catherine Hunt of Concord on January 13, 1824 at Concord (vr). She was also a dau. of Nehemiah and Mary (Edes)Hunt Jr. and a sister to his first wife. She was born January 17, 1799 at Concord and died February 11, 1873. Both his wives are also buried in the Sleepy Hollow Cemetery at Concord, Mass.

Thomas was listed as being 'of Lincoln' at his first marriage and 'of Concord' at his second marriage. He was a mason and may have enlisted in the War of 1812 from Groton, Mass.

On (Vol. 259:284 Cambridge Probate Rec.) November 18, 1828 Thomas Hunt was appointed the guardian of Ann Maria,

Louisa, Mary Edes, and Thomas Everett; minor children of Thomas. Thomas Hunt was a mason in Concord and the husband of Thomas' sister, Ann Benjamin, and undoubtedly a brother of his wives. His will (Ibid 16:92-3) names his wife and children.

In Vol. 91:234 of the Land records on April 29, 1820 Thomas of Lincoln sold his land in Lincoln for $1,000.

Children of Thomas Everett and Ann (Hunt) Benjamin:

*2347. Ann Maria Benjamin b. September 21/24, 1819 at Lincoln, Mass.

2348. Louisa Benjamin b. May 23, 1821 at Concord; d. September 15, 1823. (Concord vr says d. 1833, age 12).

2349. Thomas Everett Benjamin d. August 4, 1823, age 6 mos or (Concord vr says d. August 1825).

Children of Thomas Everett and Catherine (Hunt) Benjamin:

2350. Mary Edes Benjamin b. 1826; d. January 24, 1903 at Concord, Mass.; m. April 15, 1875 as 2nd wife of Israel Litchfield in Concord. There was no issue of this marriage.

*2351. Thomas Everett Benjamin b. 1827 at either Wolburn or Concord, Mass.

Resources: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass Records of the Towns of Lincoln and Concord, Mass.

1188. ANN BENJAMIN[7] (Wm.[6-5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born 1797 at Concord, Mass.; the dau. of William and Beulah (Child) Benjamin; died December 15, 1848 at the age of 51 (gs) and is buried in the Sleepy Hollow Cemetery at Concord, Mass. She married Thomas Ford Hunt on December 6, 1827 at Concord. He was the son of Nehemiah and Mary (Edes) Hunt Jr. and was born February 20, 1784 at Concord. He m/2 Abby K. Swan on September 19, 1850.

He was named the guardian of the children of Thomas E. Benjamin and was a mason in Concord, Mass.

Resources: p. 378 Concord, Mass. Vital Records; p. 111 Desc of Capt Hugh Mason, Mason, 1937.

1191 ABIJAH BENJAMIN[7] (William[6-5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born Mar. 1806 at Concord, Mass.; the son of William and Beulah (Child) Benjamin; died May 14, 1879, age 72 yrs. 2 mos. (gs at Bedford, Mass. and is buried in lot #180 of the Shawsheen Cemetery in Bedford. He married Ann Marie Buttrick of Concord on August/October 18/20, 1832 at Concord. (vr). She was the dau. of Joseph and Mary (---) Buttrick and died September 2, 1877 (gs) and is buried in the same cemetery as her husband.

Abijah was living at Lincoln when Sarah was married and at Waltham when Lucretia was married.

Children of Abijah and Ann Marie (Buttrick) Benjamin:

2352. Sarah Ann Benjamin b. August 2, 1832 (out of wedlock); d. Sept. 3, 1864; m. December 25, 1851 Gaiton O. Wood at Andover, Mass. (vr). He d. April 1, 1874, age 43.

2353. Lucretia Benjamin b. August 5, 1835 at Lincoln, Mass. (vr); d. December 23, 1859; m. October 5, 1835 at Waltham, Warren Spaulding, son of Asa and Elizabeth (---) Spaulding. He was b. 1824. They had dau.: Mary Louise Spaulding b. Oct. 5, 1857, d. 1881, age 24 yrs.

Resources: Lincoln, Mass. Vital Records; p. 570 Spaulding Memorial, Spauling, 1897; Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.

1192. CYRUS BENJAMIN[7] (Wm.[6-5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born January 21, 1807 at Concord, Mass.; the son of William and Beulah (Child) Benjamin; died January 10, 1894 (gs) at Concord and buried in the Sleepy Hollow Cemetery at Concord, Mass. He married Emeline Elizabeth Heywood on October 19, 1837 at Concord. (vr), the dau. of William and Sarah (Watson) Heywood. She was born 1817 and died November 15, 1893 at Lexington, Mass, age 76-1-4. (gs). She is buried in the same cemetery as her husband.

Children of Cyrus and Emeline (Heywood) Benjamin:

*2354. William Henry Benjamin b. 1841 at Concord, Mass.

2355. Marsena C. Benjamin (female); d. September 19, 1843, age 9 mos. at Concord. (vr).

2356. Cyrus W. Benjamin b. March 31, 1845 at Concord; d. April 2, 1923; m. March 18, 1875 Lillian E. Dickson of Somerville. They are buried in Sleepy Hollow Cemetery at Concord. No issue.

2357. Sarah Ann Benjamin b. April 9, 1846; d. July 25, 1846 at Concord. (vr).

2358. Clara S. Benjamin b. July 17, 1848; d. Sept. 24,1848

2359. Sarah E. Benjamin (Sadie), a twin, b. July 17, 1848 at Concord (vr); m. Nov. 17, 1881 at W. Acton, Mass. Williard Chase Pierce, the son of Nathaniel and Abigail (Wellington) Pierce b. 1842.

Resources: Records of Walter P. Benjamin of Lunenburg, Mass Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.; Concord, Mass. Vital Records; Vital Records of Lexington, Mass.

1197. CLARA (CLARISSA) BENJAMIN[7] (Josiah[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John 2-1) born March 8, 1795 at Berlin, Vermont (vr); the dau. of Josiah and Lucy (Banning) Benjamin; died December 11, 1883 in Barry, Michigan. She married December 1813 Ebenezer Pennock (Berlin, Vt. vr says Josiah Pennock) of Rushford New York. He was born April 15, 1795 at Straford, Vermont, the son of Ira and Molly (Trowbridge) Pennock. He died December 21, 1849 at Barry Twp., Barry Co., Michigan. Apparent

ly they were divorced, since he m/2 Rebecca Billings and Clara m/2 April 17, 1836 Peter Orr of Berlin, Vt. Clara later left Peter, took back the name of Pennock and is buried with Ebenezer and his 2nd wife in the Pennock Cemetery at Barry.

Eben had 3 children with his second wife.

Children of Ebenezer and Clara (Benjamin) Pennock:

2360. Oxiah B. Pennock b. Oct. 5, 1814 at Stafford, Vt.; d. 1893; buried in Pennock Cem. at Barry, Mich.; m. Mary Ann Rafter b. 1814 in Ireland, d. 1899. Children:
Elisa Ann Pennock m. --- Springstead.
Alfred, who moved to Texas.
Clarissa Pennock m. Samuel Williams.
Adelia Pennock m. Frank Norwood.
Arabell Pennock m. Del Norwood.
Chauncey B. Pennock m. Martha M. ---.
Georgia Pennock m. Harry Bowder.
Thomas Pennock m. Bertha Bruney.

2361. Josiah Pennock b. Jan. 1, 1817 at Strafford, Vt.; m. Eliza Rafter b. 1820 in Ireland; moved to Ill. in 1860's; and then to Kenosha Co., Kansas in 1869 and back to Pike Co., Ill. in 1876. Children: John; Rosemund; and Ira Pennock.

2362. Ira Pennock b. Dec. 10, 1821 in Vt. or N.Y.; d. Oct. 22, 1881 and buried in Pennock Cem. in Barry, Mich m. Esther Hampton. Children:
Julia Pennock b. 1849; m. Milo Barnes.
Alvah Pennock b. 1853; m/1 Lydia Barnes; m/2 Emma Kern.
Edmund K. Pennock b. 1854; m. Martha ---.
Ida A. Pennock b. 1857; m. Frank Wyman.
Sophronia M. Pennock b. 1859; m. Robert Calvin
Eben. Pennock b. 1862; m. May ---.
Myron Pennock b. 1864; m. Cora William.
Clarence Pennock b. 1866.
Herbert Pennock b. 1869; m. Emma Smith.

2363. Eben Pennock Jr. b. Jan. 4, 1824 in Rushford, Allegany Co., N.Y.; m. Elvira Farwell. They had no children, but adopted several. He donated $20,000 for a hospital in Hastings that is named the Pennock Hospital to this day.

2364. Lucy Ann Pennock b. Feb. 1, 1826; d. Aug. 8, 1891; buried in Praireville Cem. in Barry Co., Mich.; m. William Benson. Children: Albert b. 1859, d.y.; Pauline d. 1851, age 8 yrs.; Williard d. 1868, age 8 yrs.; Fred W. b. 1866, unm.; Eliza m. James Brown; Mattie m. Walter Spaulding; Millie m. --- Fisher.

2365. Bailey Thomas Pennock b.March 8, 1827; d. Jan. 6, 1904; m. Caroline Gibson. Children: Emma Cordelia m. William Hoyt; Ella m. Robert McCallister;

Jennie, died young; Rose Ann m. Lewis Beers.

Children of Peter and Clara (Benjamin Pennock) Orr:
2366. Hannah Matilda Orr; m. John Nichols.

Resources:Wilson Papers; p. 70 Vt. Marriages, pub. 1903; Records of Mrs. Charlotte Heckman of Portage, Mich.

1198.OZIAS (OZIAH) BENJAMIN[7] (Josiah[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born April 13,1797 at Berlin, Vermont (vr); the son of Josiah and Lucy (Banning) Benjamin; died November 15, 1829, age 38, in Allegany Co., New York. He married December 8, 1819 at Berlin, Vt. (vr p. 72) Caroline Bailey (Bayley) of Berlin, the dau. of Ebenezer and Sarah (Bailey) Bailey. She was born November 29, 1798 at Newberry, Mass.

His estate was probated Dec. 15, 1829 with Samuel Persons appointed administrator of his estate. He was called 'late of town of Rushford, Allegany Co., N.Y.'

Children of Osias and Caroline (Bailey) Benjamin:
2367. Caroline B. Benjamin b. 1820; m. June 24, 1838 at Berlin, Vt. (vr p. 79) David Cole of Monpelier.
2368. Lucy B. Benjamin.
2369. Philena G. Benjamin.
2370. Charles H. Benjamin; m. March 19, 1861 Eveline S. Goodhue at Berlin, Vt. (vr p. 88).

Resources: Vol. 3 p. 109 Sept. 1966 Tree Talks Magazine; p. 202 Bailey Gen., Bailey, 1899; Vermont Marriages, pub. 1903; Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.

1199. SARAH (SALLY) BENJAMIN[7] (Josiah[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born May 28, 1798 at Berlin, Vermont (vr); the dau. of Josiah and Lucy (Banning) Benjamin; died February 18, 1867 and buried in the East Road Cemetery at Berlin, Vt. She married March 25, 1819 at Berling, Vt. (vr) Ebenezer Bailey Jr., the son of Ebenezer and Sarah (Bailey) Bailey. He was born either May 30, 1796 or June 25, 1794 at Newburgh, Mass and is buried in the same cemetery.

Children of Ebenezer and Sarah (Benjamin) Bailey:
2371. Caroline Abigail Bailey b. Nov. 10, 1820; m. --- Caswell.
2372. Ozias Benjamin Bailey b. Feb. 6, 1822; m. Laura Barnes and resided in Berlin, Vt.
2373. Aronina (Arisina) Bailey b. April 27, 1824/6; d. Jun 2, 1863; m. 1843 Andrew Bailey, son of Cyrus and Hannah (Bailey) Bailey.
2374. Fredrick Bailey b. August 24, 1827; d. 1866 unm.
2375. Emery Saxton Bailey b. August 28, 1829.
2376. William Bailey b. Jan. 22, 1831; m/1 Jane C. Alexandria in 1852; m/2 Alma A. Wright.
2377. Thomas Wells Bailey b. March 10, 1833.
2378. Eliza Bailey b. December 2, 1835.

2379. Ebenezer Bailey b. Aug. 23, 1837; m/1 Mary J. Jackson in 1859; m/2 Hattie M. Nicholson in 1890.
2380. Joshua Bailey b. Oct. 16, 1842; m. Ellen Maria Poor in 1864.
2381. Joseph K. Bailey.
2382. Milo C. Bailey.
2383. Jacob Bailey.
2384. Hale Grown Bailey; resided in the old homestead.
2385. Charles A. Bailey; successful banker in Stoneham.

Resources: p. 269 & 238 Bailey Gen., Hollis R. Bailey, 1899 Vermont Marriages p. 72, pub. 1903.

1201. JOSIAH BENJAMIN III[7] (Josiah[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born July 7, 1803 at Berlin, Vermont (vr); the son of Josiah and Lucy (Banning) Benjamin; died October 4, 1884 at the age of 81-2-28 (gs) at Berlin, Vt. (vr). He is buried at the New Cemetery (Four Corners) at Berlin, Vt. He married December 25, 1827 at Berlin, Vt. (vr) Rebecca Emerson. She was born August 5, 1805 at Berlin, Vt. and died December 24, 1874, age 68. (gs). (Vt. Marriage Research says she was born February 24, 1806.)

Josiah inherited and lived on the Benjamin Falls Farm. John E.'s family, Samuel Webster's family, Ira Arthur's family and Elizabeth Stewart's family are all buried in the New Cemetery at Berlin Four Corners.

Children of Josiah and Rebecca (Emerson) Benjamin:
*2386. Chauncey Edward Benjamin b. February 1, 1831 at Berlin, Vt. (vr).
*2387. Lucy Ann Benjamin b. April 2, 1831 at Berlin (vr).
*2388. John Emerson Benjamin b. July 19, 1833 at Berlin.
*2389. Charles Kendall Benjamin b. Nov. 20, 1836 Berlin (vr
*2390. Philena R. Benjamin b. July 18, 1839 at Berlin (vr).
2391. Jane Electa Benjamin bc. 1840/1; m. Dec. 24, 1859 Mark P. Benjamin, son of Paul Benjamin of Irving, Mass. (On the marriage rec. she lists her mother as Rebecca Emmerson); both are listed as born in Madison, Ohio and her age is given as 19; Vernon, Vt. (vr).
*2392. Samuel Webster Benjamin b. May 1, 1843 at Berlin, Vt
*2393. Ira Arthur Benjamin b.January 26, 1845 at Berlin.
2394. Elizabeth B. Benjamin b. November 3, 1847 at Berlin, Vt.; d. March 26, 1926 at Boston, Mass.; m. April 4, 1867 at Berlin, Vt. Abel H. Steward (vr). He b. May 5, 1843, d. March 6, 1927. They resided at Berlin, Vt. Issue: Madeline; Edith, who d. young; Leon Stewart.

Resources: p. 75 Vermont Marriage Research, 1903; Wilson Papers; Records of Alfred C. Benjamin of Monpelier, Vt.; Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.; Hist of Elder John Strong, Dwight, 1871; Vermont Vital Records.

1203. MATILDA BENJAMIN[7] (Josiah[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born March 26, 1807 at Berlin, Vermont; the dau.of Josiah and Lucy (Banning) Benjamin; died September 26, 1845. She married May 25, 1834 at Berlin, Vt. (vr) Daniel Sylvester Thurston of Orange and Montpelier, Vt. He was the son of Timothy and Lucy (Hayden) Thurston and was born in 1809 at Orange, Vt. and died April 9, 1863. He m/2 in 1846 Mrs. Ruth Town.

He was a farmer, tanner, and Methodist. He moved first to Madison, Wis. and then to Beaver Dam, Wis. He was in the Civil War in the First Wis. Regt. and served 9 months. He received a commission at a Lt. in the Wis. Calvery. He contracted a disease of the lungs, was discharged, but lived only 3 days after reaching home. The widow resided in Omaha, Neb. with her son.

Children of Daniel S. and Matilda (Benjamin) Thurston:

2395. Angeline Louisa French Thurston b. December 4, 1837; m/1 Frank Kilgore; m/2 David Newman.
2396. Caroline Gertrude Thurston b. 1840; m. Lorenzo H.Dow
2397. Carrie Langdon Thruston b. 1842; m. Elijah J. Fisher

Children of Daniel S. and Ruth (Town) Thurston:

John Mellen Thurston.
Ruth Mellen Thurston.

Resources: p. 455 Thurston Gen., Brown Thurston, 1892; p.78 Vermont Marriage Research, 1903.

1204. HANNAHN BENJAMIN[7] (Josiah[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born July 10, 1811 at Berlin, Vermont; the dau. of Josiah and Lucy (Banning) Benjamin; died February 17, 1898, age 86 yrs She m/1 Dr. Thomas Wells Bailey of Berlin, Vt. on July 11/14, 1835 at Berlin, Vt. (vr). He was born February 16, 1811. She m/2 Elisha Herrick of Morristown, Vt. and she m/3 Stephen Slayton on November 8, 1882 at Lebanon, Vt. Stephen was born May 8, 1811 and d. Dec. 14, 1898, age 86.

Children of Dr. Thomas and Hannah (Benjamin) Bailey:

2398. Sarah Ellen Bailey b. Jan. 13, 1837 at Berlin, Vt.; m. Sept. 1, 1858 Edward Clark of Barre, Vt. He was b. Sept. 10, 1833, a graduate of the University of Vermont 1757; resided at Brattlesboro, Vt. Issue: Walter Bailey Clark b. Jan. 1863, d. June 1882; Belle Genevive Clark m. Jan. 14, 1892 John Lauriston Knowlton of Brattleboro; Florence Ellen Clark b. July 13, 1870.
2399. Alina Georgianna Bailey b. Oct. 16, 1841; m. Sept. 1860 John S. Deman d. Jan. 17, 1894. He was a Lt. in the 11th Vermont Volunteers during the Civil War; was a prisoner in Andersonville and Libby prisons. After being exchanged and discharged, he resided in Hardwick, Vt. and died there. Issue: Walter Slocum Deman b. Feb. 25, 1864 at Fort Slo-

cum, d. Aug. 5, 1897, m. Alma M. W. Sillaway.

Resources: Wilson Papers; p. 24 Vermont Marriage Research, 1903; p. 238 Bailey Gen., Hollis Bailey, 1899.

1219. SALLY BENJAMIN[7] (Levi[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born December 27, 1802 in Vermont; the dau. of Levi and Abigail (Kendall) Benjamin; died after 1892. She married January 27, 1816/7 Daniel Chase of Putnam Co., New York, the son of Obadiah and Susanna (Knapp) Chase, born August 21, 1794.

He was a farmer and school director at Greeley, Iowa for 20 years. He is a descendant of Stephen Hopkins of Mayflower fame.

Children of Daniel and Sally (Benjamin) Chase:

2400. Isaac Chase; m. Miss Tubbs.

2401. Levi Chase dc. 1845; m. Amanda Keeler; resided Centerville, Allegany Co., N.Y.; had a son Arthur Chase (a violinist) who m. Etta Cotten.

2402. Ezra Chase b. March 21, 1820 at Tompkins Co., N.Y., d. May 26, 1880 at Greeley, Iowa; m. May 15, 1842 Naomi McCall and had 4 children. She was the dau. of James and Elizabeth (Dye) McCall. One son went to war and did not return; another son was James Daniel Chase m. Sarah Jane Kindal in Greeley, Iowa and had 3 sons; other children were daus.

2403. Daniel F. Chase m. Sara Howe and resided at Greeley, Iowa and Howard, S.D.

2404. Elmer Chase b. April 9, 1831 at Rushford, Allegany Co., N.Y. m. May 31, 1853 Betsey Brown, the dau. of Isaac and Sally (---) Brown b. March 25, 1834; resided at Greeley, Iowa.

2404. Eliab Chase; m. and resided in Sioux City, Iowa.

2405. Emma Chase; m. Charles H. Page; res. Hutchinson, Kansas.

Resources: p. 327 Jan. 1933 N. E. Gen. and His. Register; Records of Frank Ripley of Washington, D.C.

1222. ELIAB C. BENJAMIN[7] (Levi[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born January 9, 1812 at Ovid, Senecca Co., New York; the son of Levi and Abigail (Kendall) Benjamin; died October 28, 1869 at Rushford, Allegany Co., New York. He married Maria Gordon on January 13, 1836, the dau. of James Gordon Jr. She was born November 14, 1814 in Allegany Co., N.Y. and died August 20, 1900. The Gordons came from Vermont in 1811.

Eliab was a farmer, a member of the Baptist Church, and was in the 1855 census of Rushford, N.Y. A petition was filed May 7, 1911 for the settlement of his will, which names sons Charles W. and Lucian L.

Children of Eliab C. and Maria (Gordon) Benjamin:

2406. Julia Ann Benjamin; d. young and buried with parents

*2407. James G. Benjamin b. May 22, 1838 at Allegany Co. NY
2408. Lucian L. (Lee) Benjamin b. April 15, 1841 in Allegany Co., N.Y.; d. unm. 1867 age 25-10-5 (gs).
2409. Calista (Galispa) Benjamin b. May 27, 1844 in Allegany Co., N.Y. Also in census as Gellispa. (male).
2410. G. Berney (Burney) Benjamin --your compiler feels this is Galispa Berney (see above) b. May 27, 1844 in Allegany Co., N.Y.; supposedly m. and died in New York City; perhaps d. May 22, 1893 at Syracuse N.Y.; had a dau. Bertha Benjamin who m. Edward Davis. She moved to Beverly, Calif. and had one son and one dau.

Resources: Census records; Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.; p. 471 Early Setter's of N.Y. Vol. IV by Janet Foley.

1223. ALNION (ALMON/ALMOND) K. BENJAMIN[7] (Levi[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born October 29, 1813 at Ovid, Senecca Co., New York; the son of Levi and Abigail (Kendall) Benjamin; died October 19, 1893 at Rushford, Allegany Co., New York. He married Eliza Ann McCall on June 21, 1835, the dau. of James McCall. She was born January 25, 1819 and died March 14, 1908.

He is located in the 1850 census at Centerville and in 1860 at Rushford Twp., both in Allegany Co., N.Y. A petition was filed in 1893 for settlement of his will, which names only his wife, Eliza Ann and mentions his age as 68 in 1882. The town of East Hamburg, Erie Co., N.Y. is also mentioned.

Children of Alnion K. and Eliza Ann (McCall) Benjamin:
*2411. Francis Benjamin b. 1837/8 in New York.
*2412. Sophia E. Benjamin bc. 1839/40 in N.Y.
2413. Mary A. Benjamin bc. 1845/6 in N.Y.; m. 1866 Frank W. Lyman, a railroad man, who d. Jan. 1901. She had musical talent, and went to Wisconsin in 1865 as a music teacher.
2414. Chloe/Cora Benjamin; went to Hamburg with parents; m. Dec. 1866 Myron L Colvin; had 2 daus. who m. Brandel brothers. The eldest had a dau. and a son Myron Phillip Brandel. She was well known as a singer.

Resources: Records of Mrs. John Keller of Litiz, Pa.; Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.; Census records.

1225. CHARLES E. BENJAMIN[7] (Levi[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born June 5, 1817 or 1819 at Rushford, Allegany Co., New York; the son of Levi and Abigail (Kendall) Benjamin; died January 30, 1891 at Rushford, N.Y. He married Huldah M. Lamberson, dau. of John Lamberson. She was born December

9, 1820 and died July 7, 1900.

He was a famous breeder of cattle and knew about treating their diseases. He was also an auctioneer. In 1865 he, along with Mr. Stebbins and Mr. Morrow, ran a cheese factory. In their later years, they lived with their son.

Huldah's will was filed Oct. 19, 1911 but names only son, Romaine W. of Rushford.

Children of Charles E. and Huldah (Lamberson) Benjamin:

*2415. Romaine W. Benjamin b. August 20, 1840 at Rushford.

*2416. Arcelia Abigail Benjamin b. 1842 at Rushford, N.Y.

2417. Ralph Benjamin b. April 13, 1844 at Rushford, N.Y.; d. August 3, 1863; unm. He enlisted in the Army at age 18 and was killed the next year at the Battle of Chancelorville.

Resources: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass p. 804 Allegany Co. and It's People 1795-1895.

1228. OLIVER DAVIS BENJAMIN[7] (Asa[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born March 13, 1806 at South Woodstock, Vermont; the son of Oliver and Rhoda (Persons/Parsons) Davis; but adopted by Asa and Abigail (Swingerton) Benjamin at the age of 2 years; died September 2, 1864 of dysentry at Rushford, Allegany Co, New York. He married Lucia Spencer Woods of Windsor, Vt. on October 28, 1832 at Rushford, N.Y. She was the dau. of Daniel and Laura S. (Wilson) Woods and was born May 31, 1812 at Rushford, N.Y. They are both buried in the Podunque Cemetery at Rushford. She m/2 Calvin Galusha Leavens on May 1, 1877.

Oliver came into the possession of his adopted father's home, where he lived and died, and then left it to his dau. Sylvia. He bought the biggest trees that no one else could haul, since he had a large pair of oxen. He sawed them into lumber, took it by boat on the canal to New York City and use to bring back silk for dresses for his wife.

Children of Oliver D. and Lucia (Woods) Benjamin:

*2418. Sylvia Elmyra Benjamin b. October 5, 1834 at Rushford, N.Y.

2419. Rhoda Albertine Benjamin b. May 23, 1846 at Rushford, N.Y.; d. 1856, age 10 yrs. (gs).

Resources: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass p. 2459 Desc. of Nathaniel Ely, Beach and Ely, 1902; Rushford, Allegany Co., Centenial 1908 via Norine Boyd Steward of Niantic, Conn.; Salt Lake Family Group Sheet.

1231. PHEBE BENJAMIN[7] (Asa[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born May 18, 1810 at Vermont; the dau. of Asa and Abigail (Swimerton Benjamin; died May 10, 1856 at the age of 46. She married Holton Colburn in 1838. He was the brother of Charles and Seth Colburn.

Children of Holton and Phebe (Benjamin) Colburn:
2420. Gratie Colburn.
2421. Julia Colburn; m. Nathan Miller and left three children: Ethel or Ellen; Fred; and Grace Miller.
2422. Ethel Colburn; m. Eben Hayes and left 4 children.

Resources: Records of Norine Boyd Steward of Niantic, Conn. Records of Ira E. Bishop of Homewood, Ill.; p. 805 Allegany Co. Hist.; Whitehall Cemetery records; Wilson papers; Research of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass

1232. PERCY BENJAMIN[7] (Asa[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) a possible dau. of Asa and Abigail (Swimerton) Benjamin. She married Seth Colburn.

Note: Phebe and Percy MAY have been the same person, but Abigail Benjamin was listed as 'the fifth daughter'!

Children of Seth and Percy (Benjamin) Colburn:
2423. Adoniriam Colburn.
2424. Henry B. Colburn.

Resources: Records of Norine Boyd Steward of Niantic, Conn.

1233. ABIGAIL SALOME BENJAMIN[7] (Asa[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born February 20/26, 1820 at Rushford, Allegany Co., New York; the dau. of Asa and Abigail (Swimerton) Benjamin; died January 19, 1906 at Allegney Twp., Potter Co., Penn. She married John Charles Bishop on November 1, 1841 at Rushford, N.Y. He was the son of Ira and Sarah (Patrick) Bishop and was born March 5, 1817 and W. Windsor, Vermont and died September 24, 1882 at Potter Co., Penn.

Abigail married her near neighbor, John Bishop, who had also come from Windsor, Vermont. He served in the Civil War at the age of 50. In Feb. 1853 John, his wife and 5 children, ages 3 to 10, left in a sleign with all their possessions for Penn. They settled on a homesite in Allegany Township, between Ellisberg and Andrews settlements. Then, in March, their 6th child was born in their new home.

Children of John C. and Abigail (Benjamin) Bishop:
2425. Estella Charlotte Bishop b. March 29, 1843 at Rushford, N.Y.; d. June 10, 1912 at Pasadena, Calif.; m. Sept. 30, 1866 in Penn. John Coulstone, son of John and Jane (Dalton) Coulstone.
2426. Benjamin Franklin Bishop b. July 4, 1844 at Centerville, N.Y.; d. April 21, 1915 at Mesa Calif.; m. Oct. 26, 1873 Frances Eugenia Coats in Penn., dau. of Charles and Elvira (Ellis) Coats.
2427. Mary Inez Bishop b. October 5, 1846 at Centerville, N.Y.; d. June 4, 1871 Potter Co., Penn.; m. 1871 Ralph L. Nelson, son of Lyman and Anner M. (Hall) Nelson.
2428. Sarah Jane Bishop b. June 10, 1848 at Rushford, NY; d. July 7, 1929 at Ellisburgh, Penn.; m. 1874

Horace H. Hall, son of Dennis and Elvira (Lewis) Hall.

2429. Ira Gustaves Bishop b. May 28, 1850 at Friendship, N.Y.; d. July 1, 1923 at Ellisburgh, Penn.; m. 1886 Elizabeth Coats, dau. of Charles and Elvira (Ellis) Coats.

2430. Kate Woods Bishop b. March 21, 1853 in Allegany Twp, Penn.; m. 1875 James Currier;had no children.

2431. Annetta Chamberlain Bishop b. June 2, 1856; d. unm. June 6, 1934.

2432. Caroline Elmore Bishop b. Dec. 11, 1858 in Penn.; d. Feb. 24, 1924 Potter Co., Penn.; m. 1883 Henry H. Kies, son of Enos and Sarah (Gardner) Kies.

2433. John Coulston Bishop b. Dec. 11, 1863 in Penn.; d. March 10, 1928; an invalid from birth.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Bible Records in possession of Raymond Gilliand of Penn.; Vol. 8 #30 Dec. 1964 p. 101 Desc of James Bishop and some of their N.Y. State Settlers in Yesteryears; Census Records of 1860-70 of Allegany Twp., Potter Co., Penn.; Records of Ira E. Bishop of Homewood, Il

1231. HARRIET C./K. BENJAMIN^{7} (Asa^{6}, Wm.^{5}, Jno.^{4}, Dan.^{3}, John$^{2-1}$) born October 31, 1823 at Rushford, Allegany Co., New York; the dau. of Asa and Abigail (Swimerton) Benjamin; died August 31, 1903, age 79-10-21 at Rushford (gs) and is buried in the White Cemetery at Rushford. She married George C. Colburn on April 11, 1847 at Rushford, the son of Charles and Nancy (Wetherell) Colburn. He was born January 17, 1822 and died December 8, 1878, age 50-10-21 (gs). He is buried in the same cemetery.

On Harriet's gravestone it reads: "Only a tired toiler can taste sleep's glad release."

Charles Colburn came to Rushford from Shrewsbury, Vt. in 1833 and settled on land now belonging to Martin Lyon. He was a farmer and lumberman, while the pine timber lasted. He was also highway commissioner in Rushford for a time.

Children of George C. And Harriet (Benjamin) Colburn:

2434. Wallace Colburn; m. Mary J. Gray and had children: Bertha, Ella, and Harry Colburn.

2435. Flora Colburn; m. --- DeWitt.

2436. Homer Harrison Colburn b. 1859; d. 1902; m. Flora Alderman of Rushford, the dau. of Harvey and Maritt (Bishop) Alderman on July 18, 1882 at Rushford. She was b. 1862 and d. 1925. She m/2 Charles Balcom. Issue: Ruth Colburn m. --- Burr and Clyde Colburn.

Resources: Records of Norine Boyd Steward of Niatic, Conn.; Rushford, Allegany Co., N.Y. Centennial, 1908; Records of Ira E. Bishop of Homewood, Ill.

1255. ABEL BENJAMIN[7] (Jno.[6], Joshua[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born June 17, 1778 at Guildhall, Orange County, Vermont (vr); or December 18, 1777 at Sudbury, Mass. (vr); the possible son of Jonathan and Mary (---) Benjamin. He married Dorothy (Dolly) Rosebrooks on May 26, 1801 at Guildhall, Vt. (vr). She was the dau. of William and Lydia (Dodge) Rosebrooks and was born between 1784-90.

Children of Abel and Dorothy (Rosebrooks) Benjamin:

2437. Jonathan Benjamin b. September 14/19, 1803 at Guildhall, Vt. (vr); d. April 21, 1887 age 73-7-7.

2438. William Benjamin b. October 26, 1805 at Guildhall, Vt. (vr); d. March 26, 1806 at Guildhall. (vr).

2439. Mary W. Benjamin b. January 22, 1813 at Guildhall, (vr). (Note: A Polly Benjamin d. Oct. 16, 1861 at Guildhall, Vt. (vr).

2440. Abel D. Benjamin b. July 12, 1817 at Guildhall, Vt. (vr); d. October 12, 1882 at Guildhall (vr); m. Sarah C. Lamkin (Lumkin) on February 28, 1843 at Guildhall (vr). She was the dau. of JoshuaB. Lumkin and was born 1821/2 at Brunswick and died May 1, 1882, age 60 yrs. at Guildhall, Vt. (vr).

Resources: Gildhall, Vt. Vital Records; Hist. of Guildhall, Vt. by Everett C. Benton, 1886.

1262. ISAAC BENJAMIN[7] (Abiezer[6], Joshua[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born March 15, 1791 at Hallowell, Maine; the son of Abiezer and Mary (Savage) Benjamin; died May 25, 1869, age 78 years at Wautoma, Wisconsin; married January 5, 1819 at North Auson, Maine Rachel Annis, dau. of Benjamin and Mary (Walker) Annis. She was born March 25, 1779 at Boothbay, Maine and died June 7, 1878 at Spring Valley, Minnesota. Isaac is buried in the Leach Cemetery in Marion Twp., near Wautoma, Wisconsin and Rachel is buried in the Racine-Hamilton Cemetery.

Skowhegen, Maine Probate Records 2;283 on September 14, 1818 Issac Benjamin of Moscow, Maine was appointed guardian of Susanna and Ellenor Littlefield, sole heirs of the estate of the late Joseph Littlefield.

Isaac was a farmer and cabinet maker. They are listed in the 1850 census of Moscow, Maine and had a 400 acre farm there. They were in Omro, Wisconsin in the 1860 census. Isaac migrated to Wisconsin about 1852/3.

Children of Isaac and Rachel (Annis) Benjamin:

*2441. Stephen P. Benjamin b. November 23, 1820 in Moscow, Maine.

*2442. Calvin Selden Benjamin b. June 4, 1822 in Moscow.

2443. Cynthia B. Benjamin b. February 19, 1824 at Moscow; d. October 20, 1843 at Moscow; buried in Sugartown Cemetery at Moscow, Maine.

*2444. Anne S. Benjamin b. January 7, 1826 at Moscow.

*2445. Sophina Temple (Sophronia) Benjamin b. January 22,

1828 at Moscow, Maine.
*2446. Cyrus Benjamin b. November 22, 1829 at Moscow.
*2447. Sylvester Benjamin b. November 11, 1831 at Moscow.
*2448. Albert Benjamin b. August 2, 1833 at Moscow.
*2449. Herbert Benjamin b. June 1, 1835 at Moscow.
*2450. Stellman Benjamin b. November 26, 1839 at Moscow.
*2451. Ephriam G. Benjamin b. April 19, 1840 at Moscow.
*2452. Angeline F. Benjamin b. June 15, 1843 at Moscow, Me.

Resources: Research of Helen (Benjamin) Brown of Oak Park, Illinois.

1265. JOHN BENJAMIN[7] (Abiezer[6], Joshua[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born March 28, 1796 at Hallowell, Maine; the son of Abiezer and Mary (Savage) Benjamin; died April 30, 1839 at Bingham, Maine and buried in the Village Cemetery. He married December 14, 1816 in Bingham, Esther Spaulding, the dau. of Joseph and Sybil (---) Spaulding. She was born January 7, 1802 and died December 31, 1838, age 37 yrs. and is buried in the same cemetery.

Children of John and Esther (Spaulding) Benjamin:
*2453. William Benjamin b. January 12, 1818 in Bingham, Me.
2454. Elmer (Elum/Elane) Benjamin b. November 16, 1819 at Bingham; d. August 11, 1900 at Randolph, Maine; m. March 16, 1847 Lucuid Moore, dau. of Luther and Hannah (---) Moore. They had one child: Helen Maria Benjamin b. May 1854, d. October 3, 1869.
2455. George Benjamin; died young.
*2456. Hiram Benjamin b. 1823 at Bingham, Maine.
2457. Ascweth Benjamin b. 1825; d. 1902 in Boston, Mass.; m. April 30, 1848 Thomas Cobb. They had a child b. Sept. 19, 1857 at Boston with a Roxbury vr.
2458. Esther Benjamin b. 1827; m. Sept. 13, 1848 John Dyer at Roxbury, Mass. (vr); son of William and Sally Dyer. Had son George Edwin Dyer b. April 26, 1848 at Roxbury, Mass.
2459. John B. Benjamin b. 1828; d. July 9, 1889, age 61 years, at Augusta, Maine.
2460. Sybil Benjamin b. 1832; went to California.
2461. Cordelia Benjamin b. 1833/4; m. Feb. 5, 1856 at Boston James Lord. Had son Charles Lord b. Dec. 7, 1860 at Melrose, Mass, d. Oct. 19, 1915 at Fairhaven, Conn.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Homer (Helen Benjamin) Brown of Oak Park, Illinois.

1266. SARAH (SALLY) BENJAMIN[7] (Abiezer[6], Joshua[5], Jno.[4], Abel[2], John[2-1]) born 1799 at North Auston, Maine; the dau. of Abiezer and Mary (Savage) Benjamin; married November 1, 1827 Josiah Fletcher, who was born 1779 and died April 20, 1827. He is buried in the Village Cemetery at Bingham,

Maine.

Children of Josiah and Sarah (Benjamin) Fletcher:
2462. Josiah Fletcher Jr. b. 1831; a preacher.
2463. Elizabeth Fletcher b. 1832; m. February 20, 18?? Micha W. Morton of Auston, Maine. He died in 1873. She m/2 --- Smith. She had a son John Morton b. 1861, who was brought up by his grandmother, Sarah (Benjamin) Fletcher.
2464. William Fletcher.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Homer (Helen Benjamin) Brown of Oak Park, Ill.

1267. STEPHEN BENJAMIN[7] (Andrew[6], Jno.[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born February 12, 1778 at Ashley, Mass.; the son of Andrew and Mary (Pierce) Benjamin. He married Sarah (Sally) Carter of Wayland, Mass. on January 23, 1805 at Wayland (vr). She was born 1781 and died February 27, 1819 at Weston, Mass, age 38 years. (vr).

There is a marriage record at Troy, N.H. on January 21, 1821 for a Stephen Benjamin to Betsey Cummings. The intentions of Oct. 29, 1820 for the same marriage are recorded in the Wayland, Mass. vital records.

Stephen resided in Brookline, Mass. at the time of his first marriage, and later at Keene, New Hampshire.

Children of Stephen and Sarah (Carter) Benjamin:
2465. Elvira Ann Benjamin bp. Dec. 4, 1808 at Wayland.
*2466. George Washington Benjamin bp. Sept. 24, 1810 at Wayland, Mass.
2467. Lydia Carter Benjamin bp. Sept. 8, 1816 at Wayland.
2468. Nancy Carter Benjamin, a twin, bp. Sept. 8, 1816.
2469. Adeline Augusta Benjamin bp. Sept. 8, 1816 at Wayland, Mass.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Raymond Fales of Westford, Mass. Wayland, Mass. Vital Records; Obit Index in Mass. Centinel, 1961; Gen. of Fam. of Lt. Samuel Benjamin, Mary L. Benjamin

1268. AMOS PIERCE BENJAMIN[7] (Andrew[6], Jno.[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born 1780 at Ashley, Mass.; the son of Andrew and Mary (Pierce) Benjamin; bapt. October 15, 1780 at Fitzwilliam, New Hampshire; died February 16, 1846, age 66 (gs) and buried in the Indian Opening Cemetery, located ½ mile west of the village of Madison, Madison Co., New York. He m/1 Hannah Mygate (Mygatte) who was born March 9, 1785. He m/2 Sarah Bacon bc. 1781 in Mass. She is buried in the same cemetery but her stone is badly broken, and can't be read.

Amos P. was an Ensign in the Oneida Co., N.Y. Militia in 1805 and a Lt. in 1806. He moved in 1808. He owned land in Paris, Oneida Co., N.Y. in 1814. He is located in the 1810 census at Amenia, Dutchess Co., N.Y. and in the 1840 census at Georgetown, Madison Co., Ny with 5 children.

Children of Amos Pierce Benjamin:

2470. Lorenzo Benjamin b. Feb. 7, 1804; d. April 29, 1809; buried in the Red Church Burying Grounds at Amenia New York.

*2471. Harriet Benjamin b. July 5, 1806 at Oneida Co., NY

2472. Julia Benjamin b. February 14, 1810 at Amenia, N.Y.

2473. Mervin Benjamin b. April 5, 1812 at Amenia, N.Y.

*2474. William C. Benjamin bc.1814 at Madison Co., N.Y.

2475. Lodelia J. Benjamin b. June 20, 1819; d. October 30, 1884; m. June 19, 1851 Hiram Alanson Deming as his 2nd wife. He was b. Nov. 17, 1799 at Seneca Lake, N.Y., d. Apr. 9, 1882 at Syracuse, N.Y. Issue: Clarinda G.; Frank Benjamin; Ella Rebecca; and William Charles Deming.

*2476. Augustus Benjamin b. July 6, 1825 at Albany, N.Y.

Resources: Wilson Papers; p. 160 The Deming Fam., Judson Deming, 1904; Vol. 182 p. 73 Madison Co. Cem. Records; Records of Mrs. Raymond Fales of Westford, Mass.; Microfilm #4040 from Salt Lake City, Utah Library; p. 297 Desc.of Andrew Warner.

1270. FRANCIS BENJAMIN[7] (Andrew[6], Jno.[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born April 9, 1784 at Fitzwilliam, New Hampshire; the son of Andrew and Mary (Pierce) Benjamin. He married Dorothy Wood on April 16, 1807, the dau. of Abijah and Dorothy (Wheeler) Wood. She was born May 14, 1784 at Westminister, Mass. and died December 6, 1849, age 64.

Francis, early in his married life, left his family and the mother and son were kindly and abundantly cared for by her parents.

Children of Francis and Dorothy (Wood) Benjamin:

*2477. Abijah Wheeler Benjamin b. January 15, 1810 at Winchendon, Mass.

Resources: p. 156 Hist. of Wheeler Fam. in Am., Wheeler, 1914; p. 547 Hist. of Westminister, Mass., Heywood; Westminister, Mass. Vital Records; Rinceton, Mass. Vital Record Records of Mrs. Raymond Fales of Westford, Mass.

1271. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[7] (Andrew[6], Jno.[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born May 20, 1786 at Fitzwilliam, New Hampshire; the son of Andrew and Mary (Pierce) Benjamin; died before 1816 at about the age of 30. He married Anna Cutter on September 8, 1811 at Arlington, Mass. (vr), the dau. of Ephraim and Deborah (Locke) Cutter. She was born September 7, 1793. She m/2 in 1816 Peter Tuffs. They resided at Charlestown, Mass. It is unknown if there was any issue of her first marriage.

Resources: p. 135 Hist. of the Cutter Fam., Cutter, 1871; p. 78 Gen. and Estate of Charlestown, Wyman, 1879.

1273. LEVI BENJAMIN[7] (Andrew[6], Jno.[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born July 18, 1791 at Winchendon, Mass.; the son of Andrew and Mary (Pierce) Benjamin. He married Mary Jewett, dau. of Dr. Stephen and Nancy (Colburn) Jewett on June 1818. She was born September 6, 1797 at Rindge, New Hampshire. After Levi's death, Mary lived at Finchburgh, Mass.

Children of Levi and Mary (Jewett) Benjamin:
2478. Clara Ann Benjamin b. at Ashby, Mass. (vr).
2479. Mary Jewett Benjamin b. April 23, 1820 at Rindge, New Hampshire (vr).
2480. Caroline Bart/Barbour Benjamin b. May 20, 1822 at Rindge, N.H.; d. Dec. 31, 1850; m. Ambrus Warren, adopted son of Edward Spaulding, b. Feb. 17, 1818

Resources: p. 220 Jewett of Am., Vol. I, Clark, 1908; p. 393 Spaulding Memorial, Spaulding, 1897.

1278. DANIEL BENJAMIN[7] (Daniel[6], Jno.[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) Born March 6, 1783 at Ashburnham, Mass.; the son of Daniel and Tamezon (Felton) Benjamin; died June 10, 1865, age 82 yrs. 3 mos. at Ashburnham, Mass. (vr). He m/1 Rachel Wetherall in 1806. She was born December 17, 1783 at Mansfield, Mass. and died December 12, 1838, age 55, at Ashburnham, Mass. (vr). He m/2 Betsy Billings on March 4, 1840, the dau. of Dr. W. and Betsey (McIntyre) Billings. She died October 1863. (Note: The Family Group Sheet from Salt Lake City, Utah says he m/2 Betsey (McIntyre) Billings, a widow. Supposedly Betsey McIntyre was the widow of Joshua Billings.)

They resided on the farm of D. D. McIntire (McIntyre) when the Ashburnham History was written.

Children of Daniel and Rachel (Wetherall) Benjamin:
*2481. Stillman Daniel Benjamin b. November 4, 1807 at Ashburnham, Mass.
2482. Samuel H. Benjamin b. November 10, 1809 at Ashburnham; d. January 18, 1879 at Ashley, Mass.; m. October 15, 1835 Tamezin Hunt, the dau. of Peter Hunt of Boston, at Ashburnham. She d. Sept. 19, 1869, age 52. There was no issue of this m.
2483. Louisa Rachel Benjamin b. July 15, 1816 at Ashburnham; m. May 7, 1837 Ai Foster. She d. Feb. 3, 1878.
2484. Lorenza Benjamin, a female twin, b. July 15, 1816; d. February 17, 1817.

Resources: Hist. of Ashburnham, Stearns; Wilson Papers; Records of Mrs. Raymond Fales of Westford, Mass.; Salt Lake Family Group Sheet.

1279. NAHUM BENJAMIN[7] (Daniel[6], Jno.[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born February 20, 1785 at Ashburnham, Mass.; the son of Daniel and Tamezon (Felton) Benjamin. He married Judith Reed (Read)

of Ashworth, New Hampshire, the dau. of Supply and Susanna (Bryan) Reed. She was born about 1789 at Ashworth. They were married in 1810.

They lived near Daniel for awhile, in Ashburnham, Mass. and then went "West".

2485. Susan Reed Benjamin b. July 31, 1811 at Ashburnham.
2486. Sarah Eliza Benjamin b. August 31, 1814.
2487. Timothy Nahum Benjamin b. December 4, 1817.
2488. Supply Benjamin bc. 1819 at Ashburnham, Mass.
2489. Harriet Benjamin bc. 1821 at Ashburnham.
2490. Alzina (Alsina) Benjamin bc. 1823 at Ashburnham.

Resouces: Wilson Papers; Stearn's Hist. of Ashburnham, Mass Family Group Sheet from Salt Lake City, Utah.

1282. SALLY BENJAMIN[7] (Daniel[6], Jno.[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born March 14, 1792 at Ashburnham, Mass.; the dau. of Daniel and Tamazon (Felton) Benjamin; died March 31, 1837. She married Deacon John Hunt of Boston, as his 2nd wife, on October 5, 1805. He was the son of John and Rebecca (Hicks) Hunt. Supposedly he m. another Sally Benjamin, but she was not "of Ashburnahm".

Children of John and Sally (Benjamin) Hunt:
2491. John M. Hunt. b. October 6, 1816; d. Jan. 6, 1839.
2492. Sarah Elizabeth Hunt. b. August 6, 1818; d. June 9, 1821.
2493. Harriet A. Hunt b. January 18, 1821.
2494. Maria Charlotte Hunt b. February 5, 1825.
2495. William A. Hunt b. March 13, 1827; m. Inez M. White.
2496. Emily Hunt b. September 26, 1829.
2497. Clarissa Hunt; died young.
2498. George E. Hunt b. November 12, 1836.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

1288. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born September 7, 1786 at Livermore, Maine; the son of Samuel and Tabitha (Livermore) Benjamin; died April 27, 1871, age 85, at Winthrop, Maine. He married Olivia Metcalf on January 11, 1816 at Livermore, Maine, the dau. of Calvin and Eunice (Adams) Metcalf. She was born July 30, 1795 at Franklin, Mass. and died May 30, 1879 at Winthrop and is buried at Winthrop.

Samuel was a cabinet maker and a Captain the the Militia.

In Vol. 308:296 (Cambridge Reg. of Deeds) in 1831 Samuel of Winthrop and wife Olina sold for $350. to Cyrus Dans of Concord, Mass., land near the meeting house in Concord.

Samuel built a home on the bank of a stream in Winthrop Maine in 1811. It was a home and cabinet shop. Later it was moved to Main Street and enlarged to accommodatehis 12 children. He engaged Rufus Porter to paint murals on the

walls of his living quarters about 1830. Samuel died in 1871, but the house remained in the hands of the family until 1912. In spite of the fact that the building had been used as a cobbler's shop, hardware store, private hospital, law office and telephone company office, the wall painting was still intact when the telephone company sold the build- to the Depositor's Trust Co. of Augusta. The bank had bought the land for a parking place. A retired postman and hobbist, Bartley Jackson, pointed out the importance of the wall paintings to bank officials, who then alerted the Maine State Museum director, Robert L. Daum. The murals were saved, along with the wide floor boards, beams and other construction materials, so that visitors to the museum might see how the Benjamin building was made.

Rufus Porter was born in W. Boxford, Mass. in 1792 and at the age of 9 moved to Maine. In his early teens, he assumed responsibility for himself. He was a fiddler, shoe maker's apprentice, house and sign painter, drummer, and dancing instructor. He traveled on foot, painting portraits all the way to Virginia and back. In 1825 he did many rooms and halls in Mass., N.H., and Maine, and in 1820 and 1835 he did many murals in small forms west of Augusta. Most of the murals were done above the wainscoting, but in the Benjamin house they were the only known examples of his murals extending from the ceiling to the floor.

Children of Samuel and Olivia (Metcalf) Benjamin:

2499. Olina Adams Benjamin b. January 2, 1817 at Winthrop, Maine; d. July 16, 1822.

*2500. Samuel Eliot Benjamin b. December 29, 1818.

2501. Caroline Emmons Benjamin b. January 27, 1821 at Winthrop; d. July 31, 1822.

*2502. John Milton Benjamin b. March 28, 1823.

*2503. Albion Paris Benjamin b. January 12, 1825.

*2504. Mary Anne Benjamin b. March 16, 1827 at Winthrop.

2505. Julius Metcalf Benjamin b. May 17, 1829 at Winthrop; d. June 15, 1829.

2506. Caroline Olina Benjamin b. December 27, 1830 at Winthrop; m. April 1862 Marshall Doane of San Francisco, California.

2507. Susan Metcalf Benjamin b. March 17, 1833 at Winthrop m. Andrew J. Crowell.

2508. Mary Frances Benjamin b. February 25, 1835.

2509. Charles Henry Benjamin b. February 19, 1840 at Winthrop; d. July 9, 1 50.

2510. one child, unknown; perhaps died young.

Resources: Vol. 11 p. 27 DAR Lineage Book; p. 75 Livermore Fam. of Am., Thwing; Gen. of Fam. of Lt. Samuel Benjamin, Mary L. Benjamin, 1900; p. 83 Vol. 98 N. E. Gen. and Hist. Register; p. 72 Representative Citizens of Maine; Yankee Magazine March 1969, p. 110.

1289. NATHANIEL BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born May 7/16, 1788 at Livermore, Maine; the son of Samuel and Tabitha (Livermore) Benjamin; died December 19, 1867 at the age of 79, at Livermore, Maine. He married Betsey Chase on June 25, 1812, the dau. of Capt. Tristram and Polly (---) Chase. She was born January 16, 1797 at Livermore and died October 18, 1854 at Livermore, Maine.

Children of Nathaniel and Betsey (Chase) Benjamin:

2511. Charles Tristram Benjamin b. August 28, 1813 at Livermore; d. January 5, 1815.
2512. son b. Nov. 1814; d. Nov. 1814.
2513. Elizabeth Benjamin b. November 21, 1816; d. March 5, 1889; m. November 16, 1855 Enos Dillingham of Dixfield, Maine.
*2514. Nathaniel Benjamin b. June 16, 1821 at Livermore.
2515. Mary Stella Benjamin b. January 1, 1819 at Livermore m. December 15, 1840 Albert Gallatno Hinds.
2516. Ernestine Benjamin b. May 10, 1823; d. January 7, 1865; m. February 18, 1845 Thomas O. Haskell.
2517. Cordania Benjamin b. March 10, 1826 at Livermore; m. October 18, 1845 Elbridge Gerry Hinds.
*2518. Charles Rutellus Benjamin b. June 12, 1830 at Livermore, Maine.

Resources: p. 75 Livermore Fam. of Am., Thwing; Wilson Papers; Gen. of Fam. of Lt. Samuel and Tabitha Livermore Benjamin, Mary L. Benjamin, 1900; Family Group Sheet from Salt Lake City, Utah.

1291. POLLY BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born October 2, 1792 at Livermore, Maine; the dau. of Samuel and Tabitha (Livermore) Benjamin; died March 6, 1865 at Bangor, Maine. She married October 16, 1816 at Androscoggin, Maine Samuel Ames. He was the son of Winslow and Margaret (Nichols) Ames and was born May 11, 1789 at Lewiston, Maine and died April 5, 1862 at Hermosa, Maine.

Children of Samuel and Polly (Benjamin) Ames:

2519. Charles Benjamin Ames b. December 22, 1820 at Livermore, Maine; d. July 22, 1822.
2520. Orilla Tabitha Benjamin Ames b. December 22, 1823 at Sebec, Maine; m. Feb. 28, 1841 Jotham A. C. Mason.
2521. Samuel Selden Ames b. November 14, 1825 at Sebec, Me d. April 22, 1851.
2522. Mellen Green Ames b. October 24, 1827 at Sebec; d. October 16, 1850.
2523. Irvin Winslow Ames b. May 17, 1831 at Sebec; m. January 1, 1860 Agnes Guptil Kimball.
2524. Charles Llewellyn Ames b. September 18, 1834 at Hermosa, Maine; m. May 13, 1857 Annie Judson Barker.

Resources: Family Group Sheet from Salt Lake City, Utah.

1292. MARTHA BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[2], John[2-1]) born October 2, 1792 (a twin) at Livermore, Maine; the dau. of Samuel and Tabitha (Livermore) Benjamin; died May 6, 1861 at Livermore, Maine. She married March 30, 1812 at Livermore, Israel Washburn. He was the son of Israel and Abiah (King) Washburn and was born November 10, 1784 at Raynham, Mass. and died September 2, 1786 at Livermore, Maine.

Martha was a woman of "great force of character". The Washburn Home for Orphansin Minneapolis, Minn. was founded by C. C. Washburn as a memorial to his mother.

They had 11 chidren, but only 7 sons and 3 daus. grew to adulthood.

Her sons had a united service in Congress of over 40 years.

Children of Isrel and Martha (Benjamin) Washburn:

2525. Israel Washburn Jr. b. July 6, 1813 at Livermore, Maine; died May 12, 1888; entered Congress in 1850 and served until Jan. 1, 1861; became the Governor of Maine in 1861; and was Collector of the Port of Portland 1863-76.

2526. Elihu Benjamin Washburn b. September 23, 1816 at Livermore; d. October 22, 1887 at Chicago, Ill.; was a member of Congress from Illinois from 1852-1869; Minister Plempotentary Envoy Extraordinary to France March 1869 to Sept. 1877; was Secretary of State for 14 days before his appointment to France.

2527. Cadwallader Colden Washburn b. April 22, 1818 at Livermore; d. May 14, 1882; was in Congress from Wisconsin 1855-1861 and from 1867-1871; was Governor of Wisconsin 1872-1874. During the Civil War was Major General of the Volunteers and was also Military Governor of the District of West Tennessee

2528. Algernon Sidney Wasburn b. Sept. 29, 1819. He never entered public office.

2529. Charles Ames Washburn b. March 16, 1822 at Livermore d. October 13, 1890 in New York City; m. in New York City on May 11, 1865 Sally Catherine Cleveland; was engaged in editorial work in San Francisco, Calif 1852-1861. Was Commissioner to Paraguay 1861-63; and was Minister Resident to that country Jan. 19, 1863-Dec. 1868.

2530. Samuel Benjamin Washburn b. Jan. 1, 1824; d. March 4 1890; Was a Captain in the Volunteer Service in the Civil War from 1862-65.

2531. William Drew Washburn b. January 14, 1831; was Surveyor General of Minnesota 1861-65; in the State Legislature 1868-71; Representative to Congress 1878-84; U. S. Senator 1890-95; and resided in Minneapolis, Minn.

Resources: May flower Index #36633; p. 75 Livermore Fam. of Am., Thwing; p. 126 Vol. 34 and p. 99 Vol. 38 N. E. Gen. an

Hist. Register; p. 1670 Gen. of Cleveland Fam., 1879; p. 29 Mothers of Maine by Helen Beedy.

1293. DAVID BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born June 3, 1794 at East Livermore, Maine; the son of Samuel and Tabitha (Livermore) Benjamin; died October 1883 at E. Livermore, Maine. He married September 5, 1820 at Brunswick, Maine, Catherine Chase Stanwood, dau. of Capt. William and Hannah (Chase) Stanwood. She was born May 17, 1800 at Brunswick, Maine and died May 15, 1882 at E. Livermore, Maine. She is a descendent of Aquila Chase.

He was four years old when he went with his parents to the farm on the eastern shore of the Androscoggin River, and he spent the remainder of his life on that spot, where he engaged in farming and lumbering. He was one of the chief promoters of the Androscoggin Railroad (now the Farmington Branch of the Maine Central) and was personally interested in it's construction and was a director of the road.

Hannah Chase's father was Chief Justice Salmon P. Chase, and she was 4th in descent from Lady Eleanor Stuart of Scotland.

Children of David and Catherine (Stanwood) Benjamin:

*2532. Joseph Stanwood Benjamin b. May 3, 1822 at Livermore

*2533. Harriet Morrison Benjamin b. November 4, 1823.

2534. Caroline Emmons Benjamin b. April 26, 1826 at E. Liv ermore; d. February 17, 1833 at Livermore, Maine.

2535. Catherine Stanwood Benjamin b. April 11, 1828; d. June 7, 1856 at E. Livermore; m. Jan. 19, 1853 Oliver Perry Pilsbury. He was b. Feb. 2, 1826 at Newport, Maine and d. Sept. 24, 1890 at Milwaukee, Wis. He m/2 1862 Vesta Ellen Cutter of Bangor, Maine, but had no issue of either marriage. He was in the lumber business.

*2536. David Marcellus Benjamin b. July 28, 1834 at E. Livermore, Maine.

Resources: p. 186 Hist. of Cutter Fam., Cutter, 1871; p.216 Pillsbury Fam., Pillsbury, 1898; p. 110 Vol. 9 and p. 135 Vol. 24 DAR Lineage Book; Gen. of Family of Lt. Samuel and Tabitha (Livermore) Benjamin, Mary L. Benjamin, 1900; p. 75 Livermore Fam., Thwing; Am. Gen. Biog. Index.

1294. CHARLES BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born August 2, 1795 at East Livermore, Maine; the son of Samuel and Tabitha (Livermore) Benjamin; died May 10, 1834 at the age of 39 at Winthrop, Maine. He married October 2, 1821 Lucy Chase, the dau. of Thomas and Desire (Luce) Chase. She was born September 14, 1800 at Livermore and died November 9, 1845 at Winthrop, Maine. She m/2 Lemuel Stanley.

He was a cabinet maker in Livermore and was a private and in the same company and regiment as his brother, Col.

Billy Benjamin.

Children of Charles and Lucy (Chase) Benjamin:

2537. Bettie Livermore Benjamin b. March 9, 1824 at Winthrop, Maine; d. April 12, 1898; m. July 2, 1856 John Milton Benjamin. (See #2502 for carry down.)

Resources: Gen. of Fam. of Lt. Samuel and Tabitha (Livermore Benjamin, Mary L. Benjamin, 1900; p. 75 Livermore Fam. of Am., Thwihg, Mayflower Index #6788.

1297. JOHN BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born October 9, 1781 at Watertown, Mass.; the son of John and Jemima (Mills) Benjamin; bapt. December 9, 1791 at the First Church of Needham (cr); died about 1823 at Etna, Me. He married 1809 Rebecca Benson of Carmel, Maine, the dau. of Samuel Benson. She was born June 7, 1791.

Samuel Benson was one of the first settlers of Carmel. John and his brother Jesse, moved from Livermore to Etna, Maine in 1809. In 1820-1 John was Constable of Etna and he also taught the first singing school in Etna.

Children of John and Rebecca (Benson) Benjamin:

*2538. Lucetta Benjamin b. January 29, 1811 at Etna, Maine.

2539. Rebecca Benjamin b. May 24, 1812 at Etna; d. March 8, 1844 at Bangor, Maine; m. Levi (Lewis) Cobb b. 1817, the son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Loring) Cobb of Poland, Me. They had no issue.

2540. Susanna Benjamin b. August 26, 1814 at Etna; d. October 1898 at Hampden, Maine; unmarried.

*2541. Esther Benjamin b. May 14, 1818 at Etna.

2542. Sally Benjamin b. January 19, 1821 at Etna; m/1 --- Sanborn and had 6 children; m/2 William Wiley and had one child: Charles Wiley.

*2543. John Benson Benjamin b. 1822 at Etna, Maine.

Resources: p. 79 Vol. 7 Colonial Fam. in U.S., McKenzie, 1911; Wilson Papers; Boston Transcript March 15, 1905.

1298. JESSE BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born about 1783 at either Watertown or Roxbury, Mass.; the son of John and Jemima (Mills) Benjamin; died in Etna, Maine about 1814. He married about 1808 Eliza Small at Truro, Barnstable, Mass., the dau. of Alexander or Ellick and Ruth (Dyer) Small. She was born August 15, 1793 at Truro, Mass. She m/2 April 3, 1819 John Robinson.

Jesse served as a private in Capt. Nathaniel Coburn's Co., Col. McCobb's Regt. of U.S. Volunteers in the War of 1812. He enlisted January 12, 1813 for one year, but never returned from the war.

According to the Town Clerk of Whitefield, Maine, there is a record of marriage intentions for Jesse Benjamin and Patience Barto on Feb. 2,1812. Also, a Jesse Benjamin married Dec. 2, 1813 Charlotte Bailey at Shoreham, Vermont.

It is very possible that Jesse did not die, but rather Jesse and Eliza were divorced.

Children of Jesse and Eliza (Small) Benjamin:

*2544. Ebenezer Dyer Benjamin b. February 13, 1809 at Etna, Maine. (Note: Salt Lake City Family Group Sheet records his birth as Feb. 23, 1811 at Carmel.)

Resources: Wilson Papers; Colonial Fam. of U.S., Mckenzie, 1911; Vol. 92 p. 669 DAR Magazine; First Settler's of Carmel, Maine; Family Group Sheet from Library of Latter Day Saints.

1301. BENIAH BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born February 7, 1791 at Roxbury, Mass.; the son of John and Jemima (Mills) Benjamin; died December 28, 1888 at the age of 97 years at North Whitefield, Maine. He married Elizabeth Noyes (int. March 25, 1811) on January 1812 at Whitefield, Maine. She was the dau. of Jonathan and Mary (Currier) Noyes Jr. and was born September 3, 1797 at Jefferson Maine and died November 18, 1878 at N. Whitefield, Maine.

They settled in Whitefield, Maine (originally called Ballston) and reclaimed their homestead from the wilderness.

His name has at times been spelled Benaiah.

Children of Beniah and Elizabeth (Noyes) Benjamin:

2545. Addison (Adelson) Benjamin b. October 26, 1812 at N. Whitefield; d. March 4, 1887; was in the Civil War in the 19th and 31st Maine Regiments; unmarried.

*2546. Ephraim Mellen Benjamin b. March 11, 1814.

*2547. Hester Ann Benjamin b. February 22, 1817.

2548. Parson Benjamin b. October 14, 1818 at N. Whitefield d. April 10, 1833 or 1838.

*2549. Washburn Benjamin b. September 26, 1820.

2550. Mary Elizabeth Benjamin b. August 17, 1822; d. October 8, 1845; unmarried.

*2551. Milton Noyes Benjamin b. November 26, 1826.

2552. Lois Noyes Benjamin b. November 26, 1824; d. October 5, 1861 at Melrose, Mass.; m. Guy Lamkin on Jan. 10, 1850. He b. Jan. 13, 1829, d. April 1, 1869; they had no children.

2553. Benaiah Benjamin Jr. b. January 13, 1829; d. April 1, 1869, age 40. Until 1852 he lived on the old homestead and then moved to Boston, where he entered the wholesale and retail shoe business. He died in the home in which he was born, and was survived by his parents.

*2554. Catherine Emma Benjamin b. March 1, 1831.

*2555. Nancy Delia Benjamin b. June 24, 1833.

2556. John Benjamin b. August 27, 1836; d. March 2, 1857, age 21 years, at N. Whitefield, Maine.

2557. Ann E. Benjamin b. November 11, 1843.

2558. Mary E. Benjamin b. October 8, 1846 at North Whitefield, Maine; died the same day.

Resources: Vol. 2 p. 569 and Vol. 7 p. 79 Colonial Fam. in U.S., McKenzie, 1911; Records of Town Clerk of Whitefield, Maine.

1302. JAMES JEFFERSON BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1] born September 6, 1806 at Livermore, Maine; the son of John and Elizabeth (Kenny) Benjamin; died October 26, 1866, age 60 years, at Newport, Maine. He married Ruth Mills in 1829 She was born in 1811 at Vinalhaven, Maine and was living in Saginaw, Michigan in 1900.

Children of James J. and Ruth (Mills) Benjamin:

*2559. Marie Benjamin b. December 1830 at Newport, Maine.
*2560. Roxa Benjamin b. September 10, 1832 at Newport.
*2561. Frank Benjamin b. 1834 at Newport.
*2562. John Harper Benjamin b. December 10, 1840.
*2563. Ruth Benjamin b. April 11, 1843.
2564. Susan Benjamin b. April 19, 1845 at Newport, Maine; d. April 19, 1892 at Saginaw, Mich.; unmarried.
*2565. Adelaide Benjamin b. May 1847.
2566. Fred Benjamin b. 1849 in Newport, Maine; was living in Duluth, Minn. in 1900.
2567. Elvirah Kate Benjamin b. April 16, 1855 at Newport, Maine; d. 1890 at Saginaw, Michigan; unmarried.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

1303. ISAAC BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born April 6, 1808 at Livermore, Maine; the son of John and Elizabeth (Kenny) Benjamin; died April 21, 1889 at the age of 81 years, at New Bedford, Mass. He married Lucy Studer Eldridge on February 5, 1832 at New Bedford. She was born September 2, 1806 at Yarmouth, Mass. and died November 17, 1892 at New Bedford, Mass.

Isaac was a calker by trade.

Children of Isaac and Lucy (Eldridge) Benjamin:

2568. Lucy A. Benjamin b. September 20, 1832 at New Bedford, Mass.; d. August 20, 1843 at New Bedford.
*2569. Isaac William Benjamin b. October 24, 1833.
2570. Hepsabeth Benjamin b. March 11, 1835; d. May 11,1836
*2571. Elizabeth Ann Benjamin b. June 30, 1836.
2572. Deborah J. Benjamin b. March 23, 1837 at New Bedford d. June 16, 1865 at New Bedford; unmarried.
*2573. Samuel Stowell Benjamin b. July 6, 1840 at New Bedford, Mass.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Southeast Mass. Gen. and Biog. Vol. I p. 213; Bible owned by Mrs. Orrie E. Benjamin of Stow, Mass via Mrs. Raymond Fales of Westford, Mass.

1312. ALURED TAFT BENJAMIN[7] (Joel[6], Caleb[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born

January 2, 1793 at Montague, Mass.; the son of Joel Livermore and Sarah (Anderson) Benjamin; died November 8, 1869 at Montague, Mass. He m/1 Lucy Stratton and m/2 Miranda --

Children of Alured Taft Benjamin:
2574. Charles Guellow Anderson Benjamin b. December 15, 1845 at Montague, Mass.

Resource: Montague, Mass. Vital Records.

1313. IVES BENJAMIN[7] (Joel[6], Caleb[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born August 17, 1794 at Montague, Mass.; the son of Joel Livermore and Sarah (Anderson) Benjamin; died September 26, 1876. He married Amorette Church. She was born at Sunderland, Mass.

Children of Ives and Amorette (Church) Benjamin:
*2575. Eben Benjamin.
2576. Spencer C. Benjamin b. 1848 at Montague, Mass.; m. 1870 Eliza Wilbour, dau. of Hanamiah and Susan (Felch) Wilborn of Erving, Mass. He d. February 1, 1893 at Rindge, N.H., age 44 and is buried in Erving, Mass.

Resources: Vol. 47 p. 334 DAR Lineage Book; Wilbours of Am. John Wilbour, 1933; Vermont Vital Records.

1314. ABEL BENJAMIN[7] (Joel[6], Caleb[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born July 23, 1796 at Montague, Mass. (vr); the son of Joel Livermore and Sarah (Anderson) Benjamin; died January 4, 1882 at age of 86 years, at Montague, Mass. He m/1 Mary Alexander in 1820 at Montague, Mass. (vr p. R14). She was the dau of Elisha and Cynthia (Ashley) Alexander and was born 1800 at Sunderland, Mass. and died June 21, 1839, at age 39, at Montague, Mass. and is buried in the Town Cemetery. He m/2 Julia Ann Adams Hurd on January 30, 1844 at Montague (Vernon, Vt. vr), the dau. of Thomas and Lucinda (Newcomb) Hurd. He m/3 Orelia Hurd.

Abel had 23 children in all! He was a tall man, taller than his sons. He left one dollar to each child of his first marriage and left his estate to the children of his second wife. He was a successful farmer and leader of the community. His farm was located on Dry Hill in Montague, near the road that leads to Boston. He was on the committee to look up common land in 1845 and was also tax collector. The village was originally called Scotland.

Children of Abel and Mary (Alexander) Benjamin:
2577. Cynthia Ashley Benjamin b. June 1822; d. October 6, 1824 at Montague, Mass. (vr).
2578. Quartus Wells Benjamin b. June 29, 1824 at Montague, d. July 10, 1903; m. April 25, 1848 Electa Holton of Brainard, Vermont at Brattleboro, Vt. (vr). She was b. November 24, 1821 and was the granddau. of Elisha and Lois (Benjamin) Holton.

2579. Almira (?Mary Jane) Benjamin b. December 24, 1826; d. July 7, 1902.
2580. Aarad Hamilton Benjamin b. June 16, 1829 at Montague d. May 24, 1863 at Montague, Mass.; unmarried.
*2581. Dwight Alexander Benjamin b. March 4, 1832.
2582. George Lafayette Benjamin b. May 14, 1835 at Montague; d. Feb. 15, 1858 at Montague.
2583. Lemy (Lucy/Lency) Stratton Benjamin b. Feb. 20, 1837 d. Sept. 22, 1842 at Montague, Mass. (vr).
2584. Charles Benjamin died May 1842.
2585. Hadasha b. June 8, 1839; d. Sept. 12, 1842 at Montague, Mass. (vr).

Children of Abel and Julia (Hurd) Benjamin:

2586. Martin C. Benjamin b. Jan. 10, 1845 at Montague, m. June 17, 1871 Caroline M. Bencal at Guildford, Vt. (vr). At the time of m. he was 'of Greenfield, Mass.'
2587. Charles Dudley Benjamin b. Dec. 15, 1846 at Montague
2588. Isabell Sarah Benjamin b. Feb. 1, 1848/9.
2589. Sarah Arabell Benjamin, a twin, b. Feb. 1, 1848/9.
2590. Marshal Jerome Benjamin b. Oct. 5, 1850; m. Jan. 5, 1879 Fanny L. Walker. He d. August 24, 1919 at Greenfield, Mass. He came to Greenfield about 1870 and learned the trade of harness making. Later he engaged in the shoe business, conducting a retail shoe business. After he retired, he assumed the management of hotels at Colrain, Lebanon Springs, Conn. and Meridan, Conn., but retained his residence in Greenfield. In 1904 he returned to Greenfield and engaged in carriage and automobile painting. For nearly 50 years he was prominent in the business life of Franklin County. p. 1578 Hist. of Greenfield, Mass.
2591. Evelyn M. Benjamin m. Edway Wells and d. June 1844 at Greenfield, Mass.
2592. Mary Jane Benjamin b. October 18, 1854 at Montague; d. 1903; m. Oct. 15, 1879 William J. Phelps b. Aug. 9, 1853.
2593. John Charles F. Benjamin.
2594. Edward Everett Benjamin; bought 40 acres north of Silver Street and west of Stage Road in Greenfield Mass.
2595. Josephine Benjamin; m. Frank Fay.
2596. Helen L. Benjamin b. 1862/3; d. Jan. 15, 1864 at Montague, Mass.
2597. Atwood F. Benjamin b. 1864/5; m. Nov. 22, 1892 Agnes M. Ramsey at Monroe, N.H. (vr). She was b. at Monroe, N.H., the dau. of Joseph and Mary J. (--- Ramsey.
2598. Etta L. Benjamin b. June 1868; d. Sept. 7, 1869 at Montague.
2599. Carrie J. Benjamin.

Resources: Records of Allen Benjamin of Wayland, Mass.; Hist. of Greenfield, Mass. Vol. II by Thompson; Phelps Fam. of Am. Vol. 2 by Phelps and Servin; Hist. of Montague p. 130 and 190 by Clopp, 1910.

1315. EBER (EBEN) BENJAMIN[7] (Joel[6], Caleb[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born April 11, 1798 at Montague, Mass.; the son of Joel Livermore and Sarah (Anderson) Benjamin; died March 18, 1839. He married Laura Eugenia Cady of Springfield, Mass., the dau. of William Waterman and Ann (Bliss) Cady. She was born March 30, 1812 and died October 1, 1854.

In 1816 he resided in Madison, Lake Co., Ohio and in 1830 in Madison Twp., Geauga Co., Ohio.

Children of Eber and Laura (Cady) Benjamin:

2600. Russell Benjamin.
2601. Helen (Ellen) Benjamin b. 1828 in Ohio.; m. William Mayo who was b. 1826 in Ohio.
2602. Lucy Benjamin.
2603. Joel Benjamin bc. 1837 in Ohio.

Resources: p. 166 Desc. of Nicholas Cady, Orrin Allen; Records of Allen Benjamin of Wayland, Mass.; Census Records

?1323. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Caleb[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born about 1800; a possible son of Samuel and Harriet (---) Benjamin. His marriage is unknown.

He was residing in Williamstown, Mass. in 1899, and had 13 children.

Children of Samuel Benjamin:

*2604. Almiron C. Benjamin b. at Williamstown, Mass.
2605. Stephen Benjamin; m. Sept. 9, 1832 Sarah Nelson at Pownal, Vt. (vr). He resided at Adams, Mass. at time of m.
2606. Lucinda Benjamin; m. Feb. 24, 1833 Alpheus Rouse at Stamford, Vt. (vr). She resided at Adams, Mass.
2607. Charlotte Benjamin; m. Dec. 26, 1840 Horace Balsome at Stamford, Vt. (vr). She res. Adams, Mass.
2608. Ebenezer Benjamin; m. May 31, 1846 Sarah E. Bingham at Pownel, Vt. (vr). He res. Adams, Mass. She was the dau. of Elisha and Abigail (Boardman) Bingham, b. May 2, 1825 at Williamstown, Mass.
*2609. Samuel Benjamin Jr.
*2610. Jonathan Benjamin b. May 13, 1825 at Williamstown, Mass. (vr).
2611. Keziah Benjamin; m. Nov. 24, 1849 Alfred Neal at Pownal, Vt. (vr). She res. Adams, Mass.
2612. Huldah Benjamin.
2613. Kate Benjamin.
2614. Daniel Benjamin.
2615. Malinda Benjamin.

Resources: Vermont Vital Records and Williamstown Records.

?1325. HARVEY BENJAMIN[7] (Levi[6], Abel[5], Caleb[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born 1798 in Mass. (prob. Montague); a possible son of Levi and Azuba (Newton) Benjamin. He married Polly --- b. 1790 in Mass.

He resided in the 1840 and 1850 census records at Madison Twp., Lake Co., Ohio.

Children of Harvey and Polly (---) Benjamin:
2616. 1 female b. 1810-20.
2617. 1 male b. 1820-25.
2618. 1 male b. 1825-30.
2619. Susan Benjamin bc. 1827 in Mass.
2620. John Benjamin b. 1830 in Mass.
2621. Samuel Benjamin bc. 1831 in Mass.
?2622. Joel Benjamin bc. 1837 in Ohio.

Resources: Census records.

?1327. LEVI BENJAMIN[7] (Levi[6], Abel[5], Caleb[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born between 1790-1800 in census records; possible son of Levi and Azuba (Newton) Benjamin, who had a son Levi b. March 10, 1796 at Montague, Mass. He married Rebecca --- who was born about 1799 in Mass. He appears to have died before 1850.

He resided in the 1830 census at Thompson Twp., Geauga Co., Ohio and in 1840 in Madison Twp., Lake Co., Ohio (next door to Harvey, above) and Rebecca and children are in the 1850 census in Lake Co., Ohio.

Children of Levi and Rebecca (---) Benjamin:
2623. Foster E. Benjamin bc. 1829 in Ohio.
2624. 1 male b. 1825-30.
2625. Mark Benjamin bc. 1840 in Ohio.
2626. Phune (Phiene) Benjamin (female) bc. 1834 in Ohio.

Resources: Ohio census records.

1337. KEZIAH F. BENJAMIN[7] (Ezra[6], John[5], Caleb[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born November 4, 1798 at Royalton, Vermont (vr); the dau. of Ezra and Lucy (Avery) Benjamin; died May 21, 1846 at Plymouth, Michigan. She married February 6, 1823 at the First Cong. Church of Preston, Conn. William Starkweather. He was the son of John and Hannah (Leonard) Starkweather and was born June 5, 1796 at Preston, Conn. and died August 31, 1844 at Plymouth, Michigan.

They resided at Preston, Conn. until 1823; at West Bloomfield, N.Y. until 1825; and then went to Plymouth, Wayne Co., Michigan; where he was a farmer.

Children of William and Keziah (Benjamin) Starkweather:
2627. Albert Oscar Starkweather b. 1824; d. 1844.
2628. George Anson Starkweather b. 1826; m. Amelia Haywood
2629. Helen M. Starkweather b. 1828; m. Dr. M. A. Mosher.
2630. Dwight Starkweather b. 1831; d. 1847.

2631. Frederick Starkweather b. 1835.

Resource: p. 85 Starkweather Gen., Starkweather, 1904.

1353. DAVID BENJAMIN[7] (James[6], Ben.[5], Samuel[4-3-2], John[1]) born September 18, 1776; the son of James and Hannah (Keeler) Benjamin. He married Elizabeth Hicks, who was born between 1780-90, probably m. in Saratoga Co., N.Y.

He was located in the 1830 census of Clarkston Twp., Monroe County, New York.

Supposedly he was a "physcian by profession but a farmer by calling, had a large family, and was a Democrat".

Children of David and Elizabeth (Hicks) Benjamin:

*2632. William Benjamin b. April 29, 1802 in New York.
*2633. John Benjamin b. 1800-10.
*2634. Eunice Benjamin b. March 3, 1813 at Yates, Orleans Co., N.Y.

Resources: Biog. Album of Livingston Co., Mich.; Research of Mrs. Azalia Benjamin of Owasso, Mich.

1354. DELSA (DELSEY/DILCE) BENJAMIN[7] (James[6], Ben.[5], Samuel[4-3-2], John[2-1]) born June 4, 1779; the son of James and Hannah (Keeler) Benjamin; died 1857 (gs) and is buried in the West Charlton Cemetery in Saratoga Co., New York. He married Anna Higbee b. 1786, d.1833 (gs) and she is buried with her husband.

Delce was admitted to communion Oct. 1, 1801 at the United Presb. Church. Both he and James contributed to the church building fund. He was a soldier in the War of 1812 from Saratoga Co.,N.Y. and is listed in the 1820 census of Charlton, Saratoga Co., N.Y.

Children of Delsa and Anna (Higbee) Benjamin:

2635. Lydia Law Benjamin b. Sept. 1, 1806; bapt. Oct. 9, 1806 at United Presb. Church at Charlton, N.Y.
2636. Sarah Flin Benjamin b. Aug. 2, 1815; bp. Sept. 16, 1815 at the Galway Church, N.Y.
2637. 1 m. b. 1810-20
2638. 1 m. b. 1810-20
2639. Daniel D. Benjamin b. 1818; d. August 11, 1820 and buried in the West Charlton Cemetery, N.Y.
2640. 1 female b. 1804-10.

Resources: p. 4 & 9 Rec. of United Presb. Church of West Charlton, N.Y.; Cem. Listing Meth. Epis. Church of Saratoga Circuit; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.; p. 322 Hist. of Saratoga Co., N.Y.

1356. DANIEL BENJAMIN[7] (James[6], Ben.[5], Samuel[4-3-2], John[1]) born September 9, 1785; the son of James and Hannah (Keeler) Benjamin; died August 4, 1855 age 69-10-25 (gs) at New Hudson, Lyon Twp., Oakland County, Michigan. He married Eliza

beth Watkins, born about 1791 in New Jersey and died February 26, 1855, age 63-11-18 (gs).

He was listed in the 1830 census of Mendon, Monroe Co., N.Y. His will was dated July 21, 1855 (Vol. 2:26) of the Oakland Co. Probate Records. In it he names his heirs.

Daniel had been in the War of 1812 and applied for a land warrent not long before he died.

Children of Daniel and Elizabeth (Watkins) Benjamin:

*2641. James Benjamin b. 1809/10 at Mendon, Monroe Co., NY
2642. Mary Benjamin; m. --- Marlotte.
*2643. Delsey Benjamin b. 1815 in N.Y.
2644. Charlotte Benjamin b. 1817; d. May 24, 1840, age 22-9-21 and buried in same cem. as parents; m. J. German.
*2645. Charles Benjamin b. 1822 in N.Y.
2646. Myron Benjamin ; m. March 3, 1832 Mary Courter at Farmington, Mich.
2647. Harriet Case Benjamin b.1828 in N.Y.
2648. George W. Benjamin b. 1830in N.Y.; d. 1913 and bur. in Franklin Village Cem. at Southfield, Mich; m. Sarah J. Cox b. 1833, d. 1907 (gs).
*2649. Ariel Benjamin b. 1813 in N.Y.
2650. Esther Jane Benjamin b. Jan. 11, 1833 at W. Bloomfield, Mich.; m. at Birmingham, Mich. Oct. 9, 1856 Samuel Wheeler, son of Daniel Wheeler; had 5 ch.
2651. Lucretia Ann Benjamin b. 1828 in N.Y.
2652. Viola Ann Case Benjamin b. 18?? in Mich.
2653. Hannah Benjamin; m. --- Thompson.
2654. Sarah Benjamin; m. --- Bigelow; had: Delsey, Eliza.
2655. Clarissa Benjamin; died before 1855; m. --- Case.

Resources: p. 878 Hist. of Wheeler Fam. in Am., Wheeler, 1914; Hartford Times Jan. 14, 1961; Research of Blanch L. Beardslee of Clarkston, Mich.

1357. JAMES BENJAMIN[7] (James[6], Ben.[5], Samuel[4-3-2], John[1]) born December 28, 1788; the son of James and Hannah (Keeler) Benjamin. His death date is unknown. He m. Sarah ---.

James and Delce contributed to the church building fund. James and Sarah were admited to the church on April 1811. (W. Charlton, N.Y. United Presb. Church cr.)

He was listed in the 1800 census at Charlton, Saratoga Co., N.Y.

Children of James and Sarah (---) Benjamin:

*2656. James William Benjamin b. September 26, 1811 in N.Y.

Resources: Records of United Presb. Church of West Charlton, N.Y.

1358. SETH BENJAMIN[7] (James[6], Ben.[5], Samuel[4-3-2], John[1]) born August 5, 1794 in Saratoga Co., N.Y.; the son of James and Hannah (Keeler) Benjamin. He married October 17, 1814

in Saratoga Co., N.Y. Sarah Watkins of Balston Springs, NY, the dau. of Hezekiah Watkins. She was born February 21, 1799 at Saratoga Co., N.Y. and died July 25, 1880 in Romeo, Michigan, at the home of her son John L.

Seth was a carpenter and was located in the 1830 census in Clarkston, Monroe Co., Michigan.

Hezekiah Watkins came from Wales early in 1800.

Children of Seth and Sarah (Watkins) Benjamin:

2657. James W. Benjamin b. August 10, 1819 in Saratoga Co. N.Y.; d. Sept. 11, 1867 at Dryden, Mich.; m. Sarah Miller.
2658. Mary Benjamin b. June 19, 1821; m. Daniel Trombley.
2659. Daniel Benjamin b. August 14, 1823; m. March 3, 1844 Maria Allen, b. May 11, 1828.
2660. Jane M. Benjamin b. June 24, 1825; m. Anson Fox.
*2661. John Lansing Benjamin b. Dec. 8, 1827 in Saratoga Co
2662. Catherine Benjamin b. April. 26, 1829; m. James Folks.
2663. Elizabeth Benjamin b. March 4, 1832 at Romeo, Mich.; m. Samuel Belles.
2664. Sarah Louise Benjamin b. May 31, 1836 at Romeo, Mich m. Mark J. Mathews.

Resources: Records of Ira Benjamin of Birmingham, Mich. via Mrs. Blanche Beardslee of Clakston, Mich.

1360. ASHER BENJAMIN[7] (Asher[6], Samuel[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born June 15, 1773 at Greenfield, Mass. (perhaps Hartland, Conn.); the son of Asher and Elizabeth (Black) Benjamin; bapt. July 4, 1784 at the Second Society Church of Hartland, Conn. (cr 1-144); died July 26, 1845 at Springfield, Mass. He m/1 Achsah Hitchcock of Brookfield,Mass. on November 30, 1797 at Brookfield (vr). She was the dau. of Moses and Hannah (Williston) Hitchock and was born May 6, 1773 and died February 2, 1805, age 33, at Boston, Mass. He m/2 Nancy Bryant on July 24, 1805 at Boston, Mass. (vr). She was the dau. of John and Hannah (Mason) or Ann (Cade) Bryant and was born January16, 1782 at Springfield, Mass. and died July 23, 1843 at Boston, Mass.

He was an alderman in Boston. At the age of 17 he chose Elishana Porter, his step father, to be his guardian. He was made executor of Elishana's will and beneficiary of his estate in 1812.

Asher was America's first "do-it-yourselfer" and his books are still valuable for people in restoring post-colonial and Greek Revival homes. He apparently never went to college or had formal training in architecture. After his parents moved to Greenfield, he was apprenticed to a local carpenter.

In 1795 he designed ans supervised the construction of the circular stairway in the Old State House at Hartford, Conn. In 1796 he built the Greenfield Public Library and

published the first original American architectural book--"The County Builder's Assistant". In 1798 he moved to Windsor, Vermont, where he built the Old South Church and the Harriet Lane House. Five years later he was in Boston, listed as a house wright and beginning to write books that would affect New England architecture dramatically. He wrote a total of seven books that went through 44 editions. His most popular book was "The American Builder's Companion"

He built two homes on Beacon Street in Boston and his own home on West Cedar Street. He built the Old West Church in 1806 and the Charles Street Church in 1807 and helped form the American Institute of Architects in 1837. The Greek Revival style he first introduced in his books spread across New England. The main reason for the popularity of his books was that his books included the principles and the practical applications and even the dimentions needed for various objects that the rural carpenter could easily follow.

Other book titles were:"Rudiment's of Architecture" written in 1814 and "Practical House Carpenter" in 1830.

Asher's will was dated November 1844 and probated September 8, 1845 (Suffolk Co., Mass Probate Rec. #34462), in which he left his home in Boston to his dau. Elizabeth Augustus Bliss and grandson William Bliss; another home and furniture to dau. Sarah Smith Benjamin; books and drawing cases and tomb in Cambridge to son James; with the remained to go to sons James and John Bryant.

Children of Asher and Achsah (Hitchcock) Benjamin:

2665. William Henry Benjamin b. September 20, 1798; unnamed in his father's will.

*2666. Elizabeth Augusta Benjamin b. January 4, 1800 at Boston, Mass.

2667. George Augustus Benjamin b. January 3, 1802; unnamed in father's will; prob. died young.

2668. Charles Edwin Benjamin b. April 15, 1804; d. December 1826 at Arica, South America.

Children of Asher and Nancy (Bryant) Benjamin:

2669. Maria Achsah Benjamin b. July 18, 1806; d. January 11, 1845.

2670. John Bryant Benjamin b. August 5, 1808; d. May 30, 1857; m. Martha Theresa ---; no issue of this m.

2671. James Benjamin b. April 23, 1811; d. August 28, 1853 at Springfield, Mass. (Suffolk Co. Wills #38610). James' only heirs were E. A. Bliss and John Bryant Benjamin of New York, the only sister and only brother of the deceased.

2672. Sarah Smith Benjamin b. 1819; d. February 18, 1850, age 31, at Springfield, Mass.

Resources: p. 363 Index to Obits in Mass. Centinel and Columbian Centinel Vol. I, 1961; Am. Gen. Biog. Index; Dictionary of Am. Biog. Vol. 2 p. 179, Johnson; Colonial

Fam. in U.S., McKenzie; p. 423 Gen. of Hitchock Fam. Hitchock, 1894; Vol. 2 p. 363 N. E. Gen. and Hist. Register; Family Group Sheet from Salt Lake City; Records of Mrs. Raymond D. Fales of Westford, Mass., Magazine article written by John J. Breen.

1362. LT. ELIZUR E. BENJAMIN[7] (Sameul[6-5-4-3-2], John[1]) born January 11, 1784 at Hartland, Conn.; the son of Samuel and Rachel (Holcomb) Benjamin; bapt. November 9, 1800 at Hartland, Conn. (cr 2-114); died January 31, 1868 at the age of 84. (gs) at Granby Conn., at the home of son-in-law Charles P. Clark. He is buried in Salmonbrook Cemetery, lot #1-10. He married Polly Case on March 14, 1810. She was the dau. of Levi and Polly (Humphrey) Case of Simsbury, Conn. She was born July 27, 1789 and died December 11, 1857 (gs) and is buried in the same lot.

Elizur was one of the first settlers and built the first saw mill at Hartland, Conn. He was a Lt. in the Conn. State Militia.

In the Hampden Co., Mass. land records (67:142) Abram Diboll sold land in Southwick, Mass. to Elizur Benjamin of Granby. In Vol. 67 p. 184 in 1821 Elizur sold to Reuben Dibble land in Southwick and Daniel Benjamin was a witness to the deed.

Children of Elizur and Polly (Case) Benjamin:

2673. Rachel Benjamin b. August 18, 1811 at Granby, Conn.; d. April 23, 1863, age 51; m. November 28, 1837 Russell H. Tiffany, M.D. of Collinsville and Torrington, Conn. at Granby, Conn. (vr 1-25). She had a son: A. H. Tiffany who resided in Bridgeport in 1900.

*2674. Abigail Benjamin b. February 1, 1813 at Hartland.

2675. Agnes Benjamin b. December 20, 1819; d. November 29, 1892 at Granby, Conn.; buried lot #1-10.

2676. Marietta Benjamin b. 1816; d. September 13, 1819, age 3 yrs. at Granby, Conn. (vr 3-143).

2677. Marietta Benjamin b. May 24, 1821 at Tarrifville, Conn.; d. unmarried September 17, 1853; buried in cem. lot #1-10.

*2678. Polly (Martha) Benjamin b. February 10, 1815 or 1823.

2679. Eliza Benjamin b. January 1, 1823; d. September 18, 1865; m. David S. Stevens b. July 1823, d. March 1896 and had son Elizur Seneca Stevens b. March 3, 1851 at North Haven, Conn., d. May 8, 1826 at New Haven, Conn., m. Harriet Amelia Maltby.

2680. Elizur S. Benjamin b. June 6, 1828 at Granby, Conn.; d. December 25, 1850, age 24; resided at Collinsville; buried in Granby, Conn. cemetery lot #1-10. (Canton, Conn. vr 1-74/5.)

Resources: Wilson Papers; p. 192 Vol. 16 DAR Lineage Book; p. 154 Hist. of Ancient Windsor, Conn., Stiles; p. 148 Vol.

1363. DR. DANIEL BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6-5-4-3-2], John[1]) born August 12, 1786 at Hartland, Conn.; the son of Samuel and Rachel (Holcomb) Benjamin; bapt. November 9, 1800 at Hartland, Conn. (cr 2-114); died July 11, 1841, age 55, at Granby, Conn. (Newent Cong. cr 5-19 and Grnaby Cong. cr 4-5205 have him dying in 1840.) He married Harriet Moore of Southwick, Mass., the dau. of Capt. Roger and Rosetta (Hayes) Moore. She was born July 9, 1792 at Southwick and died July 12, 1859 at Granby, Conn. (The Diary of Orin Lee p. 191 indicates she died June 14, 1859 at Granby.)

Amasa Holcomb was the executor of Daniel's estate. (Probate Divison of Hartford, Conn. #18.)

In 1831 (Hampden Co., Mass. 85:165) John Mills sold land in Southwick to Daniel C. Benjamin. In 1838 (Ibid 98:215) Daniel sold land to Almon Gillet and a Philura Benjamin signed as a witness.

Children of Daniel and Harriet (Moore) Benjamin:

2681. Harriet Benjamin; died at age 19.
*2682. Martha Sybil Benjamin b. December 18, 1824 at Granby
2683. Emmerett Rhoda Benjamin b. 1826; d. July 28, 1894; m. (perhaps) Benjamin Hubbard.
2684. Golden Benjamin b. March 7, 1830 at Granby, Conn.; d. December 14, 1865.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Barbour Collection of Conn. Vital Records; Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records; p. 93 Vital Records of E. Granby 1737-1886, Bates, 1947; p. 163 Holcombs, Nation Builders, McPherson, 1947.

1364. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6-5-4-3-2], John[1]) born about 1787 at Hartland, Conn.; the son of Samuel and Rachel (Holcomb) Benjamin; bapt. November 9, 1800 at Hartland, Cnnn. (cr 2-114). He married Asenath Holcomb, who died February 12, 1873 (Granby private rec.). Apparently he d. before 1853.

Samuel and his wife were admitted to communion on August 1800 at the First Church of Hartland, Conn. (cr 2042). In the Hampden Co., Mass. Land Records (98:215) in 1838 Samuel Jr. of Granby sold land to Almon Gillet and in 1831 (Ibid 85:165) John Mills sold land to Samuel Jr.

Children of Samuel and Asenath (Holcomb) Benjamin:

2685. Charles Benjamin; resided in Tarrifville, Conn. and died before 1800.
2686. Gertie Benjamin d. May 9, 1870 at Granby, Conn. and buried in the cemetery there, lot #1-51.
*2687. Samuel R. Benjamin bc. 1842.
2688. Scott Benjamin b. October 26, 1830; died October 18, 1853 at age 23 at Charles P. Clark's home and buried in Salmonbrook Cemetery lot #1-10.
?2689. Clinton Benjamin. A Clinton Benjamin bc. 1830 in

Conn. was boarding in 1850 in Castleton, Vermont with Betsey Howard and was a student.

Resources: Wilson Papers (Samuel R. Benjamin wrote to him in 1898); p. 183 Holcombs, Nation Builders, McPherson, 1947 p. 208 Vital Records of E. Granby 1737-1886, Bates, 1947; Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records.

1369. JOHN BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6-5-4-3-2], John[1]) birth date unknown; son of Samuel and Rachel (Holcomb) Benjamin. He married widow Anna Holcomb in 1815 at E. Granby, Conn. She was born 1771 and died November 11, 1853 at the age of 82 and is buried in the Granby Cemetery, lot #1-37.

Children of John and Annah (--- Holcomb) Benjamin:
2690. John Benjamin b. 1815; d. May 11, 1820, age 52/3 and is buried in the Granby Cemetery lot #1-37.

Resources: p. 83 Vital Records of E. Granby 1737-1886, Bates, 1947.

1372. JOSEPH BENJAMIN[7] (Wm.[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born December 23, 1775 at Egremont, Mass.; the son of William and Abigail (Fitch) Benjamin. He died May 22, 1862, age 86 yrs. 5 mos. (gs) and is buried in the Belfast Cemetery in Allegany Co, New York. He married Rebecca Palmer of Saratoga, N.Y. on January 1/7, 1796 at the Dutch Reform Church at Stillwater, N.Y. She was born about 1775 and died December 1, 1848, age 72 yrs. ? mos. 15 days. (gs). and is buried in the same cemetery as her husband.

The Methodist Episc. Church County Circuit Classbook of Rev. Bull for the Moreau, Saratoga Co., N.Y. listed Joseph and wife Rebecca in 1810. He was a member of the Moreau and Northumberland Temperance Society in 1808.

In the 1810 census of Moreau, Saratoga Co., N.Y. he is listed with 3 m. 0/10; 1 m. 25/45// 1 f. 0/10; 1 f. 10/16; 1 f. 25/45.

In 1822 Joseph and wife Rebecca of Moreau sold land to Sidney Thompson of Northumberland and in 1824 Joseph and Rebecca of Angelica, Allegany Co., N.Y. sold land to Jared Coplin and Melacton Coplin of Northumberland. (Saratoga Co. N.Y. Land Records.)

In Index to Bail Book Records of Saratoga Co., N.Y. 1812-1823, Joseph B. Benjamin, a defendant, was given a court term on Aug.1816 and Jan. 1823.

He is listed in the 1830 and 1840 census records of Belfast Twp., Allegany Co., N.Y.

Children of Joseph and Rebecca (Palmer) Benjamin:
2691. 1 female b. 1794-1800.
2692. 1 female b. 1802-04.
*2693. Elias P. Benjamin b. 1801 in Saratoga Co., N.Y.
*2694. Jared Benjamin bc. 1803 in Saratoga Co., N.Y.
2695. 1 female b. 1804-10.

*2696. Gamaliel Benjamin b. October 7, 1806 in Saratoga Co.
*2697. Eunice Benjamin b. November 9, 1813 in Saratoga Co.
*2698. William A. Benjamin bc. 1813 in Saratoga Co., NY
2699. 1 female b. 1815-20.

Resources: Records of Clifford Rugg, Historian of Saratoga Co., N.Y.; Records of Mrs. John Keller of Litiz, Penn.; Records of Mrs. Phil Crane of Bremerton, Washington; Records of Mrs. Homer Hill of Rockford, Ill.; Research of Frank Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1375. PHOEBE BENJAMIN[7] (Wm.[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born January 18, 1780 at Egremont, Mass.; the dau. of William and Abigail (Fitch) Benjamin; bapt. June 10, 1809 at the Dutch reform Church of Saratoga Co., N.Y.; died April 22, 1864, age 84. She married Samuel Marshall of Northumberland on January 1, 1796 at the Dutch Reform Church of Saratoga Co., N. Y. (on the same day as her brother Joseph was married.) Samuel was the son of Abraham Marshall and was born about 1779. He was bapt. June 11, 1809 at the Dutch Reform Church, as an adult.

They are listed in the 1850 census of Saratoga Twp., Saratoga Co., New York, and her brother William is with them.

Children of Samuel and Phoebe (Benjamin) Marshall:
2700. Abraham Marshall b. Sept. 2, 1798 at Schulyerville, Saratoga Co., N.Y.
2701. Samuel Marshall.
2702. Anne Marshall b. March 10, 1801 at Saratoga, N.Y.
2703. Nancy Marshall b. July 13, 1804.
2704. Catherine Marshall b. August 15, 1806; d. October 1831.
2705. Philip Duryee Marshall b. Jan. 6, 1811 at Saratoga.
2706. William Benjamin Marshall b. Feb. 16, 1823; m. Jane ---.

Resources: p. 410 Biog. of Abraham Marshall; p. 410 Hist. of Saratoga Co., N.Y., Sylvester, 1878; Records of the Dutch Reform Church of Saratoga Co., N.Y.; Volsburg Records of New York Churches.

1376. JARED BENJAMIN[7] (Wm.[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born February 16, 1782 at Egremont, Mass.; the son of William and Abigail (Fitch) Benjamin; died March 7, 1832 (or 1823) in Jasper Co., Indiana. His body was removed from the original cemetery on his land, due to a road building project. It was re-buried in Rock Mills Cemetery. He m/1 Mary (or Nancy) Hemingway at Cayuga Co. (now Tompkins Co.) New York. She died 1812/3 at Cayuga Co., New York. He m/2 Mary (Polly) Yeoman on November 10, 1813 at Cayuga Co., New York She was the dau. of Stephen and Abigail (Fountain) Yeoman and was born February 19/24, 1790 in Orange Co., New York and died March 20, 1852 at the age of 62 at Newton Twp.,

Sayler Co., Indiana and is buried in the Mt. Ayr "Blue Grass" Cemetery at Jasper, Indiana.

Jared is listed as an Ensign in Col. Henry Bloom's Regt. in the Cayuga Co., N.Y. Militia in Feb. 1811. He moved away in 1815, to Ohio. He is listed in the 1820 census of Wayne Twp., Fayette Co., Ohio. He then moved to Jasper and then Porter Co., Indiana in 1838.

Jared, at the age of 16, apprenticed to George Robertson to serve as a cook and housekeeper for a group that went to the Finger Lake area from Schuylerville, and was to receive 80 acres of land for his service.

From 1828 to 1834 there are various deeds listed in the Washington Court House, Ind. Land Records that were made by Jared, Mary, and Polly Benjamin.

Jared did not serve long in the N.Y. Militia, as he became ill and stated that he had T.B.

Children of Jared and Mary (Hemingway) Benjamin:

2707. William Benjamin b. 1802-05.
2708. Salome (Dolly/Polly) Benjamin; probably died young.
*2709. Rial Benjamin b. 1809 at Cayuga Co., N.Y.
2710. Charles Benjamin b. 1810-20; supposedly went back to New York.

Children of Jared and Mary (Yeoman) Benjamin:

*2711. Phoebe Ann Benjamin b. February 22, 1819 at Wayne Twp., Fayette Co., Ohio.
*2712. David Jared Benjamin b. Oct. 10, 1820 at Wayne Twp.
*2713. Samuel H. Benjamin b. 1810-20.
2714. Abigail Benjamin b. 1810-20 in Ohio; died young; killed by a falling tree at the age of 2 or 4 yrs.

Resources: Records of Miss Helen Gurtner of Kingman, Kansas
Records of Mrs. H. M. McCurdy of Washington Court House, O.

?1377. ANNA BENJAMIN[7] (Wm.[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born about 1786 in Saratoga Co., N.Y.; a probable dau. of William and Abigail (Fitch) Benjamin; died 1855 in Conneaut, Ashtabula Co. Ohio. She m/1 John Ball, son of Col. Ball, for whom Balston Springs, N.Y.was named. He died young, before July 1809. She m/2 Oliver Cleveland on January 2, 1812/3 at the Saratoga Church at Schuylerville, N.Y., son of Josiah Cleveland. He was born about 1787 and died November 1868 at Conneaut, Ohio, age 81.

Anna Benjamin was adopted by Samuel Bushea (Bushe/Busbee) at a very early age. Mary Marshall was Samuel's wife. It is your compilier' s supposition that Abigail Fitch Benjamin died at the birth of Anna, and because he had other young children, Anna was given to the Bushea family to raise. There certainly was a very close association with all of these families, which only helps lend crediance to this idea.

Children of John and Ann (Benjamin) Ball:

2715. Samuel Bushe Ball b. April 15, 1804 in Saratoga Co., New York.
2716. Mary Ball b. May15, 1809.
2717. Uretta Ball b. Oct. 13, 1805 in Saratoga Co.,N.Y.
2718. Anzuletta Ball b. July 25,1807; m. May 23, 1826 in Saratoga Co., N.Y. Oliver Brisbin.

Children of Oliver and Anna (Benjamin Ball) Cleveland:
2719. George Smith Cleveland bapt. Nov. 4, 1821 at the North Church in Saratoga Co., N.Y.
2720. Louisa Cleveland.
2721. John Cleveland.

Resources: p. 1429 Gen. of Cleveland Fam., Cleveland, 1899 Volsburg Church Records of New York State.

1378 SAMUEL CLARK BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born about 1774 in New Jersey; the son of Samuel Clark and Phoebe (Minor) Benjamin. He married Anna Bosworth on January 17, 1797/8 at Bridport, Vermont (vr). She was the dau of James Wood and Anna (---) Bosworth and was born about 1778 at New Milford, Conn.

He moved from New Jersey to Vermont with his parents, and then moved to New York State in 1825-30. He was listed in the 1810 census of Bridport, Addison Co., Vt. as Samuel Jr.

Children of Samuel Clark and Anna (Bosworth) Benjamin:
2722. James Benjamin b. Oct. 29, 1797/8 at Bridport, Vt. (vr 2-28); bp. May 11, 1804.
2723. Betsey Benjamin bp. May 11, 1804.
2724. Milo Benjamin.
2725. Pheba (Phoebe) Benjamin bp. May 11, 1804.
*2726. Zina Hitchcock Benjamin bp May 11, 1804 at Bridport.
2727. Miran (Myron) Franklin Benjamin b. 1800-10.
*2728. Samuel Franklin Benjamin bp. 1815 at Bridport, Vt.
2729. Harriet Newet Benjamin bp. 1815 at Bridport
2730. William B. Benjamin d. March 28, 1866 at Bridport.
2731. Laura Jane Benjamin bp. Sept. 26, 1813. This child was not recorded in the Bible of Sarah C. Benjamin. Samuel Sr.'s child Laura Jane was, but in the baptismal record, mention was made that the child bp. in 1813 was an infant.

Resources: Bible owned by Sarah (Benjamin) Lamos; p. 941 Bosworth Gen.; Records of Wallace Payne of Bridport, Vt.; Family Group Sheet from Salt Lake City, Utah.

1379. CLEMENT BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born about 1777/8 in New Jersey; the son of Samuel Clark and Phoebe (Minor) Benjamin; died June 10, 1854, age 76 (gs) and buried in the Southville Cemetery at Stockholm Twp., St. Lawrence Co., New York. He married about 1808 Betsey Judd, probably in Vermont. She was born 1791/2 in Vermont and

died between 1850-60.

He is listed in the 1810 thru 1850 census records of Canton, St. Lawrence Co., N.Y.

On June 13, 1835 he quit claimed his share of his father's estate to William Bott Benjamin, his half brother. He was "of Canton, St. Lawrence, N.Y." at that time. (Deed Book 9 p. 498 Bridport, Vt.)

Children of Clement and Betsey (Judd) Benjamin:

2732. 1 male b. 1804-10.
2733. 1 female b. 1804-10.
2734. 2 males b. 1810-20. Clement b. 1814 (see p. 947.)
2735. 1 females b. 1810-20
2736. Diana Amelia Benjamin b. March 27, 1819; d. Jan. 2, 1854; m. Dec. 31, 1844 Aaron Borne Herrick, son of Nehemiah and Mary (Borne) Herrick b. Dec. 21, 1821
*2737. William Judd Benjamin b. 1823 at Canton Twp., N.Y.
*2738. Nathaniel Benjamin b. 1825 in N.Y.
2739. Lucinda Benjamin b. 1829 in N.Y.; residing with her father in 1850; unm.

Resources: p. 65 and 149 Desc. of Robert Burdick, Johnson, 1937; Research of D. B. Scudder of Springfield, Virginia; p. 237 Herrick Gen., Herrick.

1380. MINOR (MINER) BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born between 1774-84 in New Jersey; the son of Samuel Clark and Phoebe (Minor) Benjamin. He apparently died before 1840. He married Diana --- who bas born 1787 in New York.

He was a Lt. in the Essex Co., New York Militia in 1816 and a Capt. in 1819. On March 19, 1836 he quit claimed his share of his father's estate to William Bott Benjamin, his half brother. (Book 10 p. 22 Bridport, Vt. Land Records.) At that time he was "of Ticonderoga, Essex Co., N.Y.". Diana is listed in the 1840 census of Ticonderoga Twp., Essex Co., N.Y. with: 1 m. 15/20, 1 m. 20/30// 1 f. 10/15 and 1 f. 60/70.

Children of Minor and Diana (---) Benjamin:

2740. Daniel Benjamin b. 1810-20; resided in 1840 in Ticonderoga Twp., N.Y. with: 1 m. 0/5; 1 m. 20/30// 1 f. 0/5; 1 f. 5/10; 1 f. 10/15; 1 f. 30/40.
*2741. Miner Benjamin b. November 27, 1817.
2742. 1 male b. 1820-25.
2743. Runa Benjamin b. 1827 in N.Y.; m. Ebenezer Bailey, b. 1824 in N.Y.; resided in Ticonderoga Twp., N.Y. in 1850. Had dau. Frances Bailey bc. 1848.

Resources: Census records.

1381. JOSEPH BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born between 1774-84 in New Jersey; the son of Samuel Clark and Phoebe (Minor) Benjamin; died in Ira, Rutland Co., Vermont. There is a grave stone for him there, but nothing on it. No date,

just the name. The name of his wife is unknown.

He sold the right's to his father's estate to Jacob Dairy in Fairhaven, Vermont. The deed was dated December 11, 1824.

Children of Joseph Benjamin:

2744. Polly Benjamin; m. Dec. 31, 1815 Nathaniel Burdick. (Ira, Vt. vr). This, of course, could be a record of a second m. of his wife, instead of a dau.

Resources: Vermont Vital Records.

1383. POLLY BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born October 16, 1783 at Morris County, New Jersey; the dau. of Samuel Clark and Phoebe (Minor) Benjamin. She m/1 Reuben Burnett on February 25, 1804 at Bridport, Vermont (vr). He was the son of William and Lucy (Gleason) Burnett and was born August 4, 1782 at Warwick, Mass. and died July 14, 1817 at Canton, St. Lawrence Co., New York. She m/2 John Bonney.

Children of Reuben and Polly (Benjamin) Burnett:

2745. Harriet Burnett b. April 8, 1806 at Bridport, Vt.(vr
*2746. Lois S. Burnett b. May 4, 1808 at Canton, N.Y.
2747. Lucy G. Burnett b. January 23, 1814 at Ogdensburgh, St. Lawrence Co., N.Y.
2748. Evalinia Burnett b. Oct. 29, 1814 at Rossie, N.Y.
2749. Elizabeth B. Burnett b. November 24, 1816 at Ogdensburgh, N.Y.

Children of John and Polly (Benjamin Burnett) Bonney:

2750. Caroline Bonney b. 1822.
2751. Reuben Bonney b. 1824.

Resources: Records of Mrs. John Daniels of Marine City, Michigan; Hartford Times March 16, 1957.

1384. NATHANIEL BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born May 7, 1788 at Bridport, Vermont (vr); the son of Samuel Clark and Phoebe (Minor) Benjamin; bapt. May 11, 1804 at the Cong Church at Bridport; died December 20, 1863. He married Amy Wians (Winnans). born between 1775-94. He m/2 Polly ---. She is buried in the Leraysville Cemetery.

Nathaniel is listed in the 1820 census of Union, Broome County, New York.

According to a letter written to Wallace Payne's grandmother, Nathaniel was living near Syracuse in 1870 and in in 1866 he had a granddau. living in Union Broome Co., N.Y.

Children of Nathaniel and Amy (Wians) Benjamin:

2752. 1 female b. 1810-20.
*2753. Harriet Benjamin b. July 6, 1816 at Vestal,New York.
*2754. Allen Benjamin b. September 18, 1821 at Vestal, N.Y.

Resources: Records of Wallace Payne of Bridport, Vt.; p.692 Desc. of Moses Cleveland, Cleveland, 1899; Records of Mrs.

John Baty of Owego, New York.

1387. ALLEN SERGANT BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born February 3, 1797 at Bridport, Vermont (vr); the son of Samuel Clark and Betsey (Johnson) Benjamin. He married Wealthy Hamblin on September 2, 1819 at Bridport, Vt. (vr). She was the dau. of Daniel and Leah (Cromton) Hamblin and was born between 1790-1800.

He was listed in the 1830 census of Bridport, Addison County, Vermont.

Children of Allen and Wealthy (Hamblin) Benjamin:

2755. Daniel Hamblin Benjamin b. May 26, 1821 at Bridport, Vt. (vr 3-259).

2756. Leah Elizabeth Benjamin b. May 3, 1824 at Bridport. (vr 3-259).

Resources: Records of Wallace Payne of Bridport, Vt.; Vermont Vital Records of Bridport Book 2 p. 24.

1388. WILLIAM BOTT BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born April/September 29, 1798 at Bridport, Vermont (vr 2-27); the son of Samuel Clark and Betsey (Johnson) Benjamin; died March 28, 1866 (gs) at the age of 67-5-0 at Bridport, Vt. (vr) of paralysis. He is buried in the Village Cemetery. He m/1 Sally Williams on March 2, 1826 at Bridport, Vt. (vr the dau. of Joseph and Molly (Gray)Williams. She was born October 27, 1802 and died March 12, 1843 (gs) at the age of 40 at Bridport, Vt. (vr). She , too, is buried in the Village Cemetery. He m/2 Caroline A. Howe on August 13, 1843 at Bridport, Vt. (vr). She was born 1810/1 and died Feb. 7, 1845, age 34, at Bridport. (vr 2-3). An infant is buried with her. He m/3 Cornelia Brainerd on December 2, 1847 at Bridport, Vt. (vr), the dau. of John and Harriet (Buck) Brainard. She was born July 11, 1814 at Bridport and died February 7, 1875 at Bridport. Cornelia m/2 January 26, 1870 Hosea Hamilton at Bridport Jan. 26, 1870 (vr).

William was a farmer. He served as trustee of Bridport in 1849, 51, 53, and 56. He was a constable in 1853 and 1856. For about 20 years he was master of the Morning Sun Lodge (#18, later #15) F. and A.M. of Bridport.

Children of William B. and Sally (Williams) Benjamin:

*2757. Flora Finette Benjamin b. April 10, 1827 at Bridport (vr 3-262).

*2758. William Wallace Benjamin b. September 8, 1830 at Bridport (vr).

*2759. Delia Juliette Benjamin b. August 20, 1839 at Bridport.

2760. Vuel Damon (Vel) Benjamin b. January 12, 1841; died February 22, 1841, age 6 mos. at Bridport (vr).

*2761. Sarah Charlotte Benjamin b. December 30, 1842.

Children of William Bott and Caroline (Howe) Benjamin:

2762. Infant d. or b. Feb. 7, 1843; died at age 6 mos.

Resources: Records of Wallace Payne of Bridport, Vt.; p. 97 Brainerd-Brainard Gen., Brainard, 1908; Vol. 5 p. 345 Woodstock Gen., Bowen

1392. MERCHANT BENJAMIN[7] (Peleg[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], Joseph[1]) born between 1774-84; supposedly the son of Peleg Benjamin; died at the age of 22 years. His wife's name is unknown, but she is supposed to have m/2 Mr. Hall.

This placement is due to the research of Edmund Benjamin. It was his belief that Merchant Benjamin "of Taconic, N.Y.", was a brother of Hannah Moore Knapp, and that he also had a brother that was a physcian in Brooklyn, New York in 1880.

Children of Merchant and --- Benjamin:
2763. Calvin Benjamin b. 1805. (see #1577, for the material on this same Calvin. Placement is confused!)

Children of Mr. Hall and --- Benjamin:
John M. Hall.
Frank Hall.

Resource: Research of Edmund Benjamin.

1398. SEYMOUR BENJAMIN[7] (Peleg[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born about 1804 in Conn.; the son of Peleg Benjamin. He married Eliza --- bc. 1817. in Tompkins Co., N.Y.

Seymour was listed in the 1820 census of Delhi, Delaware Co., N.Y. and in 1865 and 1875 at Hector Twp., Schuyler Co., N.Y.

Children of Seymour and Eliza (---) Benjamin:
2764. John Henry Benjamin b. 1837/8 in Tompkins Co., N.Y. m. Rhuby --- b. 1837. He resided in 1893/4 at Hector Twp., Schuyler Co., N.Y.; was a carpenter and joiner foreman in a sawmill.
2765. Nathan O. Benjamin b. 1844.
2766. Eugene Benjamin b. 1846.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, NY; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, NY;

1404. ORANGE BENJAMIN[7] (Judah[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born January 26, 1784 at Mt. Washington, Mass.; the son of Judah and Susan Jemima (Dunham) Benjamin; died October 5, 1846, age 61 (gs) at Dover, Dutchess Co., New York. He is buried in the South Dover Ground. He married Clarissa Throp on March 10, 1811 at Sheffield, Mass. She died August 1, 1855 at Brooklyn, New York.

Children of Orange and Clarissa (Throp) Benjamin:
*2767. Joseph Seymour Benjamin b. December 3, 1811 at Sheffield, Mass.

*2768. Hiram Benjamin b. July 26, 1813 at Sheffield, Mass.
2769. Mary Benjamin b. July 15, 1815 at Sheffield, Mass.; m. March 13, 1839 Rufus J. Whitehead, son of Justus and Harriet E. (Warner) Whitehead. He b. Sept 2, 1818 at Salisbury, Conn.
2770. Laura Benjamin b. June 4, 1817 at Sheffield; d. June 20, 1859; m. November 7, 1839 Hosea D. Lane.
2771. Harriet Whipple Benjamin b. July 8, 1819 at Sheffield; d. July 20, 1834.
2772. Jane Benjamin b. July 20, 1822 at Sheffield; m. September 21, 1848 Eli Fields.
*2773. Clarissa Benjamin b. July 29, 1824 at Sheffield.
*2774. Orange Benjamin b. March 8, 1828 at Sheffield, Mass.
*2775. John Peck Benjamin b. October 10, 1830 at Sheffield.
*2776. Richard Graham Benjamin b. December 14, 1833.

Resources: Family and Bible records at the Hartford, Conn. State Library via Mrs. Jovino of E. Hartford, Conn.; Gen. and Family Hist. of Conn., Cutler p 1091 Vol. 2; p. 28-31 The Benjamin Family, Ellis B. Baker, 1898; p. 263. vol. 3 Loveland Fam., 1895; p. 38 Old Gravestones of Dutchess Co. Poucher and Reynolds, 1924.

1405. POLLY BENJAMIN[7] (Judah[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born about 1784 in Conn.; the dau. of Judah Benjamin; died 1856 in Herrick Township, Bradford Co., Penn. She married Ephraim Platt in 1805. He was the son of Zophar and Rebecca (Fairchild) Platt and was born in 1785.

Children of Ephraim and Polly (Benjamin) Platt:
2777. Anson Platt b. June 14, 1824; d. June 8, 1909; m. Jane Daugherty. She was b. Feb. 11, 1839; d.1926.
2778. Delia Platt; m. Zelwin Lamphere. Issue: Edward, who removed to Calif.; Charles; George; Emily m. Theodore Rosencrans, a farmer in Nebraska; Sarah, m. George Corner, farmer in Nebraska; Hartley b. Oct 10, 1843 at LaRaysville, Penn., m. Anna Benjamin on Aug. 14, 1871, dau. of Morgan Benjamin of Standing Stone, Penn.; Mary Eliza b. Sept. 22, 1849 in Herrick Twp, Bradford Co., Penn., d. d. 1929, m/1 William McCracken, m/2 Ephraim Platt.

Resources: Records of Michard J. McCracken of Penn.; Gen. and Hist. #306.

1407. MICHAEL BENJAMIN[7] (Judah[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], Joseph[1]) born 1792; the son of Judah and Susan Jemima (Dunham) Benjamin. He married Susanna Bailey.

Children of Michael and Susanna (Bailey) Benjamin:
*2779. Erastus Mapes Benjamin b. 1827 in New York.
2780. Michael Benjamin; resided in Scranton, Penn. 1899.

Resources: p. 441 Abridged Compendius Am. Gen.

1408. ISAAC BENJAMIN[7] (Judah[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born 1780-90; the son of Judah Benjamin. His wife's name is unknown, but she was b. 1780-90.

There was an Isaac Benjamin listed in the 1820 and 1840 census records of Orwell, Bradford Co., Penn.

Children of Isaac Benjamin:

2781. 1 male b. 1804-10.
2782. 1 female b. 1804-10.
2783. 2 males b. 1810-20.
2784. 2 females b. 1810-20.
2785. 2 males b. 1820-25. One is perhaps Isaac Benjamin bc. 1824 in Penn.; m. Mary --- b. 1831 in Penn. and had son Isaac bc. 1850 in Penn. This Isaac was in the 1850 census of Orwell Twp., Bradford Co., Penn.

Resources: Census records.

1409. EDWIN BENJAMIN[7] (Judah[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born between 1775-95; probably the son of Judah Benjamin. His wife's name is unknown, but she was born 1794-1804.

He is listed in the 1820 census records of Towanda, Bradford Co., Penn., apparently just married.

Children of Edwain Benjamin:

2786. Edwin Benjamin bc. 1826 in Penn.; m. Abigail --- bc. 1826 in Penn. and had a dau. M.A. bc. 1847 and a son, E.E. bc. 1849. He was located in the 1850 census of Durell, Bradford Co., Penn., and lived close to the Lear and David Benjamin families.

Resources: Census Records.

1412. ABIGAIL E. BENJAMIN[7] (Ches[6], Elij[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born November 15, 1777 in Dutchess Co., New York; a possible dau. of Chester and Antjie (Harp) Benjamin; died March 11, 1849, age 71-4-24 (gs) perhaps of Cazenovia, Madison Co., N.Y. She married Horrace Paddock born March 13, 1775, the son of David and Miriam (Belden) Paddock. He died December 16, 1860, age 85 (gs) at Amboy, Camillus, New York and is buried in the Amboy Cemetery.

Children of Horrace and Abigail (Benjamin) Paddock:

2787. Laura Paddock b. June 27, 1802; d. August 1, 1884; m. at Orville, N.Y. Feb. 11, 1827 Asa or Arga C. Crosby; res. Holly,Mich. and later Springfield, Ill. Issue: Maria; Mary Ann; and Horace Crosby.
2788. Maria Paddock b. January 4, 1804; died young.
2789. Maria Paddock b. January 23, 1806; d. May 7, 1883; m. July 31, 1822 John Jackson Merrill.
2790. Horrace Benjamin Paddock b. April 28, 1808; d. July 10, 1884; m. June 22, 1830 Ann Short.
2791. Samantha Paddock b. July 6/8, 1810; d. April 6, 1841

age 30-9-0; m. Norman H. Otis b. 1813; res. Orville, near Manlius, N.Y.; later Syracuse, N.Y.

2792. Sophia Paddock bc. 1811; m. Ira Dayton; res. Grand Rapids, Mich.

2793. Nathan Paddock b. Jan. 15, 1813; d. Sept. 28, 1816.

2794. Andrew E. Paddock b. November 1, 1817; d. unm.

Resources: Records of Robert Joseph Curfman of Kansas City, Missouri.

1413. SARAH (SALLY) BENJAMIN[7] (Ches.[6] Elij,[5] Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born October 10, 1779 in Accord, Dutchess Co., New York; the dau of Chester and Antjie (Harp) Benjamin; bapt. December 5, 1779 at the Dutch Reform Church of Accord, Ulster Co., N.Y. She married about 1796 Lt. Aaron Paddock, the son of David and Miriam (Belden) Paddock, who was born April 15, 1773 at Southeast, Dutchess (now Putnam) Co., New York and died December 18, 1860 at Muir, Ionia Co., Michiagan, at the home of his dau. Rhoda. Sarah must have died long before her husband.

Lt. Aaron homsteaded land east of DeRuyter, New York in 1794. He was the first white settler at Phoenixville, N.Y. and built the first log house there. He lived once at Baraboo, Wisconsin and established a "potashery" near Milwaukee in 1836/7 with some of his children "as he had been engaged in that business in New York".

Children of Aaron and Sarah (Benjamin) Paddock:

2795. Miriam Paddock bc. 1798; m. Jonathan Miles; res. Dodge Co., Wis. in 1840, Ft. Atkinson, Wis. 1865.

2796. Ann Paddock b. April 26, 1800; d. April 7, 1889; m. Barlow or Harlow Eno.

2797. Maria Paddock bc. 1802; m. at Cicero, N.Y. September 20, 1821 Darius Benjamin Gage b. July 29, 1801, d. 1877, son of Eli and Hannah (Rice) Gate. He was a hotel owner. Issue: Eliza b. Aug. 15, 1822 m. Miles Shepard and res. Lake Co., Ill. and DePere, Wis.; Herschell b. April 14, 1824, d. young.

2798. Chester B. Paddock bc. 1803; d. in Illinois; m. in Allegany, N.Y. Esther Knight. Issue: George of Baraboo, Wis.; Russell; Cynthia m. Milton Shepherd of Antioch, Ill.; and others.

2799. Ruth Paddock b. December 24, 1804; d. May 14, 1851; m/1 William Brown; m/2 at Dover, N.Y. on May 15, 1824 Ambrose Latten or Lattin Soule; resided at Bussell (near Cleveland), Ohio in 1850. Issue: Judge Charles E. Soule b. 1842; Julia Soule; and others.

2800. Elizabeth Paddock bc. 1806; m. William Lansing; had 4 children of whom Hannah Lansing m. Hiram Gardner.

2801. Aaron Burr Paddock b. March 30, 1807; d. May 11, 1877; m. August 8, 1827 Susan Maria Norton.

2802. Matilda Paddock bc. 1809; m. Mucan Eno, brother of

Harlow Eno. Issue: Mary Eno m. --- Harder of Syracuse, N.Y. and had a large family.

2803. Rhoda Paddock bc. 1810; d. Muir, Michigan in 1883; m. Benjamin B. Soule b. Dutchess Co., N.Y. May 20, 1810, d. Spring Lake, Mich. Jan. 27, 1900, son of Luther and Lydia (---) Soule and brother of Amose Soule. No issue of this marriage, but he had m/1 Matilda Miller who d. May 15, 1833, by whom he had Mortimer Wilson Soule b. May 7, 1833, d. 1840. Benjamin resided at Russell (near Cleveland), Ohio and later at Muir, Michigan.

2804. Daniel Belden Paddock b. March 11, 1812; d. at Baraboo, Wis. Aug. 1, 1871; m. Jane Van Loon b. Aug. 4 1817 (1813); d. Nov. 15, 1898 (1897), dau. of Jacob and Eva (---) Van Loon. Issue: Laura J.; Ann; Orlando F.; Cynthia J.; George Josiah b. May 17, 1843 m. Wealthy Force; Edwin B. b. 1845, d. 1913, m. Mary Pettis.

2805. Nathan B. Paddock b. March 25, 1813; d. Jan. 25, 1895; m. 1841 Mary Corbett Marsh; res. Canandiagua New York.

2806. James Paddock bc. 1814; died young.

2807. Jane Paddock bc. 1816; mc. 1833 "age of 17" to Stephen Norton.

2808. Esther Paddock bc. 1817; m. Memuean Eno; died soon after m. and had no children.

2809. George W. Paddock b. March 30, 1818 at Phoenixville, N.Y.; d. Jan. 14, 1901 at Baraboo, Wis.; m. Ann C. Marsh b. July 11, 1827, d. Apr. 29, 1885 at Baraboo, Wis., dau. of Joshua and Elizabeth (Parmenter Marsh. Issue: Benjamin M. b. April 28, 1850, m. Katherine Sophia Hoskins; Arthur (twin) m. a sister of his brother's wife.

Resources: Boston Transcript Sept. 8, 1908 and July 6, 1814 Records of Robert J. Curfman of Kansas City, Missouri.

1415. ELIJAH C. BENJAMIN[7] (Ches.[6]Elij;[5] Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born 1784 (gs) at Accord, Ulster Co., New York; the son of Chester and Antjie (Harp) Benjamin; bapt. September 28, 1777 at the Dutch Reform Church of Warwarsing, Ulster Co., N.Y.; died November 26, 1856, age 72 yrs. 4 mos. (gs) at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York. He is buried in Shed's #9 Cemetery at DeRuyter. He m/1 Sally (---perhaps Forbes). She was born March 1784 and died April 1, 1841, age 57-1-14 (gs) and is buried with her husband. He m/2 Anna Houghtaling on October 4, 1848 at Cuyler, N.Y., the dau. of --- and Mary A. (--Hoaghtaling. She was born September 23, 1799 in N.Y. and died June 23, 1870, age 70 yrs., and is buried in the Wager plot of the First Presbyterian Church Cemetery at Spencertown, N.Y.

He listed in the 1830 census of Fabius, N.Y., the 1840 census of DeRuyter, N.Y., and the 1850 census of Truxton,

New York. Anna's mother was with them in 1850.

His will was dated August 30, 1889 and proved February 14, 1891 with the executor named as Louisa Wood. (Madison Co Probate 5580 T22). In it he names George H. Benjamin of Cazenovia, N.Y.; Henry H. Benjamin, late of DeRuyter, now deceased; John F. Benjamin, late of Shelby Co., Missouri, now deceased, Louisa Wood, late of DeRuyter, now deceased; with George H. Benjamin as his only living heir, besides grandchildren that were named.

Children of Elijah and Sally (---) Benjamin:

*2810. Louisa Benjamin b. 1814 in Madison Co., New York.

2811. John Forbes Benjamin b. January 23, 1817 at Cicero, Onondaga Co., N.Y.; d. March 8, 1877 at Washington D.C.; m. December 15, 1840 Dianna Hasbrook (Hasbrouch) of Liverpool at the First Presb. Church of Syracuse, N.Y. She was born 1814 and died June 4, 1877 at Shelbina, Missouri, age 63. He was a member of Congress from Missouri and attended the 39th, 40th, and 41st sessions of Congress. He was a Major and Lt. Col. in the 2nd Mo. State Calvary in the Civil War. There was no issue of this m.

*2812. Henry Harp Benjamin b. 1819 in Madison Co., N.Y.

*2813. George H. Benjamin b. 1825 in Madison Co., N.Y.

Resources: Records of Mrs. John Keller of Litiz, Pa.; p. 97 Account of Cone Fam. of Am., Cone, 1903; p. 42 Vol. 102 N.Y. Gen. and Biog. Record; Early Rec. of 1st Prebs. Church of Syracuse, Northrup, 1902; Hist. Reg. and Dict. of U.S. Army

1416. ELIAS BENJAMIN[7] (Ches.[6] Elij,[5] Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born February 1, 1782 at Accord, Ulster Co., New York; the son of Chester and Antjie (Harp) Benjamin; died April 8, 1863, age 63 (gs) at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York. He is buried in the Merchant Family Cemetery on the Old Benjamin Farm at DeRuyter, N.Y., other wise known as Cemetery #3. He married Rhoda Paddock, the dau. of David and Miriam (Belden) Paddock. She was born September 9, 1785 at S. Otselic, Southeast, Dutchess Co., N.Y. and died June 5, 1858, age 72-8-26 (gs) at DeRuyter, N.Y. She is buried in the same cemetery as her husband. She is the sister of Elizabeth, Aaron, and Horrace Paddock, who also married into the Benjamin family.

The inscription on his grave stone indicates he was a Mason of some importance and a soldier. He served as a Captain in the Light Infanty in the 67th Regt. under Col. Dudley Hewet during the War of 1812. He enlisted at German, N.Y. on Jan. 1813 and was on the pension list of 1847 at Cortland, N.Y., age 57. He also served in Capt. Dennison Randall's Regt. of the Chenango Co., State Militia in 1809.

He was called Junior to distinguish him from his Uncle, who was called Senior, and was living in the same area at the same time.

Rhoda, her mother, and brother David came to the town

Fabius, N.Y. and lived with Elijah Benjamin. Tuttle records state that Belden Paddock came to DeRuyter with his mother and brothers in 1800 from Dutchess Co., N.Y.

Children of Elias and Rhoda (Paddock) Benjamin:

2814. Deborah Benjamin b. April 25, 1803.
*2815. Ezra Benjamin b. May 21, 1804 at Madison Co., N.Y.
*2816. Edmond Benjamin b. June 28, 1806 at Madison Co., NY
*2817. Robert L. Benjamin b. June 14, 1808 at Madison Co.
*2818. Almedia Hannah Benjamin b. September 29, 1810 at Chenango,Co., N.Y.
*2819. John Mills Benjamin b. June 5, 1813.
2820. Isaac Paddock Benjamin b. July 21, 1815.
2821. Mary E. Benjamin b. September 1, 1817; prob. d.young
*2822. William F. Benjamin b. April 18, 1820.
*2823. David E. Benjamin b. May 1, 1822.
2824. Mary E. Benjamin b. June 24, 1823.
*2825. Sidney Benjamin b. September 5, 1826.
*2826. Jane Ann Benjamin b. May 2, 1829.

Resources: Vol. 183 p. 143 Madison Co., N.Y. Cem. Records; Paddock Fam., Hubbell and Conboy; Boston TranscriptJuly 14, 1919 and Sept. 8, 1908; Records of Mrs. John Keller of Lititz, Penn. which included Pioneer Notes, Chart of Florence Hill of Lafayette, N.Y., 1850 Truxton Census, and chart in folder in Syracuse, N.Y. Library.

1417. JOSEPH BENJAMIN[7] (Chester[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born 1788 at Accord, Ulster Co., New York; the son of Chester an Antjie (Harp) Benjamin; bapt. July 18, 1788 at the Dutch Reform Church of Accord; died in Syracuse, Onondaga Co., New York, date unknown. He married Elizabeth (Betsey) Carpenter about 1809, the dau. of William and Hannah (---) Carpenter. She was born in 1790 in Renssalaer Co., New York

Joseph was an Ensign in 1821 and a Lt. in 1822 in the Onondaga Co., New York State Militia.

He is listed in the 1810 census at Fabius, N.Y., in the 1820 census at Cicero, in 1830 at Salina N.Y., in 1842 at Tully and in 1855 at Syracuse. He may have gone to Ohio between 1830 and 1842. Joseph was a fruit dealer.

In the 1820 census there were 4 daus. under 10 years of age.

Children of Joseph and Elizabeth (Carpenter) Benjamin:

*2827. Mary Augusta Benjamin b. August 20, 1810 at DeRuyter
2828. Margaret Benjamin b. 1828 at DeRuyter, Madison Co.NY

Resources: Records of Mrs. John Keller of Lititz, Penn.; which included census and land records; Lineage of My Children, Keogh, 1926.

1421. CHESTER HARP BENJAMIN[7] (Chester[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born May 7, 1796 at Accord, Ulster Co., New York; the son of Chester and Antjie (Harp) Benjamin; died October 21,

1838, age 44 (gs) at Truxton, Cortland Co., New York. and is buried in the Old Burying Ground #3 at DeRuyter, N.Y. He married Tersa (Teriza/Tirza/Tersey) Fairbank of Cortland Co., N.Y. on March 13, 1817. She was the dau. of Ephraim and Abigail (Merrill) Fairbank and was born in 1799 in Oneida Co., New York and she m/2 James Wilson of January 1, 1848 at Cortland Co., N.Y. He was b. 1815.

Children of Chester H. and Teriza (Fairbank) Benjamin:

2829. Ephraim Fairbank Benjamin b. January 20, 1818 at Truxton (now Cuyler), Cortland Co., N.Y.
2830. Mary Jane Benjamin b. September 11, 1820 at Truxton.
2831. Margaret Abigail Benjamin b. Sept. 21, 1822.
2832. Abigail Merrill Benjamin b. Jan. 20, 1825 at Truxton; d. Feb. 2, 1870; m. Sept. 20, 1842 Roland George Laflin. No issue of this m. He d. Dec. 4, 1860 at Sacramento, Calif.
*2832. Orrin Chester Benjamin b. May 11, 1827 at Truxton.
2833. Harriet Annette Benjamin b. December 25, 1828.
2834. Hannah Caroline Benjamin b. July 14, 1832; m. David Ward.
*2835. Lura Dolly Benjamin b. November 21, 1837.

Resources: Vol. 183 p. 143 Madison Co., N.Y. Cemetery Records; Laflin Gen, Laflin, 1930; Records of Mrs. John Keller of Lititz, Penn.; Wilson Papers; Lineage of My Children, Keogh, 1926.

1422. HARVEY BENJAMIN[7] (Chester[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born 1797 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the son of Chester and Antjie (Harp) Benjamin; died May 22, 1866 at age of 70 at Syracuse, Onondaga Co., New York. He married June 14, 1818 Sally McQuivney (McQuincy) at Springfield, Mass. She was the dau. of Solomon and Charity (Simons) McQuivney and was born in 1797 and died August 23, 1854, age 57.

He is listed in several deeds in Hampden Co., Mass. Land Records. In 1828 (80:650) Simeon Sanborn sold land to Harvey of Springfield; in 1822 (69:319) Harvey of Springfield gives a promisory note to Daniel Bontecon and in 1827 (77:253) Harvey and wife Sally sellland to Simeon Smith. In 1845 (127:361) Harvey of Syracuse, N.Y. sells land to Giles C. Tiffany.

They are listed in the 1840 census of Salina (now Syracuse), N.Y.

Children of Harvey and Sally (McQuivey) Benjamin:

2836. Elmira Benjamin b. 1825 in Onondaga Co., N.Y.; m. Sylvester House b. 1811.
2837. William H. Benjamin b. 1839; was U.S. Marshall in Geddes in 1854.
?2838. William S. Benjamin d. Aug. 2, 1831 at Salina, N.Y.
?2839. Belinda A. Benjamin; m. Lucius Smith Bugbee b. Union, Conn. Jan. 9, 1826, the son of Newman and Eliza (Smith) Bugbee. She was "of Springfield" at time of marriage.

Resources: Records of Mrs. John Keller of Lititz, Penn.; Am. Genealogist; Lineage of My Children, Keogh, 1926; p. 56 Hist. of Woodstock, Bowen, Vol. 3.

1423. ELIAS PADDOCK BENJAMIN[7] (Elijah[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born May/June 6, 1783 at Southeast, Dutchess Co., New York; the son of Elijah and Elizabeth (Paddock) Benjamin; died November 27,1866, age 83 yrs. 7 mos. (gs) at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York and is buried in the Old Burying Grounds #3 at DeRuyter. He married Martha (Patty) Rich on December 25, 1811, the dau. of Joseph and Lodemia (Conant) Rich. She was born July 11, 1792 and died November 22, 1866, age 74 yrs. 4 mos. (gs) at DeRuyter and is buried with her husband

He settled on his father-in-law's farm, known as the Burton place, and operated a grist, saw, and cider mill, which he errected.

In 1825 he was a member of the Legislature of New York from Madison County.

His will is dated 1868 and is on file at Madison Co. Surrogate Office, #2816, with DeGrand Benjamin as executor. He left no widow and names surviving children.

He is listed in the 1850, 55, 60, and 1865 census records of DeRuyter, Madison Co., N.Y.

Children of Elias P. and Martha (Rich) Benjamin:

2840. Rufus C. Benjamin b. October 3, 1814; d. May 27, 1864/5 at DeRuyter, age 50-6-24 (gs) at the residence of John Mead; m. Lucelia M. Waterbury, dau. of David and Polly (---) Waterbury b. Nov. 16,1832 at Chatauqua Co, N.Y., d. March 3, 1888 and both are buried in the Oakwood Cem. at Syracuse, N.Y. Probate records indicated no children, with wife and father named only heirs. (Pioneer Files N-51).

*2841. DeGrande Benjamin b. 1816 at DeRuyter.

*2842. Anson Benjamin b. 1817 at DeRuyter.

*2843. George W. Benjamin b. 1821 at DeRuyter.

2844. Lovina (Lonna) Benjamin b. 1823 at DeRuyter; d. Apr. 2, 1843, age 20-4-6 (gs) and buried with parents.

2845. David Benjamin b. 1824; d. March 8, 1825, age 8 mos. (gs) and buried with parents.

*2846. David Benjamin b. 1826 at DeRuyter.

2847. Louisa Benjamin b. 1829 in DeRuyter; was residing in Columbia Co., N.Y. in 1868 and unm. at that time.

2848. Mariah Benjamin b. 1830 at DeRuyter; d. October 16, 1831, age 18 mos. 9 days. (gs) buried with parents

2849. Andrew (Arthur) J. Benjamin b. 1833 at DeRuyter; d. April 1852, age 19 yrs. (gs) buried with parents.

Resources: Records of Mrs. John Keller of Lititz, Penn.; p. 46 Sam. Davis and Joseph Davis and their Desc., Davis, 1884; Vol. 182 p. 94 Madison Co., N.Y. Cemetery Records; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.; p. 35 DAR Cem. Records Vol. 244A.

1424. DAVID BENJAMIN[7] (Elijah[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born May 18, 1785 at Southeast, Dutchess Co., New York; the son of Elijah and Elizabeth (Paddock) Benjamin; died February 18, 1825 at Conneaut, Ashtabula Co., Ohio. He married Sarah Rich on August 19, 1805, the dau. of Joseph and Lodemia (Conant) Rich. She was born January 20, 1789 and died February 18, 1873 at Conneaut, Ohio.

David also settled on the Rich farm, where he resided until he moved with his family to Ohio about 1822. He was a merchant, farmer, and then owner of a flour mill. The Hist. of Madison Co., N.Y. says he died in 1882.

Sarah was listed in the 1830 census at Salem Twp., Ashtabula Co., Ohio.

Children of David and Sarah (Rich) Benjamin:

*2850. Dr. Edwin Gage Benjamin b. August 22, 1811 at DeRuyter, N.Y.
2851. 2 females b. 1800-10.
2852. 1 female b. 1810-15.
2853. 1 male b. 1815-20.
2854. 1 female b. 1820-25.
2855. 2 males b. 1820-25.

Resources: Records of Ruth Keller of Lititz, Penn.; Hist. of Madison Co., N.Y., Smith, 1880; p. 46-7 Samuel Davis and Their Desc., Davis, 1884; Van der Mark Ancestry, Van der Mark and Hauser.

1425. ELIJAH E. BENJAMIN[7] (Eliah[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) (In Cemetery records he is listed as JAMES BENJAMIN) born October 26, 1788 at Southeast, Dutchess County, New York; the son of Elijah and Elizabeth (Paddock) Benjamin; died May 19, 1880, age 97 yrs. 7 mos. (gs) at DeRuyter, Madison Co., N.Y. and is buried at the Merchant Farm #6 Cemetery at DeRuyter, which is located south of the DeRuyter Reservoir. He married Catharine Vincent in 1816. She was the dau. of Charles Vincent and was born 1798 at Columbia Co., N.Y. and died April 19, 1869, age 72 yrs. 5 mos. (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He settled on his father's farm in Cuyler Township. He resigned the farm to his son Horace in 1858, and removed to DeRuyter village, where he resided until his 92nd year.

Elihu E. Benjamin was listed as an Ensign in 1816, a Lt. in 1817, and a Capt. in 1819 in the Cortland Co., N.Y. State Militia. He resigned in 1821. (This was more than likely Elijah E.!)

His will is recorded in the Madison Co. Probate Records #4346, and was filed May 24, 1880 by Horace Benjamin. His heirs are named and he left $400. to each of his 8 children, with the balance of his estate to be divided between the 8 children.

Children of Elijah E. and Catherine (Vincent) Benjamin:

2856. son b. December 13, 1817 at Cortland Co., N.Y.; d.

Dec. 24, 1816, age 10 days (gs); buried with his parents.

2857. Horace Benjamin b. Dec.13, 1817 at Cortland Co.; d. Aug. 14, 1822, age 4-8-1 (gs) buried with parents.

2858. Franklin Benjamin; was served notice of his father's will at Morrisville, N.Y., but was named as being "of Fulton, Illinois."

2859. Henry Benjamin; listed at the time of his father's will as residing in Harvard, Illinois.

2860. Nancy (Hancy) Benjamin d. before 1870; m. Dec. 28, 1848 Thomas S. Rogers, son of Deacon Zebulon and Lydia (Brooks) Rogers b. Sept. 30, 1824 at Waterford, Conn. He was in the fish business in New York City. He m/2 Sarah Sophronia Stillman. Nancy had a son: Thomas Weaver Rogers b. Aug. 23, 1853 at Waterford, m. Oct. 7, 1897 Lillian Stillman, and had no issue.

*2861. Horace (Harvey) Benjamin b. January 5, 1824.

*2862. Ira Benjamin b. 1826 at Cortland Co., N.Y.

*2863. Madison Benjamin b. 1830 in Cortland Co., N.Y.

2864. Caroline Benjamin b. 1833; m. Milton Hull; resided in Fort Dodge, Iowa in 1880.

2865. Pulaski Benjamin b. Jan. 2, 1835; d. March 7, 1837, age 2-2-5 (gs) and buried with parents.

*2866. DeWitt Benjamin b. 1837 at Cortland Co., N.Y.

*2867. Pulaski Benjamin b. March 3, 1839 at Cortland Co.

2868. Francis S. Benjamin b. June 1841; d. Dec. 1, 1841, age 6 mos. (gs) and buried with parents.

*2869. Nathan Benjamin.

Resources: Research of Mrs. John Keller of Lititz, Penn.; Vol. 183 p. 143 Madison Co., N.Y. Cemetery Records; Hist. of Chenango and Midison Co., N.Y., 1880; p. 595 and p. 370 James Rogers of New London, Conn., Rogers, 1902; p. 133 Gen of Brainerd-Brainard, Brainard, 1908; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

1427. FREDERICK B. BENJAMIN[7] (Elijah[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born 1794 or 1798 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the son of Elijah and Elizabeth (Paddock) Benjamin; died 1868 in Belvidere, Illinois. He m/1 Ellen Fairchild of Lincklaen, New York in 1827. She was the dau. of Abel and Nancy (---) Fairchild and was born 1798/9 and died January 30, 1831, age 32 yrs. (gs) about 4 years after their marriage. She is buried in the Lincklaen Cemetery in Cortl. Co., N.Y. He m/2 Sarah Thomas of Cazenovia, N.Y. and she died after 1880 in Belvidere, Ill.

If he had any children, they are unknown.

Resources: Records of Mrs. John Keller of Lititz, Penn.; Vo 180 p. 3 Madison Co., N.Y. Cemetery Records; Research of Mrs. Grodon Ginther of Norwich, M.Y.

1428. CHARLES BENJAMIN[7] (Elijah[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born October 7, 1798 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the son of Elijah and Elizabeth (Paddock) Benjamin; died February 10, 1874 (gs) at DeRuyter, N.Y. He is buried in the Seventh Day Baptist Church Yard, Cem. #2, at DeRuyter. He married Amanda Waters of Fabius, N.Y. on November 25, 1820. She was born May 22, 1802/3 at Fabius, Onondaga Co., N.Y. and died January 16, 1864, age 71 yrs. 7 mos. (gs). She is buried with her husband.

Charles was a shoemaker and listed in the 1840, 50, 55, and 1860 census records of DeRuyter, Madison Co., N.Y.

Children of Charles and Amanda (Waters) Benjamin:

*2870. George P./J. Benjamin b. December 22, 1822 at Fabius Onondaga Co., N.Y.

*2871. Hiram D. Benjamin b. January 20, 1824 at DeRuyter.

*2872. Willis W. Benjamin b. July 31, 1826 at Truxton.

2873. Sarah Loretta Benjamin b. 1827 in Madison Co., N.Y.; m. 1855 (as his 2nd wife) Royal Burdick b. February 9, 1814. Had son DeLancy Burdick b. 1866, d. June 1867 at New Ashburn, N.Y.

?*2874. Warren H. Benjamin b. 1828 at Truxton, N.Y.

*2875. Jane H. Benjamin b. April 2, 1829 at Delphi, N.Y.

2876. Ansel Marvin Benjamin b. Oct. 13, 1830 at Truxton; d. February 5, 1891 at Owensville, Iowa.

2877. Marvin H. Benjamin b. January 21, 1832 at Truxton; d. September 1, 1901 at Eden, Michigan; m. Florence A. Thurston of Dran, N.Y. on Sept. 18, 1865 at the First Methodist Church in Syracuse, N.Y.

2878. Joel B. Benjamin b. March 21, 1834.

*2879. Bethany Elizabeth Benjamin b. Nov. 8, 1835.

*2880. Aaron T/Fred Benjamin b. January 25, 1839 at Madison Co., N.Y.

Resources: Records of Mrs. John Keller of Lititz, Penn.; Vol. 183 p. 133 Madison Co., N.Y. Cemetery Records; p. 266 Desc. of Robert Burdick of R.I., Johnson, 1837; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.; DAR Records Vol. 209 p. 25. (Note: Warren was not included in Bible records as a son.)

1429. LORETTA BENJAMIN[7] (Elijah[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born February 5, 1804 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the dau. of Elijah and Elizabeth (Paddock) Benjamin; died February 1, 1886, age 82 yrs. 3 days. (gs) at Pompey, New York. She married Capt. Ira C. Burdick on June 26, 1823 at Truxton, New York. He was the son of William and Anna (Cloon) Burdick and was born February 6, 1799 and died 1876.

Loretta was a descendant of the Elder William Brewster of the Mayflower on the Paddock line.

Children of Ira C. and Loretta (Benjamin) Burdick:

2881. LaFayette Burdick b. 1824 in Cortland Co., N.Y.; m. Mehitable Paddock, dau.of Nathan and Mehitable

(Eaton) Paddock. LaFayette owned the Paddock Flour Mill at Amboy (Camillus), N.Y. in 1861, which was built in 1826/7 by Nathan Paddock.

2882. Elijah W. Burdick b. 1826 in Cortland Co., N.Y.; m. Mary Hull.

2883. Hubbard Smith Burdick b. May 11, 1827 in Cortland Co N.Y.; m. Jane A. Benjamin.

2884. Ira Deloss Burdick b. 1828; m. Agnes Coleburn.

2885. Elizabeth Burdick b. 1833; d. 1841.

2886. Charles M. Burdick b. 1836; d. 1841.

2887. Francis Henry Burdick b. 1841 in Cortland Co., N.Y.; d. 1862 in Saginaw, Michigan; unmarried.

2888. DeVello B. Burdick b. 1843; m. Clara M. Hatten.

Resources: p. 113 and 246 Desc. of Robert Burdick of R.I., Johnson, 1937; Records of Robert J. Curfman of Kansas City, Missouri.

1432. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[7] (Darius[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born 1785 at Dutchess Co., New York; the son of Darius and Charity (Rice) Benjamin; died November 1863, age 79 (gs) at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York and buried in the DeRuyter Village Cemetery. He m/1 Charlotte --- who was born 1782 and died 1812, age 30 yrs. (gs). He m/2 Hulda --- b. 1787 and died 1829, age 32 (gs). He m/3 Betsey --- who was born 1789 and died 1833, age 44 (gs). All of his wives are buried in the same cemetery.

Samuel was a farmer and was in the 1850 and 1855 census of Truxton, Cortland Co., New York. By 1860 he was living with his daughter.

Children of Samuel and Huldah (---) Benjamin:

2889. Melissa Benjamin b. 1825 at Freetown, Cortland Co., N.Y.; died 1884 at Cuyler (gs); m. Fred Shaw b. 1826 in Chenango Co., N.Y., d. 1884 (gs). They are both buried in the Cuyler Village Cemetery. Issue: Ida M. b. 1854; Malow b. 1857; and Milo Shaw b. 1866.

Children of Samuel and Betsey (---) Benjamin:

2890. Alonzo M. Benjamin b. 1833/4 at Cortland Co., N.Y.

Resources: Research of Mrs. John Keller of Lititz, Penn.; and of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

1433. JAMES DARIUS BENJAMIN[7] (Darius[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born July 2/29, 1786 at Putnam Co., New York; the son of Darius and Charity (Rice) Benjamin; died October 4, 1867, age 81 yrs. 2 mos. (gs) at DeRuyter, Madison Co., N.Y. He is buried in the New Cemetery #1 at DeRuyter. He married Sally Spear on June 20, 1811. She is the dau. of Eli and Jane H. (Tower) Spear and was born April 9, 1796 at Shutesbury, Mass. and died February 12, 1876, age 80 (gs) at DeRuyter, N.Y. and is buried with her husband.

For some years James taught school six miles from him, traveling by marked trees. No roads through the forest, many bears and other wild animals. He would have to roll large logs into the huge fireplace to keep a fire going during his 6 days of absence. The indomitable 15 year old Sally kept her first home in the DeRuyter wilderness and began raising her wonderful family of 13, to grow to man and womanhood; upright, forceful people. They nearly all lived to be over 80 years of age and their descendants scattered widely, many being in New York state and Michigan

Children of James D. and Sally (Spear) Benjamin:

*2891. Charlotte Benjamin b. July 30, 1812 at DeRuyter, NY
*2892. James Darwin (Darius) Benjamin b. August 2, 1814.
*2893. Alfred Benjamin b. July 16, 1917 at DeRuyter.
*2894. Almeda Benjamin b. December 4, 1819 at DeRuyter.
2895. Edward W. Benjamin b. February 27, 1822 at DeRuyter; d. April 29, 1896 in a Civil War Soldier's Home in Michigan. His will is on file (#5580 F70), but that shows he died in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. His brother James is the executor of his estate and names his brothers and sisters as his heirs.
*2896. Eli Spear Benjamin b. January 30, 1842.
*2897. Jane Maxon Benjamin b. March 22, 1826 at DeRuyter.
*2898. Sarah (Sally) Benjamin b. April 9, 1828.
*2899. Orville Benjamin b. July 21, 1830/1.
2900. Charity Elville Benjamin b. June 2, 1832 at DeRuyter d. May 1916; m. May 28, 1855 John T. Lawrence. Sh may have m/2 --- Hammer. In 1896 she resided in Westfield, New Jersey. She had no issue.
*2901. Montville Benjamin b. June 5, 1836 at DeRuyter.
*2902. Mary Mariah Benjamin b. September 25, 1838.
2903. James DeWitt Benjamin b. 1839 at DeRuyter, N.Y.; d. 1906 in DeRuyter; apparently unmarried.

Resources: p. 94 Spear Gen., Spear, 1938; Vol. 92 p. 44 and Vol. 121 p. 208, Vol. 118, p. 265 DAR Lineage Books; Records of Mrs. John Keller of Lititz, Penn.

1436. HARRY BENJAMIN[7] (Darius[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born about 1796 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the son of Darius and Charity (Rice) Benjamin. Data concerning his death and marriage is unknown.

Children of Harry Benjamin:

2904. Hewitt R. Benjamin b. 1826 in N.Y.; d. August 6, 1891, age 65 yrs.; m. Carrie E. Brewster bc. 1847 in Ludlow, the dau. of Isaac and Angeline (Clark) Brewster, d. Jan. 21, 1926, age 79.

Resource: p. 45 Hist. and Gen. of Fam. of Chesterfield.

1439. CHARITY BENJAMIN[7] (Darius[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1803 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the dau. of

Darius and Charity (Rice) Benjamin. She married Ezra Burdick on November 10, 1827 at DeRuyter, N.Y., the son of Capt. James Reed and Martha (Coon) Burdick. He was born Ap 1 23, 1798 at Hopkinton, R.I.

Ezra moved from New York in 1842 and arrived in Elgin, Illinois in 1848.

Children of Ezra and Charity (Benjamin) Burdick:

2905. H. Celestia Burdick; m. --- Castle; residing in 1885 in Carbondale, Ill.
2906. Isaac M. Burdick b. 1833; d. 1905 in Carbondale, Ill.
2907. Laura E. Burdick; m. --- McCullough; resided in Carbondale, Ill.
2908. Leona C. Burdick; m. --- Birson and resided in 1885 in Robinson, Ill.
2909. E. Whitford Burdick; resided in Homer, Ill. in 1885.
2910. Artemissa Burdick; m. --- Brady.

Resources: p. 120 & 295 Desc. of Robert Burdick of R. I., Nellie Johnson, 1937.

1440. DARIUS BENJAMIN[7], (Darius[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1805 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the son of Darius and Charity (Rice) Benjamin; died April 25, 1885, age 79 (gs) at Lincklaen, N.Y. and buried in the Lincklaen Cemetery in ChenangoCo., N.Y. He married Ursula Bristol in 1828. She was born in 1810 (?1800) and died June 24, 1880, age 70 yrs. (gs) (age on gs might read 80 yrs.?) and she is buried with her husband.

Darius resided in Lincklaen since 1836, and was on the assessment rolls 1872-1880. The 1850 and 1855 census records lists Anna Bradley, b. Conn., as mother-in-law.

Children of Darius and Ursula (Bristol) Benjamin:

2911. Content Benjamin b. 1831; d. September 5, 1831, age 3 mos. 25 days. (gs); buried with parents.
*2912. Elijah H. Benjamin b. 1832 in Cortland Co., N.Y.
*2913. Alpheus Benjamin b. 1835 in Cortland Co., N.Y.
2914. Minerva K. Benjamin b. 1837 in Chenango Co, N.Y.
2915. Darius W. Benjamin b. 1840 in Chenango Co., N.Y.
2916. Harriet Genell Benjamin b. 1847; d.May 10, 1847, age 4 mos 25 days. (gs) and buried with parents.
2917. E. S. Benjamin; buried with parents; no dates on gs.

Resources: Vol. 118 p. 265 DAR Lineage Book; Vol. 180 p. 3 Madison Co., N.Y. Cemetery Records; Records of Mrs. John Keller of Lititz, Penn; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

1441. MELISSA BENJAMIN[7] (Darius[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born April 26, 1807 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the dau. of Darius and Charity (Rice) Benjamin; died April 1885 at Carbondale, Kansas and buried at Nortonville, Kansas. She married in 1825 Varnum Maxon Burdick, who was born in 1803

and died in 1857. He is buried in the same cemetery.

He was minister of the S.D.B. Church and pastor of the Truxton, N.Y. church in 1851.

Children of Varnum and Melissa (Benjamin) Burdick:

2918. Louisa Burdick d. 1857 at Ridgeway, Kansas; m. Luther Hayes.

2919. Darius Benjamin Burdick b. April 17, 1830 at Truxton, N.Y.; d. 1908; m/1 Emily Merritt; m/2 Elizabeth Ann Warner; had dau. Lula Melissa Burdick b. at Carbondale, Kansas, m. Orville Erving Young.

2920. Laura Burdick b. 1833; d. 1848 at Truxton, N.Y.

2921. Miranda Burdick; d. 1851 at Elgin, Illinois.

2922. Varnum Spencer Burdick b. 1838; m. Elizabeth E. Burdick.

2923. Arza A. Burdick b. 1840; d. 1942.

2924. John Wells Burdick b. 1842; d. 1861 near Elgin, Ill.

2925. Dr. Edwin Wells Burdick; m. Mary Potter from Wisconsin; graduate of Kansas Medical College; practiced in Calif. and Arizona; he had an orange ranch in Arizona, which his brothers inherited when he died When Ira died, Henry sold it and left a will of over $16,000. in the name of the Burdick boys to Engleside Assoc. at Topeka, Kansasa, to be used as a home for old ladies, called the "Melissa Burdick Home", in memory of their mother.

2926. Henry Warren Burdick b. 1849; d. 1925; unm.; resided in Los Angles, Calif.

2927. Dr. Ira Delos Burdick b. 1852; d. 1918 at Los Angles, Calif.; unm.; graduate of Howard University.

Resources: Records of Mrs. John Keller of Lititz, Penn.; DAR #146995; p. 120 & 296 Desc. of Robert Burdick of R.I., Nellie Johnson, 1937.

1444. DAVID C. BENJAMIN[7] (Cyrus[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born November 7, 1793 at Fishkill, Dutchess Co., New York (Preston, Conn. vr); the son of Cyrus and Rhoda (Dibble) Benjamin. He married Susan Budd of Fishkill on November 23, 1814 at Fishkill. She was the dau. of U. Budd.

He was a merchant and according to Dr. Wilson he had 2 sons living in Stormville, Dutchess Co., N.Y.

Children of David and Susan (Budd) Benjamin:

*2928. Susan Benjamin b. 1826 at Fishkill, N. Y.

?2929. 2 males.

Resources: p. 184 Gen. of Russell Fam., Russell, 1879; Marriages and Deaths, Dutchess Co., N.Y., Reynolds, 1930.

1447. PETER BENJAMIN[7], (Cyrus[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born February 14, 1800 at Fishkill, Dutchess Co., New York; the son of Cyrus and Rhoda (Dibble) Benjamin; died September 2, 1839, age 39, at Stormville, Dutchess Co., New York. He

married Mary (Polly) Seaman on July 5, 1820. She was born in 1800 and died 1854.

Children of Peter and Mary (Seaman) Benjamin:
2930. Phoebe S. Benjamin b. April 19,1823; d. July 14, 1841; unm.
2931. Charles Benjamin b. September 2, 1824; d. May 3, 1845; unm.
*2932. Job S. Benjamin b. March 7, 1828 at Fishkill, N.Y.

Resources: Vol. 110 p. 210 DAR Lineage Book; p. 978 Whitney Fam.of Conn., Whitney, 1878; Wilson Papers.

1450. CHARLES I. BENJAMIN[7] (Cyrus[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born February 17, 1805 at Fishkill, Dutchess Co., New York; the son of Cyrus and Rhoda (Dibble) Benjamin; died 1877. He married Mary Tompkins on October 1828, the dau. of Moses and Gloria (Polly) (Anair Haviland) Tompkins. She was born February 18, 1804 at Farmer Mills, New Jersey and died in 1882. (Note: Salt Lake Family Group Sheet says her mother's name was Gloria Anair Bonnet.)

Charles was a telephone operator and resided at Bristol, Conn.

Children of Charles and Mary (Tompkins) Benjamin:
2933. Frank R. Benjamin; had a son Joseph Marsh Benjamin b. Newbury, New Jersey, d. Newark, N.J.; m. dau. of Mrs. Jacob VanVoohees of Fishkill Landing, N.Y.
2934 Jacob Tompkins Benjamin b. 1829 at Dutchess Co., N.Y. d. 1920; m. Lavina M. Hall.
2935. Fred Benjamin.
2936. Martha F. Benjamin.
2937. Emily F. Benjamin; m. --- Dodge.
2938. Mary E. Benjamin; m. --- Vail.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Boston Transcript Sept. 7, 1927; Tomkins-Tompkins Gen., Tompkins, 1942; Family Group Sheet at Salt Lake City, Utah.

1451. ELIZA (WEALTHY) BENJAMIN[7] (Cyrus[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1] born May 10/28, 1807 at Fishkill, Dutchess Co., New York; the dau. of Cyrus and Rhoda (Dibble) Benjamin; died January 28, 1862 and buried in the Lincklean Cemeteryin Chenango Co. New York. She married Jared O. Burdick on November 25, 1830. He was the son of Benjamin and Anna (Carder) Burdick and was born July 25, 1807 and died in 1888.

Children of Jared and Eliza (Benjamin) Burdick:
2939. Samuel B. Burdick b. 1831; m. Sally Burdick.
2940. Cyrus Burdick b. 1825; m/1 Jane Bronson; m/2 Hannah Dean; m/3 Velma Hathaway.
2941. Lydia Jane Burdick b. 1838; d. 1870.
2942. Daniel D. Burdick b. 1844.

Resources: p. 121, 299 Desc. of Robert Burdick of R.I.,

Nellie Johnson, 1937.

1452. JOEL S. BENJAMIN[7] (Cyrus[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born April 17, 1809 at Fishkill, Dutchess Co., New York; the son of Cyrus and Rhoda (Dibble) Benjamin; died February 4, 1882 age 73-6-12 (gs) at Ridgefield, Conn. (vr 4A-200 & cr 7-246 He is buried in the Ridgefield Cemetery, lot # 12-66. He married Harriet E. Mills on April 13, 1834 at Ridgefield, Conn. (vr 1-179). She was born 1815 and died June 7, 1878, age 61-1-1 (gs) (Vr 3A-57 & cr 7-280). She is buried with her husband.

He was a church member Sept. 3, 1865 in Ridgefield. He is referred to as a house painter in the chapter on industries between 1800-50 and as a painter in a shop in 1825.

A Joel Benjamin was listed in 1822 in the New York State Militia as an Ensign from Cayuga Co.

Children of Joel S. and Harriet (Mills) Benjamin:

2943. Lucy Amy Benjamin b. 1837; d. November 27, 1839, age 2 yrs. at Ridgefield. (vr 1-235).
*2944. Cyrus M. Benjamin b. 1841 at Ridgefield, Conn.
*2945. Albert Mead Benjamin b. July 11, 1844.
2946. Joel S. Benjamin b. March 26, 1847; d. June 25, 1865 age 18-2-29 at Ridgefield. (vr 3A-45).
*2947. Clarissa Adaline Baker Benjamin b. August 29, 1850 at Ridgefield, Conn. (vr).

Resources: p. 165 & 385 Hist. of Ridgefield, Conn., Rockwell, 1927; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records.

1456. ANTHONY EVANS GAGE[7] (Hannah[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born September 12, 1781 at Fredericksburgh, New York; the son of Alden and Hannah (Benjamin) Gage; died August 28, 1839; married in 1815 Rhoda A. Evans b. June 11, 1787, died November 16, 1872.

He moved to Pittstown, then Fairfield, and then to Bell ona, Yates Co., N.Y. He was a physician, graduate of Fairfield Medical College and a zelous Democrat, while all of his relatives were Republicans.

Children of Anthony and Rhoda (Evans) Gage:

2948. Mary Gage.
2949. George W. Gage b. 1817; unm.
2950. Caroline Gage; m. DeWitt C. Lawrence; resided in Washington, D. C.
2951. Alden LaFayette Gage b. July 6, 1842; d. July 8, 1906; m. Helen Mary Rathbone. Issue: Edith May b. May 8, 1851, d. 1933, unm.; George W. b. Mar. 7, 1853, d. 1935, unm.; Hiram Rathbone b. Dec. 5, 1856, m. Lena R. Rathbone.

Resources: Records of Robert Thompson of Sperryville, Va.

1462. ALDEN GAGE[7] (Hannah[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 14, 1790 at Pittstown, New York; the son of Alden and Hannah (Benjamin) Gage; died October 2, 1821. The name of his wife is unknown.

He moved to Fairfield, N.Y. and later to Columbus, Ohio

Children of Alden Gage:
2952. Albert Gage.
2953. Horace M. Gage.

Resources: Records of Robert Thompson of Sperryville, Va.

1463. CYRUS BENJAMIN GAGE[7] (Mary[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born November 16, 1784 at Fishkill, Dutchess Co., New York; the son of Justus and Mary (Benjamin) Gage; died July 28, 1847 and buried in the Gage Cemetery in Wayne Twp., Cass Co. Michigan. He married Mahala Wiltse of Dutchess Co., N.Y. on April 8, 1807. She was born September 16, 1785 and died October 16, 1848.

He moved from the Southeast Precinct and Fishkill, Dutchess Co., N.Y. to DeRuyter, Madison Co., N.Y. in 1819 with his wife and 4 sons, apparently on his way to Scipio and Ledyard, Cayuga Co., N.Y., where he was in 1820/1. In 1839 he went to Cass Co., Michigan, following his two brothers, Justus and Ebenezer. He was a farmer and served in various town offices.

Children of Cyrus and Mahala (Wiltse) Gage:
2954. Peter Benjamin Gage b. July 22, 1808/9; d. Sept. 6, 1864; m. Sept. 8, 1830 Sarah Crosby b. June 6, 1811, d. Sept. 6, 1849; m/2 Mary Lucretia Perry on April 15, 1850. She b. 1821, d. June 17, 1903.
2955. Charles C. Gage b. July 28, 1811; m. Margaret ---.
2956. Justus C. Gage b. July 26, 1813; d. Dec. 15, 1892; m. Catherine Allen and had no issue. He was quite a prominent farmer in Cayuga and Seneca Co., N.Y., and also quite an archaelogist. His obit says he was a Universalist, turned agnostic. His wife (1815-1901) was a Quaker, and both are buried in the Friend's Burying Ground of Union Springs, Cayuga Co., N.Y.
2957. John Storm Gage b. April 8, 1816 at Fishkill, N.Y.; d. July 29, 1888; m. August 26, 1844 Caronine L. Hause b. April 12, 1821, d. Sept. 17, 1905, the dau. of John and Esther (Ketchum) Hause.
2958. Annis W. Gage b. April 29, 1821; d. 1844; m. Julius A. Barney; had no issue.
2959. Caroline M. Gage b. March 11, 1825; m. Sullivan Treat; moved to Calif. during the Gold Rush.

Resources: Records of Robert Thompson of Sperryville, Va.

1464. ARTIMESIA GAGE[7] (Mary[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born January 10, 1787 at Fishkill, Dutchess Co., New York; the dau.

of Justus and Mary (Benjamin) Gage. She married Ezra D. Barnes. They lived at Southeast Precinct, Dutchess Co. and DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York.

Children of Ezra and Artimesia (Gate) Barnes:
2960. Ezra D. Barnes Jr.; d. Dec. 26, 1876 at Byron, N.Y.
2961. Ira Gage Barnes; d. after March 1880.

Resources: Records of Robert Thompson of Sperryville, Va.

1465. ARZA GAGE[7] (Mary[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 5, 1790 at Fishkill, Dutchess Co., New York; the son of Justus and Mary (Benjamin) Gate; died January 16, 1866. He married Mary (Polly) Herrick on March 9, 1816. She was born September 1797 at Springfield, Otsego Co, N.Y. They also lived at Southeast, Dutchess Co., N.Y. and DeRuyter, Madison Co., N.Y.

Children of Arza and Mary (Herrick) Gage:
2962. Mary M. Gage b. July 2, 1817; m. Dr. James Whitford b. Aug. 13, 1811 at Otsego, N.Y.; d. Apr. 16, 1901 at Syracuse, N.Y. (He was the attending physician at the birth of Lyman D. Gage.)
2963. Edwin L. Gage b. May 8, 1822; m. Jane Arnold.
2964. Caroline L. Gage b. November 27, 1826; m/1 Lloyd Glover who d. prior to 1866; m/2 in 1866 John D. Patterson b. May 1, 1816 at Londonderry, N.H., d. March 7, 1902 at Geneva, N.Y.

Resources: Records of Robert Thompson of Sperryville, Va.

1467. ELIAS B. GAGE[7] (Mary[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born April 20, 1800 at Dutchess Co. or Madison Co., New York; the son of Justus and Mary (Benjamin) Gage; died October 23, 1874, age 74-6-3 at Cassopolis, Michigan. He m/1 Melissa --- and m/2 Lydia M. Hawkins, who died January 13, 1890.

He was a broom maker. They moved to Cass Co., Michigan and lived in Silver Creek Township.

Some of the children listed below might be step-children of his second marriage.

Children of Elias Gage:
2965. Francis M. Gage b. April 27, 1835.
2966. J. Harvey Gage b. November 3, 1840.
2967. Mary M. Gage b. December 30, 1843.
2968. Charles C. Gage b. 1832; m. Margaret Van Horn on November 9, 1854.
2969. Sarah S. Gage.
2970. Annie (Annis) Gage.
2971. Richard C. Gage.
2972. Maria Gage.
2973. Helen M. Gage.
2974. Benjamin Gage.

2975. Emmeline Gage.
2976. Henry Gage.

Resource: Records of Robert Thompson of Sperryville, Va.

1469. EBENEZER GAGE[7] (Mary[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born February 4, 1803 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the son of Justus and Mary (Benjamin) Gage; died August 20, 1869. He married Minerva Allen, who died in 1854 and he m/2 Mary E. Smith b. 1837 and d. 1911.

He resided in DeRuyter, Madison Co. and Scipio and Ledyard, Cayuga Co., New York; Wayne and Dowagiac, Cass Co., Michigan and Berrien Co., Michigan.

Children of Ebenezer and Minerva (Allen) Gage:

2977. Eli Allen Gage b. Jan. 7, 1840 at Cass Co., Mich.; d. Sept. 29, 1903 at Miles, Mich.; m. April 2, 1878 Mary M. Inez McClellan, dau. of Capt. Samuel and Margaret (Simpson) McClellan. She b. June 28, 1853 and d. Nov. 11, 1907.
2978. Henry Clay Gage b. April 4, 1842; d. May 11, 1908; m. 1860 Juliet Barney.
2979. Mary Elizabeth Gage b. Nov. 7, 1844; d. Nov. 16, 1872; m. Ephraim K. Townsend. He m/2 Mary E. (Smith) Gage, widowed step mother of his father.
2980. Arza Gideon Gage b. April 21, 1847; d. April 10, 1929; m. Oct. 30, 1877 Henrietta Wood of Niles.
2981. Seneca Ebenezer Gage b. Sept. 20, 1840; d. Feb. 20, 1914 at San Gabriel, Calif.; m/1 Oct. 29, 1879 Edith May Morton, dau. of C. C. and Mary (---) Morton b. Oct. 2, 1861, d. Oct. 6, 1896; m/2 Aug. 3, 1898 Rebecca (Allen) Spooner, dau. of Elihu and Mable (Munsey) Allen b. 1854.

Children of Ebenezer and Mary (Smith) Gage:

2982. Iva Jane Gage b. Sept. 30, 1856; d. Dec. 11, 1902 at Dowagic, Mich., m. March 4, 1874 Charles L. Crossman.
2983. Lloyd E. Gage b. Jan. 2, 1861; m. Eva L. Hamilton.
2984. Harriet L. Gage b. Aug. 3, 1866; d. after 1907; m. Eugene McKenzie who d. May 2, 1907.

Resource: Records of Robert Thompson of Sperryville, Va.

1470. JUSTUS GAGE[7] (Mary[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born March 13, 1805 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the son of Justus and Mary (Benjamin) Gage; died January 21, 1875 and buried in the Riverside Cemetery at Dowagiac, Michigan. He married Matilda Ann Tinkler on April 12, 1832. She was born in 1810 and died after 1875 and is buried in the same cemetery.

He resided in DeRuyter, Madison Co.; Scipio and Ledyard Cayuga Co.; Genesco and York, Livingston Co., New York and Wayne and Dowagiac in Cass. Co., Michigan. of the four

sons that came to Michigan, he was by far the best known and most prominent; particularly in the fields of education the ministery (Universalist), and civic affairs.

Children of Justus and Matilda (Tinkler) Gage:

2985. Mariah L. Gage b. Aug. 28, 1833; d. Jan. 21, 1875 at Valmont, Colorado; m. May 1851 Horace A. McKeyes b. 1826.

2986. DeWitt Clinton Gage b. April 6, 1836; m. Ione ---; moved to Detroit, Mich.

2987. Ruth Ann Gage b. Feb. 12, 1838; d. Feb. 7, 1861; m. --- Kise.

2988. William Harrison Gage b. March 2, 1840 at Dowagic, Mich.; d. April 13, 1871 at Dowagic; m. Sept. 1, 1861 Ada I. Salisbury b. 1841; d. Oct. 16, 1926.

2989. Benjamin Franklin Gage b. Oct. 14, 1846; d. Sept. 1, 1915; m. July 4, 1870 Clara Ann Price.

Resources: Records of Robert Thompson of Sperryville, Va.

1471. ELI A. GAGE[7] (Mary[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born January 11, 1807 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the son of Justus and Mary (Benjamin) Gage; died March 3, 1879. He married Mary Cornelia Judson on October 3, 1831. She died April 2, 1873.

He resided in DeRuyter, Madison Co.; Rome, Oneida Co., New York and Evanston, Cook Co., Illinois. In 1846 the family moved from DeRuyter to Rome, where Eli had a drug store. It was probably after the death of his wife that he moved to Evenston and lived, probably, with one of his sons.

Children of Eli and Mary (Judson) Gage:

2990. Amelia M. Gage b. June 23, 1834.

2991. Lyman Judson Gage b. June 28, 1836; d. Jan. 26, 1927 at Point Loma, Calif.; m/1 Sarah B. Etheridge; m/2 Mrs. Cornelia M. (Lansing) Washbourne of Denver; m/3 Mrs. Frances Ada Ballou. He was a former Secretary of Treasury of the U.S. under President McKinley.

2992. Lloyd Glover Gage b. April 29, 1846; d. July 3, 1885 m. Emma Almira Langsworth.

Resource: Records of Robert Thompson of Sperryville, Va.

1473. REUBEN BOHN BENJAMIN[7] (Asa[6], James[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born December 29, 1792 at Worthington, Mass.; the son of Asa and Mary (Bromley) Benjamin; died January 30, 1864 at Pierpont, Ashtabula Co., Ohio. He m/1 on January 15, 1817 Lydia Pratt at Ashtabula, Ohio (vr). She was born 1794-1802. He m/2 Almira Prince on November 1, 1826 at Pierport, Ashtabula Co., Ohio (vr), the dau. of Eli and Rhoda (Dawson) Prince. She was born July 12, 1808 at Windsor, Mass. and died June 18, 1861.

He is listed in the 1820, 1840, and 1850 census of

Pierpont Township, Ashtabula Co., Ohio.

Children of Reuben and Lydia (Pratt) Benjamin:
2993. 1 female b. 1820-25.

Children of Reuben and Almira (Prince) Benjamin:
*2994. Reuben Perry Benjamin b. 1827 at Pierpont.
2995. Emily Benjamin b. June 30, 1829; d. Sept. 11, 1850.
2996. Eli P. Benjamin b. May 4, 1831; d. Sept. 11, 1850.
2997. Rhoda Benjamin b. March 12, 1832.

Resources: Census Records; Family Group Sheet from Salt Lake City, Utah; Family Bible Records via Charles E. Benjam in of New Haven, Ind.

1475. ANSELL BENJAMIN[7] (Asa[6], James[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born December 19, 1798 at Worthington, Mass.; the son of Asa and Mary (Bromley) Benjamin; died December 27, 1830 at Pierpont Ashtabula Co., Ohio. He married Marriba Snow at Pierport and she was born 1800-10.
He is listed in the 1830 census at Pierport, Ohio.

Children of Answll and Marriba (Snow) Benjamin:
2998. 1 male b. 1820-25.
2999. 1 female b. 1820-25.
3000. 1 male b. 1825-30.

Resources: Census Records.

1477. GEORGE NELSON BENJAMIN[7] (Asa[6], James[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born February 28, 1807 at Worthington, Mass.; the son of Asa and Mary (Bromley) Benjamin. He married Elizabeth Rawson on July 12, 1826 at Ashtabula Co., Ohio (vr). She was born 1810-20. She m/2 in 1845 Enoch Wood at Hurton, Erie Co., Ohio.
In 1840 he is listed in census records at Penn. Twp., Delaware Co., Ohio and in 1830 at Pierport, Ashtabula Co.

Children of George Nelson and Elizabeth (Rawson) Benjamin:
3001. Elizabeth Rawson Benjamin b. 1825-30 in Ohio.
3002. 1 female b. 1830-35.
3003. 1 male b. 1830-25.
3004. 1 male b. 1835-40.

Children of Enoch and Elizabeth (Rawson Benjamin) Wood.
William Lyon Wood.

Resource: Census Records; Boston Transcript Jan. 7, 1929.

1478. ELISHA BENJAMIN[7] (James[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]); the son of James and Eunice (Bromley) Benjamin; bapt. May 22, 1785 at Worthington, Mass. He married Mary Hale.
He lived in Wolcott, Wayne Co., New York.

Children of Elisha and Mary (Hale) Benjamin:
3005. Cordelia Benjamin; m. James M. Wilson. Had son Ben-

jamin Wilson b. July 25, 1840 at Wolcott, N.Y., m. May 15, 1866 Mary Elizabeth Levenworth b. Feb. 16, 1844 at Wolcott, N.Y., dau. of Elisha Lee Levenwor

Resources: p. 966 Hist. of Desc. of Elder John Strong of Northampton, Mass., Dwight, 1871; Research of Mrs. Stevens via Mrs. W. R. Lawrence of St. Michaels, Md.

1481. JAMES V. BENJAMIN[7] (James[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born in Worthington, Mass.; the son of James and Eunice (Bromley) Benjamin; bapt. June 27, 1790 at Worthington (cr); died in 1862 at either Murray or Albion, New York. He married Sarah Ross on October 22, 1809 at Lyme, Conn. She was born in 1791 at Lyme.

He died instestate and insolvent in Orleans County, New York. The petition for administration of his estate was filed by a man to whom James owed money and the list of his heirs is incomplete. Those listed were: Mrs. M. E. (?N.) True of Lafayette, Ind.; James V. R., U.S. Army; Mary; Henry E.; Francis E. of Albion, N.Y. and Sarah E.

James was listed in the 1850 and 1860 census at Murray, Orleans Co., N.Y. and is listed in 1860 as a retired physician.

Children of James and Sarah (Ross) Benjamin:

*3006. James VanRensalaer Benjamin b. 1810 at Hinsdale,Mass
3007. Sarah E. Benjamin.
3008. Henry E. Benjamin.
*3009. Mary E. Benjamin b. 1817 at Hinsdale, Mass.
3010. VanRensalier Benjamin b. 1820. In 1860 in Clayton, Jefferson Co., N.Y. Van R. A. Benjamin is listed as postmaster.
*3011. Ambrose S. Benjamin b. 1824-28 in New York.
3012. Harley E. Benjamin b. 1826 in New York.
3013. Francis E. Benjamin b. 1832 at Holly, N.Y.
3014. Highland C. Benjamin b. 1838 at Holly, N.Y.
3015. Emily (Emma) Benjamin b. 1840 at Holly, N.Y.

Resources: Records of Ella Sprague of Grand Island, Nebraska; Records of Stephen True of Fairfax, Calif.; Wilson Papers; Records of Edith Benjamin.

1482. KEZIAH BENJAMIN[7] (James[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born January 19, 1792 at Worthington, Mass.; the dau. of James and Eunice (Bromley) Benjamin; bapt. August 5, 1792 at Worthington (cr); died February 22, 1858 at Buffalo, New York. She married Jesse Stone on January 1, 1818 at Worthington. He was the son of John and Nancy (Rice) Stone and was born May 1, 1789 at Ward (now Alburn), New York and died June 22, 1830 at Buffalo, N.Y.

They resided at Worthington until 1830, when they moved to Columbus, Ohio where he was in the dry goods business. Later they moved to Buffalo.

Children of Jesse and Keziah (Benjamin) Stone:

3016. Nancy Rice Stone b. 1824 at Worthington, Mass.; m. Rev. Grovenor Heacoock.

3017. Elizabeth Sumner Stone b. 1826 at Worthington; m. Charles Clark.

3018. Adelia Benjamin Stone b. 1835 at Columbus, Ohio; m/1 Gen. Clinton Jones True; m/2 Cyprian Parish Hewitt.

Resources: p. 273 Gregory Stone Gen., Bartlett, 1918.

1483. ALVAH BENJAMIN[7] (James[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born October 24, 1795 at Worthington, Mass.; the son of James and Eunice (Bromley Worthington) Benjamin; died January 17, 1823, age 27 (vr & cr) at Worthington, Mass. He married Nancy Pease on May 18, 1820 at Middlefield, Mass. (vr). She was the dau. of Israel and Mary (Nancy) (Pease) Pease and was born May 28, 1796 and died October 24, 1864. She m/2 March 3, 1841 Salmon Loomis at Middlefield, Mass. (vr) of Hinsdale.

Nancy, wife of Alvah Benjamin, was dismissed by letter on March 2, 1821 to a Worthington Church by the Middlefield, Church (cr).

His will was dated February 4, 1823 and is on file at Hampshire Co., Mass Probate Office (Box 13 #40) with wife Nancy and Elisha Mack as executors. He left all real and personal property to his wife Nancy. Most of it was formerly property of his father, James. Alvah did not mention his son in his will.

Children of Alvah and Nancy (Pease) Benjamin:

*3019. James Dickson (Dickerson) Benjamin b. April 30, 1821 at Middlefield, Mass. (vr.) When James was 12 years old, his name was changed from James to Alvah Jr.

Resources: Wilson Papers; p. 655 Hist. of Ancient Windsor, Stiles; p. 70 List of Person's Who's Names Have Been Changed in Mass. 1780-1892, 1893; Family Group Sheet from Salt Lake City, Utah; Vol. 34 p. 171 Mass. Wills, 1823.

1487. FRANCIS (FRANKLIN) BENJAMIN[7] (James[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born April 25, 1803 at Worthington, Mass.; the son of James and Eunice (Bromley Worthington) Benjamin; bapt. September 23, 1807 at Worthington (cr); died February 7, 1871, age 67 at Hartford, Conn. He married Esther Amanda Stowell, the dau. of Harvey and Margaret (Converse) Stowell. She was born November 16, 1812 at Peru, Mass. and died November 8, 1837, age 25 yrs., at Worthington, Mass. (vr), probably in childbirth.

Children of Francis and Esther (Stowell) Benjamin:

3020. Helen Benjamin b. 1832; d. May 28, 1841/2, age 10 of scarlet fever. at Worthington. (vr).

3021. Lydia Amanda Benjamin bp. 1837 at Worthington, Mass. m. Thomas Mangle (Nagle) at Hartford June 24, 1865 bc. 1836 in Ireland; had 3 daus. and 1 son.

3022. Franklin Benjamin b. 1837 ?stillbirth.

Resources: p. 215 Stowell Gen., Stowell, 1922.

1488. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[7] (Roger[6], James[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born 1793 (cr) or 1795 (gs) at Worthington, Mass.; the son of Roger and Elizabeth (Starkweather) Benjamin; died June 13/23, 1824, age 31 (gs) or age 29 (vr) at Worthington, Mass. He m/1 Nancy Parish on December 4, 1817 at Worthington, Mass. (vr). She was born in 1795 and died May 6, 1819, age 24 (gs) at Worthington, Mass., of consumption. He m/2 Susan Starkweather Hazen on January 1, 1821 at Worthington, Mass. (vr). She was the dau. of Nathan and Phoebe (Starkweather) Hazen and was born December 12, 1801 at Worthington and died February 21, 1881 at Hartford, Conn. She m/2 in 1827 Oliver Parsons Parish.

Jonathan's will is dated May 12, 1824 and probated September 14, 1824 at Hampshire Co., Mass. (#13:47) with Jonathan Brewster as executor. He left one third to his wife Susan for life, and afterward one half each to Nancy Parish and Jonathan. He owed money to Consider Benjamin. The mother was appointed guardian for Nancy Parish, who was under age.

Children of Jonathan and Susan (Hazen) Benjamin:

3023. Nancy Parish Benjamin b. May 22, 1822; bapt. August 11, 1822 at Worthington, Mass.; d. November 28, 1863; m. May 13, 1844 at Hartford, Conn. (vr 1-202 to Dr. George Whiting Burke of Palmer, Mass.

3024. Jonathan Benjamin bp. June 10, 1824 (in last stages of consumption) at Worthington, Mass.; d. September 3, 1824, age 7 mos. (gs).

Resources: Worthington, Mass. Vital Records; Family Group Sheet from Mormon Library at Salt Lake City, Utah.

1492. ELY (ELI) BENJAMIN[7] (Roger[6], James[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born in Worthington, Mass.; the son of Roger and Elizabeth (Starkweather) Benjamin; bapt. June 14, 1801 at Worthington, Mass. (cr). He married Sally Kingman, a widow, on May 10, 1827 at Worthington, Mass.

Children of Ely and Sally (Kingman) Benjamin:

3025. Charles Benjamin d. August 29, 1830, age 3 yrs. (cr)

3026. Eli Benjamin d. August 1831, as an infant (cr) at Worthington, Mass.

3027. Helen Benjamin b. 1832; d. May 28, 1842, age 10 yrs. from scarlet fever (cr) at Worthington, Mass.

Resource: Worthington, Mass. Vital Records.

1494. CHAUNCEY BENJAMIN[7] (Roger[6], James[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 6, 1797 at Worthington, Mass.; the son of Roger and Elizabeth (Starkweather) Benjamin; bapt. June 14,1801 at Worthington, Mass. (cr). In 1825 he married Harriet ---.

Children of Chauncey and Harriet (---) Benjamin:
*3028. Fordyce J. Benjamin b. 1826 perh. at Albany, Albany Co., New York.

Resources: Records of Melanie Sprague of Seattle, Wash.

1500. ELIZABETH (ELIZA) BENJAMIN[7] (Roger[6], James[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1] born about 1801 at Worthington, Mass.; the dau. of Roger and Elizabeth (Starkweather) Benjamin; bapt. June 14, 1801 at Worthington (cr); died May 2, 1874, age 72-2-22. She married (int.) May 10, 1823 Benjamin Bryant, the son of Eli and Susan (Warren) Bryant. He was born October 29, 1797 and died August 6, 1854 of smallpox.

Children of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Bryant:
3029. Monroe Benjamin Bryant b. May 2, 1824.
3030. Eleanor Bryant; m. Austin Thayer.
3031. Jonathan Pomeroy Bryant.
3032. Francis Dwight Bryant.
3033. Ezra Starkweather Bryant.
3034. Elizabeth Susan Bryant.
3035. Eliza Ann Bryant.
3036. Cornelia K. Bryant.

Resources: p. 60 Starkweather Gen., Starkweather, 1904; p. 65 Families of Chesterfield, Mass., 1962.

1504. RALPH HUNTINGTON[7] Priscilla[6], James[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born November 23, 1784 at Worthington, Mass.; the son of Simon and Priscilla (Benjamin) Huntington; died May 30, 1866 at Boston, Mass.; married November 20, 1809 Judith Cooper Bradford, dau. of Perez and Lucy (Rand) Bradford. She died November 8, 1812.

He was a teacher and farmer. He had charge of an Academy at the age of 21. He became a banker and opened the Exchange Office in Boston. He relinquished this business to his brother, Benjamin, and went to St. Domingo, to enter business with his brother Samuel. When Samuel died, he returned to Boston.

Children of Ralph and Judith (Bradford) Huntington:
3037. Julia Bradford Huntington b. December 3, 1810 at Boston, Mass.; died November 6, 1897; m. April 14, 1836 John Warren James, who d. Feb. 7, 1861. He was a lawyer and in politics. See Hundred Boston Orators by Loring for a biographical sketch. Julia showed talent in writing poems.

Resources: p. 556-7 Huntington Gen, 1915, family associatio

1505. SAMUEL HUNTINGTON[7] (Priscilla[6], James[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born October 31, 1786 at Middlefield, Mass.; the son of Simon and Priscilla (Benjamin) Huntington; died June 11, 1831, en route to the U.S. from St. Domingo. He married Honorine Charlotte at St. Domingo.

Children of Samuel and Honorine (Charlotte) Huntington:

3038. Fanny Huntington.

3039. Mary Huntington.

3040. Ralph Edward Huntington b. April 20, 1825 at St. Domingo, West Indies; d. 1869 at St. Domas, W.I.; m. April 20, 1853 Susannah Daniels, dau. of Joseph W. and Adelaide (Carminati) Daniels b. 1831; d. July 28, 1899. Issue: Ralph Bartholomew b. 1856; Alfred Christopher b. 1861; and Fanny.

3041. Samuel Huntington; died young while at school at West Farms, New York.

Resources: p. 557-8 Huntington Gen., 1915.

1506. BENJAMIN HUNTINGTON[7] (Priscilla[6], James[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 1, 1789 at Worthington, Mass.; the son of Simon and Priscilla (Benjamin) Huntington; died June 1832; married Caroline Dolliver, dau. of Peter Dolliver.

He was a broker in Boston and a Colonel in the Militia.

Children of Benjamin and Caroline (Dolliver) Huntington:

3042. Amelia Huntington b. July 29,1820; d. unm. February 12, 1879.

3043. Charles Sanders Huntington b. November 4, 1821; d. April 16, 1850 at Salem, Mass. He was Captain of a sailing ship "Boreno" and later of the "Augustine Hurd".

3044. Frances Huntington b. May 1833; died young.

3045. Caroline Elizabeth Huntington b. November 7, 1842; d. Feb. 26, 1912; m. 1857 William D. Flint, son of Rev. Dr. Flint of Medford, Mass. He was "of Salem a bookkeeper, and died circa 1880. Issue: George Huntington Flint b. 1858 and William Benjamin Flint b. 1861 at Boston.

3046. Frances Sophia Huntington b. July 7, 1826 at Boston; d. Dec. 24, 1870 at Boston; m. April 23, 1850 William A. Wright of Boston, who d. Nov. 18, 1885 at Denver, Colo. Issue: Charles Huntington b. 1851 and Frank Vernon Wright b. 1855.

Resources: p. 559-61 Huntington Gen., 1915.

1507. SYBIL HUNTINGTON[7] (Priscilla[6], James[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born May 31, 1791 at Worthington, Mass.; the dau. of Simon and Priscilla (Benjamin) Huntington. She married Nathaniel Eager, son of Nathaniel Eager. He died July 18, 1859.

Children of Nathaniel and Sybil (Huntington) Eager:

3047. Samuel Huntington Eager b. April 24, 1814.
3048. Jennison Eager b. Dec. 14, 1815; d. May 8, 1871 at New York City; m. Oct. 1, 1857 Laura Edwards at Worthington, Mass., the dau. of Oliver and Laura (Starkweather) Edwards. She b. Nov. 22, 1827 and d. Dec. 25, 1897. Issue: Laura Edwards; Jennison; Louise; Oliver Edwards; and Nathaniel Eager.
3049. Mary Huntington Eager b. Oct. 1818; d. Oct. 4, 1870; m. Sept. 13, 1841 Charles Robert Starkweather, son of Rodney and Jane (Starkweather) Starkweather. He was b. May 8, 1816 and d. Aug. 27, 1867 at Chicago, Ill. He was in the Real Estate business and on the Board of Trustees of Lake Forest College. Issue: Ralph Eager; Julia Maria; and Charles Huntington Starkweather.
3050. James Eager b. Sept. 12, 1819; d. unm.
3051. Jonathan Huntington Eager b. Jan. 18, 1822; m. May Parsons; resided in Worthington, Mass.
3052. Julia Eager b. June 15, 1824; d. June 9, 1845.
3053. Joseph Eager b. Oct. 12, 1829; d. 1889; m. Mary Elliot; Issue: Joseph P. Eager who was member of firm of J. and J. Eager, Importer in New York City
3054. Lucy Huntington Eager b. Jan. 4, 1832; d. April 1898 m. Oct. 15, 1863 Thomas Leeds Morgan. Issue: Mary Sybil b. 1866, m. 1839 Charles Huntington Starkweather, son of Lucy's sister, Mary; Lucy Isabel Morgan b. 1868 m. 1869 Charles H. Wardell.

Resources: Wilson Papers; letter from Joseph P. Eager; p. 240 and 561 Huntington Gen., 1915.

1508. SARAH HUNTINGTON[7] (Priscilla[6], James[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born November 4, 1793 at Worthington, Mass.; the dau. of Simon and Priscilla (Benjamin) Huntington; died at Worthington, Mass.; m. Levi Clapp.

Children of Levi and Sarah (Huntington) Clapp:
3055. Lewis Clapp; resided at Baltimore, Maryland.
3056. Alexander Huntington Clapp b. Worthington. He became a minister, married, but no children. He and his wife died before 1913.
3057. William Taylor Clapp b. Jan. 1821 at Worthington; m/1 Eliza Ophelia Billings b. Feb. 28, 1821 at S. Deerfield, Mass., d. Aug. 19, 1898/9 at Pasadena, Calif. He m/2 Dec. 25, 1899 Mrs. R. Elizabeth Burnham. Issue: Frederick Arthur b. 1850 at Conway, Mass., m. 1877 AlmaMaria Batchelder; Jennie Huntington Clapp b. 1856, m. Rev. Frank Culver; William Billings Clapp b. 1861, m. 1887 Velma Browne.

Resource: p. 562 Huntington Gen., 1915.

1509. SOPHIA HUNTINGTON[7] (Priscilla[6], James[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born August 24, 1796 at Wortington, Mass.; the dau. of Simon and Priscilla (Benjamin) Huntington; married October 31, 1820 Joseph White. He was a farmer and resided in Hinsdale, Mass. and died August 18, 1860.

Children of Joseph and Sophia (Huntington) White:

3058. Sarah Huntington White b. Nov. 30, 1821; m. March 28 1848 Charles Thomas Huntington b. Nov. 17, 1817 at Beeket, Mass., d. Jan. 14, 1913 at Toledo, Ohio. Had son Charles White Whuntington b. 1854 at Stock bridge, Mass.

3059. Joseph Huntington White b. Jan. 28, 1824; d. March 10, 1915; married and lived at Brookline, Mass. and was part owner of R.H. White and Co., a dry goods store in Boston.

3060. Sophia M. White b. March 6, 1826; m. December29, 1851 Stephen Wilcox; resided in Boston.

3061. James White b. July 9, 1828; d. Sept. 3, 1895 at Williamstown, Mass.; m. Jan. 22, 1856 Cornelia Kittredge, dau.of Benjamin Franklin and Harriet (Marsh) Kittredge b. April 16, 1830. Issue: Lizzie Davis b. 1859 and Franklin Kittredge White b. 1866, m. Pauline Snow in 1897.

3062. Jonathan Huntington White b. July 25, 1836 at Hinsdale, Mass.

3063. Simon Huntington White b. May 22, 1837 at Hinsdale; d. Feb. 1, 1898 at Hinsdale; m. Nov. 11, 1857 at Westmoreland, N.H. Sarah Augusta Starkey, dau. of Timothy M. and Mary (Pratt) Starkey. Isseu: Martin Henry b. 1858, m. 1901 Jennie Holmes; Julia James b. 1865, d. 1901.

3064. Ralph Huntington White b. July 11, 1841; d. Jan. 7, 1917; m/1 Dec. 24, 1863 Ellen M. Tucker, who d. Nov. 7, 1897. He m/2 Lena Hebberd. Issue: Anna Catherine; Emilie; Edith; and Ralph Herbert White.

Resources: p. 562 Huntington Gen., 2nd Edition, 1915.

1518. ELLIS BENJAMIN[7] (Salah[6], James[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1800/1 at Stamford, Vermont; the son of Salah Bernard and Anna (Bromley) Benjamin; died April 25, 1880, age 80 at Ben nington, Vermont. (vr). He married Corrella --- who was born in 1800 and died February 1865, age 65.

He was listed in the 1850 census of Pownal, Vermont.

Children of Ellis and Corrella (---) Benjamin:

3065. Abiatha/Abrather/Abiather Benjamin b. 1834/5 at Pownal, Vt.; d. May 28, 1857.

3066. Henry Benjamin b. 1844.

Resources: Census records and vital records of Vermont.

1519. MASON BENJAMIN[7] (Salah[6], James[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born

about 1804; the son of Selah Bernard and Anna (Bromley) Benjamin; died September 22, 1861, age 56-11-8 (gs) at Bennington, Vermont (vr) and is buried in the Village Cemetery at Stamford, Vt. He married Mary --- who was born December 6, 1810 in Canada and died January 28, 1892 at Coulterville Illinois and is buried in the Caled Cemetery at Sparta, Ill Mary and her family moved to Coulterville, Illinois after the death of her husband. At her death, she left 4 sons and 3 daus. (obit.).

Children of Mason and Mary (---) Benjamin:

*3067. Reuben Benjamin b. August 19, 1827 at Pownal, Vt.
*3068. William O. Benjamin b. June 29, 1837 at Bennington, Vt.
*3069. Hy E. Benjamin b. February 15, 1840 at Bennington.
3070. Harriet L. Benjamin b. 1841; d. April 19, 1844, age 3 years at Bennington, Vt. (vr).
3071. Mason Benjamin Jr. b. 1847; d. March 8, 1852, age 4-9-3 at Bennington, Vt. (gs).
3072. son.

Resources: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass Records of Earl Benjamin of Portland, Oregon; Mason's Pension record.

?1523. DEWEY BENJAMIN[7] (Salah[6], James[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born about 1810; the possible son of Salah Barnard and Anna (Bromley) Benjamin; married Betsey Green on April 7, 1834 at Pownal, Vermont (vr). He resided in Bennington, Vermont.

Children of Dewey and Betsey (Green) Benjamin:

*3073. Henry Benjamin b. 1844 at Bennington, Vermont.
3074. Robert Benjamin;perhaps m. Charlotte Cole, the dau. of Daniel and Jane (Bennett) Cole, b.c. 1844 at Pownal, d. Feb. 28, 1868, age 23 at Pownal, Vt. (vr). Had son Daniel S. Benjamin b. 1868; d. Aug. 24, 1868 at Pownal, Vt. (vr).

Resources: Vital Records of Vermont.

1531. MARY BENJAMIN[7] (Barzillia[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born Novem ber 12, 1798 at Milford, Conn.; the dau. of Barzillia and Mary (Wheeler) Benjamin; died March 10, 1829. She married September 8, 1822 in Conn. to Stephen Fowler:

Children of Stephen and Mary (Benjamin) Fowler:

3075. Mary Fowler; d. at age of 3 years.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Hale Collection of Conn. Church Recourds; Barbour Collection of Conn. Vital Records.

1534. SARAH D. BENJAMIN[7] (Barzillia[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born April 16, 1804 at Charles Island, Milford, Conn.; the dau. of Barzillia and Mary (Wheeler) Benjamin; died January 16,

1884 at New Haven, Conn. She m/1 Joseph Eaton of New Haven, Conn. and m/2 Charles Bradley. There was no issue of the second marriage.

She is on the church rolls in 1832 of the First Church of Christ in New Haven.

Children of Joseph and Sarah (Benjamin) Easton:

3076. Frank Eaton b. 1835; d. 1841, age 6 years.

3077. Henry Eaton b. Feb. 16, 1837; m. Laura Spence and had 2 children: Ida Ea ton b. Sept. 26, 1858, m. May 11, 1887 Frank A. Cotton and had no children; Frank H. Eaton b. Aug. 8, 1862, d. Feb. 22, 1868.

3078. William Eaton bc. 1840; d. Jan. 1865 in Andersonville Prison in the Civil War.

Resources: p.197 Hist. Catalogue of First Church of Christ, Dexter, 1914; Wilson Papers.

1535. LUCRETIA ANN BENJAMIN[7] (Barzillia[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born January 2, 1806 at Milford, Conn.; the dau. of Barzillia and Mary (Wheeler) Benjamin; died April 15, 1890 at San Francisco, California. She married March 30, 1830 at New Haven, Conn. (vr 4-12) Deacon John Smith of Milford, Conn.

He was a prominent citizen and deacon in the Baptist Church in Milford.

Children of John and Lucretia (Benjamin) Smith:

3079. Henry Smith; m. Martha Frances Mix, dau. of George Mix of New Haven. Issue: Frank and Harry Smith.

3080. John Hammond Smith b. Milford; d. Calif.

3081. Lucretia Smith b. 1844 at Milford; m. John Curtis of Stratford, Conn.; resided in San Francisco; had dau. Aggie Curtis.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

1536. EVERARD BENJAMIN[7] (Barzillia[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 5, 1807 at Milford, Conn.; the son of Barzillia and Mary (Wheeler) Benjamin; bapt. July 3, 1831, as an adult at the First Cong. Church of New Haven (cr 4-205) died August 20, 1873, age 66 (gs) at New Haven, Conn. He is buried in the New Haven Cemetery, lot #1-347. He married Esther B. Merwin of Orange Co., Conn. on May 21 1833 (Orange vr 1-8), the dau. of Daniel and Mary (Tomlinson) Merwin. She was born February 16, 1811 and died June 13, 1885 at New Haven and is buried with her husband.

He was a prominent merchant and one of the founders and Deacon of the Old College Street Church, now the Plymouth Cong. Church.

They were dismissed in 1833 from the First Church

of Christ in New Haven to the Free, now Plymouth, Church.

Children of Everard and Esther (Merwin) Benjamin:

3082. Everard John Benjamin b. April 15, 1834 at New Haven; d. May 13, 1851, age 17 (gs) at New Haven, Conn.; buried with parents.

3083. Mary Esther Benjamin b. October 20, 1835; d. November 6, 1898 at Seattle, Washington.

3084. Julia Elizabeth Benjamin b. May 25, 1837 at New Haven; d. Nov. 20, 1855, age 18 (gs) at New Haven; buried with parents.

3085. James Brainard Taylor Benjamin b. March 26, 1839 at New Haven; d. Jan. 1, 1858. He was killed by the Fire Engine "Croton", #1 of New Haven. He was a member of the Fire Dept. The accident happened Jan. 1, 1858, while going to a fire.

3086. George Whitefield Benjamin b. January 11, 1841; d. May 5, 1842; New Haven (vr 5-125).

3087. Rev. George Whitefield Benjamin b. February 8, 1843 at New Haven; d. June 5, 1893, age 50 yrs unm.; buried in the New Haven Cemetery. He was a graduate of the Academical Theological and Medical Depts. of Yale.

3088. Emma Louise Benjamin b. April 12, 1845 at New Haven, Conn.; d. August 25, 1898 at Port Orange, Florida; m. 1864/5 Ebenezer Robinson, M.D. Issue: Benjamin Robinson b. 1867 at New Haven and resided in Florida; Genevieve Robinson m. 1898 J. A. James and resided in Seattle, Washington.

3089. Edward Strong Benjamin b. July 11, 1847; d. December 27, 1911, age 64, and buried in the Grove Street Cemetery at New Haven. (New Haven Episc. cr 5-459). He was "of Springside".

3090. Gertrude Elizabeth Benjamin b. September 3, 1849 m. February 19, 1879 Benjamin M. Buckingham of New Medford, Conn.

Resources: Wilson Papers; p. 189 Hist. Catalogue of First Church of Christ in New Haven, Dexter, 1914.

1541. JOSEPH RANSOM BENJAMIN[7] (Nathan[6], Barzillia[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1] born either 1809 or 1811 at Wallingford, Conn.; the son of Nathan and Phoebe (Porter) Benjamin; bapt. March 10, 1822 at the New Haven First Cong. Church (cr 4-198); died January 18, 1852 (though gs says 1853) age 41 at Nenvintas in the West Indies of yellow fever. His grave stone is at New HavenCemetery, lot #4-1101. He married Laura Andrewson October 21, 1832 at Cheshire, Conn. (vr P-476). He m/2 Laurette Sperry, dau. of Job and Azuba (Hotchkiss) Sperry. She was born February

22/23, 1813 at Wallingford, Conn. and died August 16, 1892 (gs) and is buried in the same lot as her husband. The two wives MIGHT be the same person.

Joseph was a sea captain.

Children of Joseph R. and Laura (Sperry) Benjamin:

3091. Charles A. Benjamin b. 1834 in Wallingford, Conn d. October 9, 1864 (gs) in the Civil War at Newburn, North Carolina of yellow fever. His grave stone is in the same lot as his parents.

3092. Henry C. Benjamin b. May 1836 at Fairhaven, Conn d. January 23, 1872; resided in Jersey City, New Jersey.

3093. Samuel M. Benjamin; d. August 1843 (gs) at New Haven, Conn. Buried in lot #4-1101.

3094. Silas J. Benjamin; d. August 1, 1843 (gs) and buried in lot #4-1101 at New Haven, Conn.

3095. Mary J. Benjamin b. November 14, 1840; d. March 16, 1857, age 16 (gs); buried in lot #4-1101 at New Haven, Conn.

3096. Susan L. Benjamin b. August 1, 1843.

3097. Anna A. Benjamin b. March 2, 1846; m. --- Seaton

Resources: Family Group Sheet from Library of L.D.S. at Salt Lake City, Utah; Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records.

1543. MERRIT BARZILLAE BENJAMIN[7] (Nathan[6], Barz.[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1] born in 1814 at New Haven, Conn.; the son of Nathan and Phoebe (Porter) Benjamin; bapt. March 10, 1822 at the First Cong. Church of New Haven (cr 4-198); died September 1846, age 32, at sea. His grave stone is in the Litchfield, Conn. Cemetery, lot #2-74. He married Mary Ann Crouch on June 7, 1840 at Watertown, Conn. (vr 1-30 the dau. of Levi and Meriam Lucy (Sperry) Crouch. She was born December 19, 1818 at Hamden, Conn. and died January 19, 1847, age 28. She is buried in the same lot as her husband.

Merrit was a sea captain and resided in Baltimore, Maryland at the time of his marriage.

The names of children, if any, are unknown.

Resources: Family Group Sheet from Library of L.D.S. in Salt Lake City, Utah; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records.

1545. HARRIET ANN BENJAMIN[7] (Nathan[6], Barz.[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born August 15, 1819 at New Haven, Conn.; the dau. of Nathan and Phoebe (Porter) Benjamin. She married Henry LeGeyt, the son of John and Elizabeth (Newton) LeGeyt. He was born about 1812 in England.

Children of Henry and Harriet (Benjamin) LeGeyt:

3098. Jennie LeGeyt; m. Clinton O. Scoville.

3099. Harry Scoville LeGeyt, an adopted son.

Resource: Hartford Times Jan. 2, 1960.

1545. ISAAC BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Barz.[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 23, 1804 at Milford, Conn.; the son of John and Comfort (Hines) Benjamin; bp. November 5, 1809 at the First Cong. Church of Milford (cr 1-123); died August 8, 1836 at age of 32 at Yipsilanti, Michigan. He married Sarah Smith of Milford, Conn., the dau. of John Smith. (date unknown). She was born in 1802 and died August 1865 at New Haven, Conn., age 63, and she is buried in the New Haven Cemetery, lot #2-610.

Isaac was admitted to the church Aug. 26, 1821 (cr 1-103) and February 22, 1830 he and his wife were dismissed to a church in North Milford, by the Milford First Cong. Church (cr 1-141). Sarah, the widow, is readmitted to the church on Nov. 5, 1837 by letter from a church in Ypsilanti, Mich. (Milford First Cong cr 3-1).

(Note: Another record gives his death as August 1, 1840, but this date is certainly not confirmed by the church records.)

Children of Isaac and Sarah (Smith) Benjamin:

3100. Isaac Smith Benjamin b. at Milford, Conn.; d. at age of 2 years at "Pokeepsie", New York.

3101. Elizabeth A. (Libby) Benjamin b. March 5, 1830 at Poughkeepsie, N.Y.; m. William E. Parker at New Haven, Conn. on December 2, 1856. She died 189? in New Haven, Conn. and had a dau. Blanche Parker.

3102. John Henry Benjamin b. March 10, 1832 at Poughkeepsie, N.Y.; m. Mary McFarland. Had a dau. Grace Benjamin b. 1861 at Milford, Conn.; m. --- Carleton and resided in New Orleans, La.

3103. Sarah Benjamin b. December 5, 1836; m. --- Bennett; had a son Ernest C. Bennett b. Sept. 22, 1852 at New Haven, Conn., m. April 20, 1876 to Josephine Bird of New Haven, and had issue: Mabel Bennett b. 1878 and Blanche Bennett b. 1888.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records.

1546. JOHN BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Barzillia[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born December 13, 1806 at Milford, Conn.; the son of John and Comfort (Hines) Benjamin; bapt. November 5, 1809 at the First Cong. Church of Milford (cr 1-123); died September 9, 1881 (gs) at Milford, Conn. and is buried in the Milford Cemetery, lot #1-91. He married Sarah Peck Marshall of Milford on April 20, 1848. She was the dau

of Joseph and Sarah (Peck or Andrews?) Marshall, and was born in 1814 and died October 19, 1904 at Milford, Conn. (cr 2-660) and is buried in the same cemetery lot at her husband. She became blind. John's death is also listed in the Madison, Conn. (cr 3-82).

John was the originator of the Conn. State Reform School at Meriden, Conn. He was a Hebrew scholar and did missionary work among the Hebrew poor. He was a Deacon of the FirstCong. Church of Milford and a Lt. in the Milford, Conn. Militia prior to 1850.

Sarah (Marshall) Benjamin and husband John were admitted to the church in 1842 by letter, he by profession in 1828 and these records indicate that he died September 1890. (Madison, Conn. First Cong. Church cr 2-2314). John Jr. was dismissed and recommended in October 1836 to a Presby. Church in Ypsilanti, Michigan and was readmitted October 22, 1837 from Ypsilanti (cr 3-1).

Children of John and Sarah (Marshall) Benjamin:

*3104. Abigail Atwater Benjamin b. January 22, 1849 at Milford, Conn.

3105. Charlotte Ann Benjamin b. July 16, 1852 at Milford, Conn.; d. June 24, 1865, age 13 (gs), and is buried with her parents, lot #1-91.

Resources: Research of William Palmer of Milford, Conn. Wilson Papers; Records of Percy E. Benjamin of South Weymouth, Mass. and Mrs. Elgie Way of Orange, Conn.; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records.

1547. WILLIAM BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Barz.[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 2, 1809 at Milford, Conn.; the son of John and Comfort (Hines) Benjamin; bapt. November 5, 1809 at the First Cong. Church of Milford (cr 1-123); died February 21, 1895, age 84 yrs. 8½ mos. at Milford, Conn. (cr 2-234). He married Louisa F. Smith, the dau. of David Smith of Wheeler Farms and Milford, Conn. She died November 1891 at Milford (First Cong. cr 3-84).

William was admitted to church membership on August 31, 1828 (cr 2-23 and 1-140) and readmitted January 1, 1836 by letter from a church in Pleasant Valley, New York. (cr 1-146). Louisa was admitted July 4, 1852 at Milford.

Children of William and Louisa (Smith) Benjamin:

3106. Frances Maria Benjamin bp. September 4, 1840 at Milford (cr 3-142); d. 1916 (Milford cr 5-84); unmarried.

3107. Ellen Augusta Benjamin bp. April 29, 1842 at Milford, Conn. (cr 3-143); unmarried.

*3108. William David Benjamin bp. September 17, 1843 at Milford (cr 3-145).

3109. George Harlan Benjamin bp. May 5, 1848 at Mil-

ford, Conn. (cr 3-148); d. 1912 and buried in the Milford Cemetery, lot #1-99; m. Mary A. Williams. He had no issue.

3110. Charles Isaac Benjamin; bp. May 4, 1851 at Milford (cr 3-149); died young and unmarried.

Resources: Research of William Palmer of Milford, Conn. Wilson Papers; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records.

1549. NANCY ELIZA BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Barz.[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born April 16, 1813 at Milford, Conn.; the dau. of John and Comfort (Hines) Benjamin; bapt. August 1, 1813 at the First Cong. Church of Milford (cr); died July 18, 1897, age 84, at Milford. She married Lewis Elisha Clark on October 4, 1833 at Milford. He was the son of Thomas Clark and was born April 4, 1814 at Milford and died June 29/30, 1846 at Milford, Conn.

Children of Lewis and Nancy (Benjamin) Clark:

3111. Mary E. Clark b. 1835 at Milford.

3112. Everard Benjamin Clark bc. 1838 at Milford; d. Jan. 22, 1897; m. Princetta Pardee of Bethany, Conn., a cousin. No issue.

3113. Elisha Beach Clark born June 10, 1841 at New Butam, Conn.; m. Dec. 26, 1866 Sarah L. Williams of Birmingham, Conn. She was b. Oct. 14 1845. Issue: Lewis Clark b. Oct. 20, 1868 at Meredin, Conn., m. Minnie Watsons; Emma Clark b. Jan. 5, 1871, m. Charles Holland; Ida M. Clark b. July 1, 1874, m. Frederick Prageman; Luce E. Clark b. Jan. 23, 1878; Hattie M. Clark b.May 23, 1879; Olin G. Clark b. April 5, 1884.

3114. Anna Eliza Clark b. 184? at Milford, Conn.; m. 1864 George Bray of Chicopee Falls, Mass. Issue: Charles Bray b. August 27, 1877 at Chicopee Falls, Mass.; Maude L. Bray b. Nov. 27, 1882.

Resources: Research of William Palmer of Milford, Mass.; Wilson Papers; p. 198 Hugh Clark 1645-1919, Clark.

1550. LUTHER BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Barz.[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born February 25, 1816 at Milford, Conn.; the son of John and Comfort (Hines) Benjamin; bapt. June 23, 1816 at the First Cong. Church at Milford (cr); died February 18, 1887, age 70 yrs., at Milford, Conn. and is buried in the Milford Cemetery, lot #1-91. He m/1 Sarah Amelia (Ann) Tibbals of Milford, the dau. of Elisha and Marie (---) Tibbals. She was born in 1818 and died March 5, 1843 at Milford, and is buried in the Milford Cemetery, lot # 1-43. There was no issue of this marriage. He

m/2 Susan M. Baldwin on October 6, 1844. She was the dau. of Lyman and Grace (Johnson) Baldwin and was born August 7, 1822 at Milford and died May 10/13, 1880, age 58, at Milford and is buried in the same cemetery lot as her husband.

Luther became a church member on November 15, 1855 at the Milford Plymouth Cong. Church (cr 2-1).

Children of Luther and Susan (Baldwin) Benjamin:

3115. Anna Amelia Benjamin b. July 14, 1845 at Milford d. Nov. 12, 1859, age 14 yrs. (cr) of diptheria.

3116. Martin Luther Benjamin b. March 17, 1847; d. Apr 14, 1916; unmarried; buried in the same cemetery lot with his parents.

3117. Frank Walter Benjamin b. June 14, 1850; d. July 17,1871, age 21 (cr 2-291) and buried with his parents.

3118. Merrit Baldwin Benjamin b. March 21, 1851 at Milford; d. October 9, 1859, age 8 yrs. 4 mos.; and buried with his parents.

3119. Susan Alida Benjamin b. May 10, 1854 at Milford; d. Nov. 1, 1869 (cr 2-6).

3120. George Lyman Benjamin b. June 23, 1857 at Milford; d. Nov. 1, 1859, age 2 yrs. 4 mos. and buried with parents.

*3121. Edwin Miles Benjamin b. September 7, 1861 at Milford, Conn.

Resources: Research of W. C. Palmer of Milford, Conn.; Wilson Papers; p. 465 Baldwin Gen. 1500-1881, Baldwin; Records of Percy Benjamin of S. Weymouth, Mass.

1552. MARTHA ELIZABETH BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Barz.[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born August 25, 1822 at Milford, Conn.; the dau. of John and Comfort(Hines) Benjamin; bapt. November 10, 1822 at the First Cong. Church of Milford, Conn.; died in 1910 and is buried in the Milford Cemetery, lot #1-15. She married George W. Yates of Bridgeport, Conn. on November 21, 1853. He died after 1901.

Children of George and Martha (Benjamin) Yates:

3122. Alice Elizabeth (Lillie) Yates b. Oct. 9, 1854 at Bennington, Vermont; m. March 11, 1891 Edwin Parmalee of New Haven, Conn.

3123. Franklin Benjamin Yates b. Feb. 18, 1860 at Bennington, Vt.; m. Nov. 8, 1884 Florence Hall of Bennington.

3124. George W. Yates Jr. b. Feb. 14, 1864 at Bennington, Vt.; m. June 27, 1888 Kate Olmstead.

3125. John Baker Yates b. Sept. 15, 1866 at Bennington m. June 5, 1888 Anna L. Strong of Saratoga, NY

Resource: Research of W. C. Palmer of Milford, Conn.

Wilson Papers.

1553. JAMES BARZILLAE BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Barz.[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born October 27, 1825 at Milford, Conn.; the son of John and Comfort (Hines) Benjamin; bapt. June 4, 1826 at the First Cong. Church of Milford (cr 1-130); died June 20, 1899, age 73, at Milford. He is buried in the Milford Cemetery, lot #1-51. He m/1 Martha Jane Buckingham on December 24, 1856 at New Haven, Conn. She was the dau. of Josiah and Sarah (---) Buckingham and died September 10, 1899 at Milford (cr 3-73). He m/2 Anna C. Nellteton of Milford. She was born about 1830 and died March 18, 1914 at Milford (cr 5-48). Both wives are buried in the same cemetery lot with James. There was no issue of the second marriage.

James was Deacon of the First Church of Milford for 25 years.

Children of James B. and Martha (Buckingham) Benjamin:

3126. James Buckingham Benjamin bp. July 2, 1858 at Milford, Conn. (cr 2-152); d. at age 9 years.

3127. Julia Elizabeth Benjamin bp. July 1861 at Milford, Conn.; m. Rev. Alfred Hubbard at Milford First Cong. Church (cr--no date).

3128. Mary Martha Benjamin b. May 1, 1866; bp. Aug. 31 1866 at Milford (cr); d. Dec. 26, 1906 at Milford; m. Burton Hall of Shelton, Conn., a jeweler; had twin girls. She is buried in the Milford Cemetery, lot #1-62. (Note: Some records say she m. Albert Hall.)

Resources: Research of W. C. Palmer of Milford, Conn.; Wilson Papers; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records.

1554. JULIA ANN BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Barz.[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born October 27, 1825 at Milford, Conn.; the dau. of John and Comford (Hines) Benjamin; bapt. June 4, 1826 at Milford First Cong. Church (cr 1-130); died Juanuary 29, 1901 at Milford and is buried in the Milford Cemetery, lot #1-91. She married Elisha Wilson on May 19, 1845 at Ticonderoga, New York. He was the son of Hiram Wilson and was born October 14, 1823 at Paradox, Essex Co., New York and died October 17, 1880 at Elizabeth, New Jersey. He, too, is buried at Milford.

Children of Elisha and Julia (Benjamin) Wilson:

*3129. William Virgil Wilson b. December 26, 1845 at Milford, Conn.

3130. Mary Elizabeth Wilson b. Oct. 31, 1847 at Trenton, N.J.; d. Sept. 17, 1854 at Milford, Conn.

3131. Julia Ann Wilson b. Feb. 5, 1850; d. Jan. 17, 1862 at New Haven, Conn.

3132. Alice Wilson b. Jan. 27, 1852 at Milford; d. Apr 14, 1855 at New Haven, Conn.

3133. Ellen Annetta Wilson b. Jan. 27, 1854 at New Haven, Conn.; d. Oct. 16, 1874 at Elizabeth, New Jersey; unmarried.

3134. Edward Wilson b. Oct. 21, 1858; d. Oct. 31, 1858

3135. Eugene Benjamin Wilson b. Nov. 29, 1856; m. Corrine Munson of Milford. Issue: Beatrice Wilson b. 1886 at Stearlington, N.Y.; Eugene Wilson b. 1887; and Howard Wilson b. 1892 at Elkhorn, West Virginia.

3136. Lillian Edith Wilson b. May 18, 1860 at New Haven, Conn.; m. 1891 Alfred Newton Wheeler at New Haven. He was the son of Elisha Wheeler of Southford, Conn. Issue: Richard B. Wheeler b. Aug. 15, 1893 at New Haven; Elizabeth C. Wheeler b. Jan. 12, 1896; Alfred Newton Wheeler b. July 30, 1899 at Milford, Conn.

Resources: Records of Dr. William V. Wilson; p. 428 Hist. of Wheeler Fam. in Am., Wheeler, 1914.

1555. LUCY PARDEE BENJAMIN[7] (Elias[6], Barz.[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born April 4, 1805 at Milford, Conn.; the dau. of Elias and Susan (Burwell) Benjamin; died March 12, 1888 at Burwell Farms in Milford, Conn. She married Lewis Tracy of Rhode Island and New Haven, Conn. on April 8, 1841 at New Haven, Conn. (vr). He was the son of Col. Ralph Tracy and died September 29, 1872 at Baltimore, Maryland

Children of Lewis and Lucy (Benjamin) Tracy:

3137. Helen Minerva Tracy b. Dec. 1841; d. July 1842 at New Haven, Conn.

3138. Helen Olivia Tracy b. Nov. 2, 1843; d. April 1844 at Slaterville, R.I.

3139. Emma Louise Tracy b. Sept. 29, 1844; residing in New Haven, Conn. in 1900.

Resources: Research of W. C. Palmer of Milford, Conn.; Wilson Papers.

1556. SUSAN BENJAMIN[7] (Elias[6], Barz.[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born January 7, 1807 at Milford, Conn.; the dau. of Elias and Susan (Burwell) Benjamin; died December 31, 1901 at the home of her niece, Mrs. John B. Judson. She is buried in the New Haven, Conn. Cemetery, lot #1-20. She married John Stafford.

Children of John and Susan (Benjamin) Stafford:

3140. George Stafford b. 1826; died young.

3141. George Stafford; d. unm. at New Haven, Conn.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

1557. NANCY BENJAMIN[7] (Elias[6], Barz.[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born January 31, 1809 at Milford, Conn.; the dau. of Elias and Susan (Burwell) Benjamin; died October 19, 1892 at the age of 84 years. and is buried in the New Haven, Conn. Cemetery, lot #2-758. She married Willis Blakeslee (Blaksley) on October 17, 1830.

Children of Willis and Mancy (Benjamin) Blakeslee:

3142. Charles Blakeslee.
3143. Margaret Blakeslee b. Milford, Conn.; m. Dr. Horace Porter.
3144. Lucy Blakeslee; m. Henry Merwin.
3145. Elias Blakeslee.
3146. Georgianna Blakeslee.
3147. Susannah Blakeslee.
3148. Henry Blakeslee.
3149. Alice Gertrude Blakeslee b. Oct. 1844; m. Winfield Linsley on May14, 1868. He was b. 1846.
3150. Harriet Blakeslee; m. John ---.
3151. Grace Blakeslee; m. John Tucker.
3152. Sophia Blakeslee.
3153. Howard Blakeslee.

Resource: Research of W. C. Palmer of Milford, Conn.; Wilson Papers; p. 167 Foote Hist. and Gen.

1558. MARY CHEEDLER (CHAIDLAW, etc) BENJAMIN[7] (Elias[6], Barz.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born February 7, 1811 at Milford, Conn.; the dau. of Elias and Susan (Burwell) Benjamin; died February 23, 1899, age 88, at New Haven, Conn. She is buried in the New Haven Cemetery, lot #2-555. She married Edwin Merwin on October 31, 1829. He was born August 28, 1812 and died December 7, 1882.

Children of Edwin and Mary (Benjamin) Merwin:

3154. Edwin Fletcher Merwin b. 1840; m. Sept. 26, 1870 Annie Lee (or See). Issue: Mary Elizabeth b. 1873, d. 1873; Laura Amelia b. 1879, d. 1882; William Edwin Merwin b. 1880; Gertrude Estelle b. 1887; and Florence Lee Merwin (a twin) b. 1887
3155. Isadore Charlotte Merwin b. 1843; m. June 12, 1865 John Barnett Judson. Her Aunt, Susan (Benjamin) Stafford died at her home. Issue: John Edwin Judson b. June 1865, m. Jan. 1893 Minnie L. Holmes; Florence Isadore Judson b. 1869; m. Oct. 20, 1892 Arthur Stanley Bradley; Ann Gertrude Judson b. 1871; Theodore Phineas Judson b. 1873.
3156. John Newton Merwin b. 1844; m. September 13, 1876 Adele Howarth; was a shirt manufacturer; Issue: Adele Howarth Merwin b. 1877 at New Haven, Conn.; Hazel Louise Merwin b. 1881 at New Haven.
3157. Mary Grace Merwin b. Oct.30, 1850; d. Sept. 2, 1852
3158. Louisa Merwin; m. June 19, 1878 Rev. Charles Graves at New Haven, Conn. Issue: Fannie Louise Graves

b. 1881 in Nebraska, d. 1882; Charles Edwin Grave b. March 9, 1883; Robert Merwin Graves b. Jan. 30 1885; Cliford Hendix Graves b. Feb. 20, 1888; Mary Adele Graves b. Feb. 9, 1890; Ruth Graves b. in Nebraska.

3159. Grace Ann Merwin b. July 11, 1813; d. 1850 at sea.

Resources: Research of W. C. Palmer of Milford, Conn.; Wilson Papers.

1559. GRACE ANN BENJAMIN[7] (Elias[6], Barz.[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born July 11, 1813 at Milford, Conn.; the dau. of Elias and Susan (Burwell) Benjamin; died 1850 at sea. She m/1 John Bristol and m/2 William Bramlette of South Carolina.

Children of John and Grace (Benjamin) Bristol:

3160. Frank Bristol b. 1836 at New Haven, Conn.

3161. Frederick Bristol; drowned at the mouth of Cape Fear, near New Haven, when a young man. Burried in New Haven, Conn.

Children of William and Grace (Benjamin Bristol) Bramlette

3162. William Bramlette Jr. b. 1847 at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

1561. DAVID A. BENJAMIN[7] (Elas[6], Barz.[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born May 7, 1818 at Milford, Conn.; the son of Elias and Susan (Burwell) Benjamin; died April 18, 1885, age 67 (gs) at New Haven, Conn. and is buried in the New Haven Cemetery, lot #1-151. He married Louisa Lester Kimberly of West Haven, Conn. on October 1841 in Conn. She was the dau. of James Lester and Mary Augusta (Lum) Kimberly. She was born May 13, 1814 at New Haven and died July 30, 1884, age 70 years (gs) at New Haven and is buried in the same lot as her husband. Another source gives her parentage as Eliakim and Maria (Kimberly) Kimberly.

Children of David A. and Louisa (Kimberly) Benjamin:

3163. Montgomery A. Benjamin b. August 8, 1843 at New Haven, Conn.; m/1 Mary Gaylord, who d. June 3, 1870, age 25 (gs) and is buried in the New Havem Cemetery, lot #4-143. He m/2 Louise Klopton/Kloptere of Alabama. In 1899 he resided in Montgomery, Alabama and was Deputy Tax Assessor for Montgomery County.

3164. Park Benjamin b. 1846; d. September 11, 1846 at New Haven, age 4 mos. (gs); buried New Haven Cemetery lot #1-151.

3165. David Kimberly Benjamin b. 1849; d. September 9/18, 1848, age 3 mos. (gs) at New Haven (vr 5-190).

3166. Frank Benjamin b. 1851; d. July 14, 1853, age 23 mos. and buried in New Haven Cem., lot #1-151.

Resources: p. 78 Gen. of Kimberly Fam., Jacobus; American Geneal.; Wilson Papers which included a letter from M. A. Benjamin in 1891.

1562. SARAH B. BENJAMIN[7] (Elias[6], Barz.[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born July 16, 1820 at Milford, Conn.; the dau. of Elias and Susan (Burwell) Benjamin; died April 17, 1886 at Brooklyn, New York. She married Miles P. Thomas on July 28, 1843 in Conn.

Children of Miles and Sarah (Benjamin) Thomas:
3167. Henrietta Thomas b. Aug. 1844; m/1 Frank Van Wart; m/2 William Bishop.
3168. Edgar Thomas.
3169. George Thomas; d. 1856 at New Haven, Conn.

Resource: Records of Dr. Wm. V. Wilson.

1563. JOHN E. BENJAMIN[7] (Elias[6], Barz.[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 12, 1823 at Milford, Conn.; the son of Elias and Susan (Burwell) Benjamin; died November 2, 1843, age 30, (gs) at Montgomery, Alabama and buried in the Canton, Conn. Cemetery, lot #4-112. He married June 30, 1847 at New Hartford, Conn. (vr 3-34 and Canton Center cr 2-150) Emiline L. Barnes. She was born in 1821/2 and died February 10, 1851, age 29 (gs) and is buried in the same lot as her husband. It is possible he m/2 Helen E. ---, who was born 1829 and died September 10, 1856, age 27 (gs) and is buried in the Canton Cemetery, lot #1-3. She is listed as Mrs. Helen E. Benjamin in the cemetery records.

Children of John E. and Emeline (Barnes) Benjamin:
3170. Mary Benjamin b. 1848; m. --- White in Chicago, Ill.

Resources: Records of Dr. Wm. V. Wilson.

1564. MATILDA BENJAMIN[7](Josiah[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) the dau. of Josiah Benjamin; married Elijah Case. They owned property in 1815 at Salisbury, New York.

Children of Elijah and Matilda (Benjamin) Case:
3171. Ellen Case; m. F. Rupert and resided in Johnstown, New York.
3172. Jane Case; m. William Dickinson and resided in John stown, N.Y. and Greeley, Colorado.
3173. William Case; resided in Gloversville, New York.
3174. Mary Case; m. Millard Filmer; and resided in Gloversville, N.Y.

Resources: Census and Probate records of Fulton Co., N.Y.

1565. ELIAKIM BENJAMIN[7] (Josiah[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born January 18, 1792 in New York; the son of Josiah Benjamin Jr.; died April 2, 1862 (gs) at Salisbury, New York. He mar-

ried Rhoda ---, who was born April 27, 1796 in New York and died November 9, 1870 (gs). They are both buried in the Salisbury, N.Y. Cemetery.

His occupation was a teamster and he was listed in the 1830, 1835, 1840, and 1850 census records of Salisbury, Herkimer Co., New York.

Children of Eliakim and Rhoda (---) Benjamin:

3175. Angeline M. Benjamin b. 1826/7 in Herkimer Co., N.Y unm. in 1865.

3176. Eliza (S.E.) Benjamin bc. 1819/20 in Herkimer Co, N.Y.; m. William Prentice b. 1814 in Saratoga Co. N.Y. They resided in Salisbury and were listed in the 1865 census of Geddes, Onondaga Co., N.Y. They had a dau. Elizabeth Prentice who m. Eli Benjamin and in 1865 had children Augusta and Adela. They were named in Land Records #168:384 in Onondaga Co., N.Y. by her father. They also had a dau. Monthy or Manthy bc. 1847 in Cayuga Co., N.Y., and she was residing with them in 1865 and was unm.

3177. Malina Benjamin b. 1832; m. --- Leavitt and resided in Salisbury, N.Y.

3178. Daughter who m. --- Collins. Eliakim had residing with him in the 1850 census: Charles D. Collins bc. 1844; Mary M. Collins bc. 1846; and Eliza Collins bc. 1847.

3179. 1 female b. 1815-20.

3180. 1 female b. 1820-25.

Resource: Census Records and Probate Records.

1566. NANCY BENJAMIN[7] (Josiah[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born in New York; the dau. of Josiah Benjamin Jr. She married --- DeWitt and resided at Johnstown, Fulton Co., New York.

Children of --- and Nancy (Benjamin) DeWitt.

3181. Elizabeth DeWitt; m. --- McIntyre and resided in Amsterdam, Montgomery Co., N.Y.

3182. Burton DeWitt; resided in Johnstown, N.Y.

3183. Scott DeWitt; resided in Johstown, N.Y.

3184. Jame DeWitt.

3185. George DeWitt b. 1833.

Resource: Will of half brother Asa L. Benjamin.

1567. LOIS/LOUISA BENJAMIN[7] (Josiah[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born in New York; the dau. of Josiah Benjamin Jr.; died July 4, 1835 at Salisbury, Herkimer Co., New York. She married Solomon Avery on May 10, 1814 at Salisbury, N.Y. He was the son of Stephen Avery and was born December 15, 1788 at Stockbridge, Mass. She m/2 Simmons.

Children of Solomon and Louisa (Benjamin) Avery:

3186. William Avery b. May 22, 1815; resided at Salisbury
3187. Cyrus Punderson Avery; resided at Gloversville, N.Y
3188. Laura Avery; m. --- Gage; resided at Johnstown, N.Y
3189. Polly Avery.
3190. Edward Avery.
3191. Silas Avery.
3192. Isaac Avery.

Resources: Will of her half brother, Asa L. Benjamin; p. 591 Groton Avery Clan, Avery, 1912.

1569. EVELYN BENJAMIN[7] (Josiah[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born in New York; the dau. of Josiah Benjamin Jr. She m. --- Tilitson They had a dau. Mary Tilitson, who m. --- Fritcher and resided in Fonda, Montgomery Co., N.Y.

Resource: Will of her half brother, Asa L. Benjamin.

1570. SARAH (SALLY) N. BENJAMIN[7] (Josiah[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born in New York; the dau. of Josiah Benjamin Jr.. She married Benjamin Reeves and resided in Jefferson Co., N.Y.

Children of Benjamin and Sarah (Benjamin) Reeves:
3193. Eugene Reeves; resided Watertown, Jefferson Co., N.Y
3194. Louisa Reeves; m. --- Gillingham; and resided at Watertown, N.Y.
3195. Evahile Reeves; m. --- Clark and resided at Buffalo New York.
3196. Alzaphine Reeves; resided in Detroit, Michigan.
3197. Frances Reeves; m. --- Mofat; resided at Watertown.
3198. Walter Reeves; resided Watertown, N.Y.
3199. Lillie Reeves; m. --- Johnson and resided at Watertown, Jefferson Co., N.Y.

Resource: Will of her half brother, Asa L. Benjamin.

1572. THOMAS B. (?BRUSH) BENJAMIN[7] (Thomas[6], Josiah[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born 1784-94 in Stillwater, Saratoga Co., New York; the probable son of Thomas B. and Patience (---) Benjamin. He married Margaret (Peggy) Cooper, dau. of William and Sarah (Brown) Cooper of Saratoga Co., New York.

In 1815 Thomas B. Benjamin and wife Margaret of Stillwater, sold land to Joseph Brown of Stillwater. (Saratoga Co. Land Deeds. In Index to Bail Book Records 1812-1823 of Saratoga Co., N.Y., on Nov. 1814 Thomas B. Benjamin was a defendant.

On Dec. 29, 1816 Margaret Benjamin, wife of Thomas, was listed as a member of the Church at Stillwater, N.Y. She was a member of the late Reform Dutch Church of Stillwater. On Feb. 27, 1820, Thomas Benjamin, of the Dutch Reform Church of Stillwater, was suspended.

He is listed in the 1820 census of Stillwater, Saratoga County, New York.

Children of Thomas B. and Margaret (Cooper) Benjamin:

3200. Jane Cooper Benjamin b. August 27, 1811 at Saratoga Springs, N.Y.; d. January 17, 1893 at Sabetha, Kansas; m. July 20, 1837 at Saratoga Co., N.Y. to John Patrick Greenan.

3201. Thomas Brush (Bruse) Benjamin bp.February 28, 1817 at Stillwater, Saratoga Co., N.Y. He married and had a dau. Sarah Benjamin b. May 5, 1838 at Saratoga Springs, m. Charles W. Van Norder in the summer of 1854 and d. Dec. 24, 1919 at Friendship, Wisconsin. He also had a son Alonzo, who resided at Big Suanmico, Brown Co., Wisconsin.

3202. Sally Brown Benjamin bapt. February 28, 1817 at Stillwater, N.Y. (but recorded in the Canaan, Conn. cr 1-64); m. September 1837 Zina (Kinah) Clements.

*3203. William Benjamin b. June 12, 1818 at Stillwater, Saratoga Co., N.Y.

Resources: Volsburgh Records of New York Church Records; Census Records; Research of Gloria Wall Bicha.

1573. NATHAN BENJAMIN[7] (Thomas[6], Josiah[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born 1784-94 in Saratoga Co., New York; the probable son of Thomas B. and Patience (---) Benjamin; probably died before 1825. He married Ruth ---.

Ruth Benjamin is listed on the church rolls from 1816-1820 in Stillwater. In 1825 Ruth Benjamin of Stillwater sells land to James Langworth of Stillwater. (Saratoga Co. N.Y. Land Records.) She is received as a member on Feb. 27, 1820 of the Cong. Church of Stillwater.

In Index to Bail Book Records 1812-23 of Saratoga Co., N.Y., Nathan Benjamin, a farmer, is listed in Nov. 1815 and Aug. 1816.

In the 1820 census of Stillwater, Saratoga Co., N.Y. Nathan and Thomas (above) Benjamin live next door to each other.

When the children were baptised, Ruth Benjamin is listed as a widow.

Children of Nathan and Ruth (---) Benjamin:

3204. James Benjamin bp. May 15, 1825 at Stillwater Cong. Church, N.Y. (cr). He was bc. 1810-20.

3205. Caroline Maria Benjamin bp. May 15, 1825 at Stillwater Cong. Church (cr). She b. after 1820.

Resources: Volsburgh Records of New York Church Records; Census Records.

1583. MARY (POLLY) KING[7] (Mary[6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born September 1, 1784 at Mt. Washington, Mass.; the dau. of Elijah and Mary (Benjamin) King; died September 1847 at Troy, New York. She married Eleazer Collins on January 1,

1803. He died about 1862 at WhiteRiver, Oceana Co., Michigan. He was a carpenter and lived for many years in Troy N.Y. In 1859 he moved to Michigan.

Children of Eleazer and Mary (King) Collins:

3206. Lucy Collins; m. --- Austin.
3207. Seymour Collins; was shot in Texas and left a wife, Esther --- who d. in 1854 near Catskill, N.Y. and 4 small children. When she died she left 2 child ren orphaned. (Apparently the other 2 had died.)
3208. Cynthia Collins; married and had 2 children.
3209. Lydia Collins.
3210. Hiram Collins; resided in San Francisco, Calif. and was a carriage maker.
3211. Lyman Collins; died in Troy, New York.
3212. Josephus Collins; was severly burned as a child, but though his hands were badly crippled, was an excellent ship builder.
3213. Sidney Collins; burned to death at the age of 6.
3214. Ephraim Collins; died in Michigan.
3215. Alma Collins; m/1 William Purdy; m/2 --- Webster; had 10 children.

Resources: Wilson Papers, which contained a letter from Mary Pratt of Olena, Ohio written in 1880's.

1584. ELIJAH KING JR.[7] (Mary[6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born March 28, 1786 at South Egremont, Mass.; the son of Elijah and Mary (Benjamin) King; died April 14, 1847 at Cambridge Washington Co., New York. He married Catherine Olmstead of Bradford Co., Penn. on September 2, 1819. She was the dau. of David and Mary (Waller) Olmstead and was born June 30, 1799 at Bradford Co., Penn. and died December 21, 1870 at Ft. Edward, New York.

He received a common school education and was early the subject of religious impressions. In 1808 he joined the Methodist Church and in 1811 was licensed to preach and in July of that year was admitted into the itinerant connection of the Methodist Church. He was ordained Deacon in 1813 by Bishop Asbury. In 1825 he abandoned itinerant preaching on account of long continued ill health. The field of his ministral labors were in the Genesse and Oneida Conference, where he spent his early manhood. A Memorial Phamphlet entitled "Our Mother" had been issued by their children.

Children of Elijah and Catherine (Olmstead) King:

3216. Mary Ann King b. April 8, 1821 at Laurens, Otsego Co., N.Y.; m. Nov. 4, 1846 Samuel Elijah Simmons b. June 27, 1820 and d. June 15, 1873 at Ft. Edwards, N.Y, where they resided.
3217. Joseph Elijah King b. Nov. 30, 1823 at Laurens, NY; m. July 22, 1850 Melissa Bayley, b. Apr. 4, 1828. He was the principal of the Ft. Edward Collegiate

Institute. There is a biographical sketch for him in Hist. of Washington Co., N.Y.

3218. Sarah Etta King b. May 10, 1827; m. March 20, 1855 Bernice Darwin Ames of Mechanicsville, N.Y. He was b. Dec. 26, 1827.

3219. Benjamin Waller King b. Nov. 2, 1829; m. Aug. 9, 1858 Eliza Ann Palmer.

3220. George Hezekiah King b. April 28, 1831; m. March 5, 1856 Teresa Tillighast, b. Aug. 18, 1835. They had 2 daus.

3221. David Harvey King b. July 14, 1835; m.July 31, 1856 Susan Ann Coleman b. Dec. 11, 1836; had 4 childre

3222. James Marcus King b. March 18, 1839; m. July 1, 1865 Nancy M. McFarland b. Feb. 5, 1840. In 1895 he was pastor of Washington Square Methodist Churchin New York City. Had 1 son: Arthur Marcus King b. 1867 and 1 dau.: Clara King.

Resources: p. 14 King Gen.; Wilson Papers.

1585. ELIZABETH (BETSEY) KING^{7} (Mary^{6}, Nathan^{5}, Jos.$^{4-3-2}$, John^{1}) born July 12, 1787 at South Egremont, Mass.; the dau. of Elijah and Mary (Benjamin) King; died 1833. She married Elias Demming of Stilwater, Saratoga Co., New York. They resided at West Troy, New York.

Children of Elias and Elizabeth (King) Demming:

3223. Maria Demming.

3224. Huldah Demming.

3225. George Demming.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

1586. ESTHER KING^{7} (Mary^{6}, Nathan^{5}, Joseph^{4-3-2}, John^{1}) born June 16, 1789 at South Egremont, Mass.; the dau. of Elijah and Mary (Benjamin) King; died April 30, 1874 at Fitchville, Ohio. She married Abijah Roberts on November 28, 1809 at S. Egremont. He was the son of Seth and Martha (Lewis) Roberts and was born May 30, 1784 at Middletown, Conn. and died April 13, 1860 at Fitchville, Ohio.

He served an apprenticeship in shoe making and then settled in Mt. Washington, Mass., where he met Esther.

Abijah Roberts bought the farm owned by John King in Egremont and became a neighbor. In 1835 he and his family removed to Ohio.

Children of Abijah and Esther (King) Roberts:

*3226. Mary Roberts b. September 5, 1810 at S. Egremont.

3227. Elijah King Roberts b. Oct. 2, 1813 at S. Egremont; d. June 28, 1856, when he was killed by Indians. He had left the gold fields of Calif.and was on his way to the silver mines in Arizona. He m. June 13, 1838 Sophia L Brown b. Dryden, N.Y. Apr. 16, 1820, the dau. of Reuben and Lois (Eastman)

Brown. Issue: Esther Antonette Roberts b. 1839; d. 1844; Eugene Roberts b. May 19, 1841, d. Sept 3, 1870 at Fitchville, Ohio of T.B., m. Nellie Palmer; William Fenner Roberts b. Oct. 1846, d. in Civil War in W. Va.; Francis Ashbury Roberts b. Sept. 1849, m. 1866 Zelma Tanner of Fairfield, Ohio.

Resources: Wilson Papers. It was the above Mary, who wrote to Dr. Wilson in the 1880's.

1587. ORSON BENJAMIN[7] (Joseph[6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born August 17, 1789 at South Egremont, Mass.; the son of Joseph and Susanna (Gaylord) Benjamin; died September 29, 1861 at age of 73 yrs. at Canandiagua, Ontario Co., New York. (Note: According to a newspaper account, he died October 2, 1861, age 72). He married September 8/16, 1817 at Canandaigua, N.Y. to Mary Kibbe. She was the dau. of William and Esther (Terry) Kibbe and was born August 7, 1797 at Enfield, Conn. and died December 11/13, 1880 at Williamsport, Penn. and is buried in the West Avenue Cemetery, next to her husband, in Canandaigua, N.Y.

Orson was educated at Williams College, but was expelled for playing cards, a few months before graduation. He later studied law under Dudley Marvin and roomed with a fellow law student, Mark C. Sibley.

He settled in Canandaigua about 1815 and was "the best informed lawyer" of his day. He was elected to the state legislature in 1812. He moved to East Bloomfield for a time, thinking that the prospects were better there, but returned to Canandaigua. He was Judge of the Probate Court for Ontario Co. for many years and one of the foremost organizers of the Republican Party. A long and very flattering obituary appeared in the Canandaigua paper at the time of his death. He was senior warden of St. John's Espicopal Church. Mary Kibbe was a Presbyterian, but became an Espicopalian where her husband was versteryman. When she returned to Williamsport, she renewed her Presbyterian membership. She moved to Canandaigua in 1814, when her father took over the management of the Ontario County Bank, the first established in western New York.

Children of Orson and Mary (Kibbe) Benjamin:

*3228. William Kibbe Benjamin b. June 18, 1818 at Canandaigua, New York.

*3229. Julia Mary (Maria) Benjamin b. Feb. 7, 1820 at Cananadaigua.

*3230. Caroline Adelaide Benjamin b. January 5, 1822 at Cananadaigua, N.Y.

*3231. Ella Cornelia Benjamin b. October 17, 1823 at East Bloomfield, N.Y.

*3232. Harriet Angelica Benjamin b. October 2, 1826 at E. Bloomfield, N.Y.

*3233. Edmund Burke Benjamin b. July 16, 1828 at E. Bloomfield, New York.

*3234. Orson Augustus Benjamin b. November 12, 1830 at E. Bloomfield, N. Y.

3235. Emily Imogen (cem. records list her as Mary) Benjamin b. April 5, 1833 at E. Bloomfield, N.Y.; d. April 1, 1835 at E. Bloomfield.

3236. Eliza Hamilton Benjamin b. May 15, 1835 at E. Bloomfield, N.Y.; d. September 23, 1895 at New York City; m. October 16, 1877 William Smith Ellis of Crystal Springs, as his 3rd wife. He was the son of Annis and Mary (Smith) Ellis b. Dec. 8, 1820 at Milo, Yates Co., N.Y. She died without issue.

3237. Louisa Maria Susanna Benjamin b. September 3, 1841 at Canandaigua, N.Y.; unmarried.

Resources: Vol. 8 p. 110 Am. Ancestry; Mayflower Index #20,520; Vol. 1 p. 28 Colonial Families of U.S., McKenzie; Vol. XL Nat. Cyctopaedia of Am. Biog.; p. 78 Terry Fam., Terry, 1887; Wilson Papers; p. 170 Bellows Gen. 1635-1898, by Thomas Bellows Park; p. 108 June 1969 Tree Talks.

1588. NATHAN BENJAMIN[7] (Joseph[6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born April 29, 1791 at South Egremont, Mass.; the son of Joseph and Susanna (Gaylord) Benjamin; died May 15, 1863 at age 72, at Egremont, Mass. He married November 26, 1812 at Great Barrington, Mass. (vr) Lucy Bacon. She was the dau. of Deacon Andrew and Lucy (Upson) Bacon and was born March 29, 1793 at S. Egremont and died March 20, 1867 at South Egremont, Mass. They are both buried at S. Egremont.

Nathan was a farmer and proprietor of a flour mill at Egremont. He was a state senator in the Mass. Legislature and was killed by a fall from a beam in his home.

Children of Nathan and Lucy (Bacon) Benjamin:

3238. Nathan Josiah Benjamin b. September 2, 1813; died December 13, 1831; unm.

*3239. Joseph Augustus Benjamin b. September 1, 1817 at S. Egremont, Mass.

*3240. Lucy Maria Benjamin b. October 20, 1820 at Egremont Mass. (vr).

3241. Andrew Gardner Benjamin b. July 5, 1822 at S. Egremont, Mass.; d. September 19, 1844 at New York City, age 22. He married December 24, 1843 Lucy Fasset Robinson. She was the dau. of Dr. Royal and Fanny (Fasset) Robinson and was b. May 1, 1821/2 at Windham, Penn. and died Feb. 12, 1901 at Mt. Vernon, N.Y. She m/2 Rev. Winthrop H. Phillips. She had no issue of the 1st m., but had 2 sons and 2 daus. that were b. at S. Egremont with the 2nd m. Andrew was a merchant in NYC and a member of the firm of builder's materials--Roberts, Benjamin, and Co.

*3242. Nathan Orson Benjamin b. September 15, 1830 at S. Egremont, Mass.

Resources: p. 508 Desc. of Rev. Joseph Dwight; p. 19 Vol. 1 Colonial Families of U.S., McKenzie; Wilson Papers; p. 90 Upson Fam. in Am., Family Assc., 1940; p. 68 "Skinners Eddy", a Penn. Newspaper.

1590. MOSES GAYLORD BENJAMIN[7] (Joseph[6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born July 5, 1794 at South Egremont, Mass.; the son of Joseph and Susanna (Gaylord) Benjamin; died January 18, 1833, age 39 years, at Baimbridge, Otsego Co., New York. He married Sophia Adelia Chittenden on November 20, 1817 at Guildford, Conn. She was the dau. of Dr. Ambrose and Sylva (Watrows/Watrans) Chittenden and was born December 10, 1795 at Guildford, Conn. and died April 16, 1878 at Baimbridge, New York, age 82. She m/2 July 18, 1836 Elisha Bishop, the son of Elisha and Polly (Cunningham) Bishop. He was born Sept. 18, 1790/1 and died May 8, 1872 at Brooklyn, New York. He had m/1 Ann Van Bergen and had 2 children by the first marriage: Elizabeth Mary and Ann Margaret Bishop.

Elisha was a merchant in Cairo, Green Co., New York and was in the War of 1812 and served in the New York Legislator.

Moses moved from Egremont to Unadilla, N.Y. in 1823 and was a merchant and postmaster at Baimbridge, N.Y. from 1826-1833. He was an ensign in 1815 and a Captain in 1818 in the Otsego Co., N.Y. State Militia and was Quarter Master for the 16th Division in 1820.

Moses owned land in Baimbridge and Broome Co., New York and in Monroe Co., Michigan. He left $700. to his brother Calvin W. Benjamin, in regard for his fidelity as a clerk and in sympathy for his misfortune.

Children of Moses G. and Sophia (Chittenden) Benjamin:

3243. George Gaylord Benjamin b. September 21, 1818 at Unadilla, New York; d. March 16, 1899 at Baimbridge, New York; unmarried.

*3244. Clark Moses Benjamin b. September 8, 1820 at Unadilla, N. Y.

*3245. Ann Jeanette Benjamin b. May 5, 1828 at Baimbridge, New York.

Children of Elisha and Sophia (Chittenden Benjamin) Bishop

Sophia Adelia Bishop b. April 4, 1838 at Baimbridge N.Y.; d. 1885 at Brooklyn, N.Y.; m. 1862 Byron M. DeMunn. Issue: Florence Louise DeMunn b. 1864 at Brooklyn, N.Y.; Willis Bishop DeMunn b. 1866, d. 1894; Jennie Evangeline DeMunn b. 1867, m. Howard Griffin.

Resources: Wilson Papers, which included letters from George Gaylord Benjamin in 1880; p. 19 Vol. I Colonial Fam

ilies in U.S., McKenzie; Hurd's Hist. of Otsego Co., New York, 1878.

1591. JOSEPH BENJAMIN[7] (Joseph[6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 20, 1796 at South Egremont, Mass.; the son of Joseph and Susanna (Gaylord) Benjamin; died May 25, 1872 at New York City. He married Martha Marsh (or Margaret Ellen) Mellen on January 7, 1832 at Pittsfield, Mass., the dau. of William Henry and Lucretia (Marsh) Mellen. She was born January 13, 1803 at Pittsfield, Mass. and died April 20, 1891 at New York City.

Joseph's father died when he was 7 years old and he was brought up in Canaan, Conn., where he lived with his mother and step-father. After he moved to Egremont, he lived there 11 years, then moved to Carbondale, Penn. He forsook the lumber business for the iron business. He made considerable money, so retired about 1850, but maintained an interest in the business. In 1852 he moved to New York City, where he bought a house on the south east corner of Madison Avenue and 39th Street, where he died. He left a large estate.

Children of Joseph and Martha (Mellen) Benjamin:

*3246. Lucretia Marsh Benjamin b. January 28, 1832 at Carbondale, Penn.

3247. Susan Sophia Benjamin b. August 21, 1836; d. August 14, 1845 at Carbondale, Penn.

*3248. Joseph Ritner Benjamin b. July 25, 1839 at Carbondale, Penn.

Resources: Vol. 1 p. 19 Colonial Families in U.S., McKenzie; Vol. 25 p. 123 DAR Lineage Book; Wilson Papers; p. 468 Desc. of John Whitman of Weymouth, Mass, Farnam, 1889; p. 438 Marsh Gen., Marsh, 1895; Boston Transcript October 27, 1902.

1592. SUSAN MARIA BENJAMIN[7] (Joseph[6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born November 21, 1798 at South Egremont, Mass.; the dau. of Joseph and Susanna (Gaylord) Benjamin; died February 29, 1865 at Elmira, Chemung Co., New York. She m/1 John Chamberlain Clark on March 29, 1820 at Unadilla, New York. He was born January 14, 1793 at Pittsfield, Mass. and died October 25, 1852 at Chemung, New York. She m/2 William Henry Phillips, a lumber merchant. There was no issue of the second marriage.

John Clark had m/1 Miss Higgis of Hamilton, N.Y. when he was a student. He was a member of Congress from New York when he married, and continued for many years. He was Solicitor of the Treasury under Presidents Filmore and Taylor. He "garnered up but few of this world's treasures, for his was a hand open as the day to meeting out charity". He was Commissioner under the 17th Article of the Treaty concluded with the Cherokee tribe of Indians

in 1835.

Children of John C. and Susan (Benjamin) Clark:

*3249. Susan Maria Clark b. December 27, 1820.

3250. Josephine Sophia Clark b. July 16, 1828; d. April 6, 1843 at Washington, D.C.

3251. John Chamberlain Clark, d. Feb. 4, 1831, age 1 yr. 2 mos.

3252. John Chamberlain Clark d. Sept. 4, 1832, age 3 mos.

Eliza Clark, a dau. of his first marriage; m. Capt. Samuel W. Downing, who d. June 13, 1881 at Bristol, Penn. He was "late of the U.S. Navy".

Resources: Wilson Papers, which included a letter from JosephineClark (Burnet) Neff.

1593. EMMA LOUISE BENJAMIN[7] (Joseph[6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born November 28, 1800 at South Egremont, Mass.; the dau. of Joseph and Susanna (Gaylord) Benjamin; died Aug. 30, 1839 at S. Egremont. She married Henry VanBergan of Catskill, N.Y. on October 1, 1825 at Baimbridge, New York. He was the son of William and Catherine (Person) VanBergan and was born July 28, 1800 at Catskill, N.Y. and died June 8, 1877 at Newark, New Jersey. He m/2 Julia M. Benjamin on October 14, 1845, the dau. of Orson and Mary (Kibbe) Benjamin. (See #3229 for carry down of that m.)

He was engaged in the mercantile business at Baimbridge, New York from 1826-31 and in the lumber business in Carbondale, Penn. 1831-36, and in 1841-50 in the milling woolen mill and tannery in Laurel, Indiana. In 1850-58 he was in the coal business in Cincinnati, Ohio. In 1858-69 he was in New York City with D. and H.C. Co. and in Newark, New Jersey from 1869-77. He was an Elder in the Presbyterian Church in Laurel and in Dr. Ganitz's Church in New York City.

Children of Henry and Emma (Benjamin) VanBergen:

3253. Joseph Benjamin VanBergen b. February 28, 1828 at Baimbridge, N.Y.; d. April 25, 1899; educated in Cincinnati and Marietta, Ohio; Mayor of Carbondale, Penn. 1869-73; m. Oct. 23, 1851 in Cincinnati, Ohio to Mary Frances Boal, b. March 10, 1824, dau. of Robert and Phebe Halstead (Mills) Boal. She d. June 9, 1888 in Carbondale, Penn. He m/2 Mary Helen Dickson, widow of Andrew Watt. Issue: twin boys d. young in 1852; Phoebe Emma b. & d. 1865; Robert Boal VanBergen b. Sept. 25, 1858, m. May 3, 1879 Annie Vogle, dau. of Thomas and Anna Eliza (Davenport) Vogel, b. March 23, 1859 at Carbondale; Henry VanBergen b. May 28, 1866, m. 1891 Bertha VanClief, dau. of August and Phebe (---) VanClief b. Sept. 14, 1868 at Warrensburg, Penn.

3254. Catherine Van Bergan b. August 18, 1832 at Carbondale, Penn.; unm.

3255. William VanBergan b. April 21, 1835 at Carbondale, Penn.; d. March 9, 1862; unm.; clerk in dry goods house in Indianapolis, Ind.

3256. Edgar Gregory VanBergan b. February 26, 1837; d. January 18, 1856.

3257. John (James) VanBergan b. February 16, 1839; d. September 11, 1860 at Cleveland, Ohio; m. 1859 Sally Runyan. She m/2. He was in the mercantile business.

Henry had 4 more children with his 2nd wife. See #3229 for them.

Resources: Wilson Papers, which included a letter from J. B. VanBergan in 1881.

1594. CALVIN WELLS BENJAMIN[7], (Joseph[6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 6, 1803 at South Egremont, Mass.; the son of Joseph and Susanna (Gaylord) Benjamin; died September 1, 1890, age 87, at South Egremont, Mass. He married February 23, 1825 to Elizabeth Ann More (Moore), the dau. of David and Hannah (Benjamin) More. (Hannah was the dau. of Peleg Benjamin. See #961.) Elizabeth was born January 24 1801 at S. Egremont, Mass. and died February 6, 1878 at Pana, Illinois.

(Note: Some sources list only Jane, George, William, and Susan as children.)

Children of Calvin W. and Elizabeth (More) Benjamin:

3258. daughter b. & d. December 12, 1825.

*3259. Jane Eliza Benjamin b. May 17, 1827 at S. Egremont.

*3260. George Edward Benjamin b. June 29, 1828.

3261. Julia Ann Benjamin bc. 1830.

3262. John Benjamin bc. 1832.

3263. William Nathan Benjamin b. April 26, 1822; d. October 5, 1888, age 55; m. October 18, 1854 Julia Etta Stillman of Sheffield, Mass., the dau. of Thomas and Rebecca (Crane) Stillman. She was b. March 26, 1837 and as a widow resided in Geneva, New York in 1900. There was no issue of this marriage. He was a dry goods broker.

3264. Frances Caroline Benjamin b. April 25, 1835; d. July 12, 1873; m. May 25, 1871 Thomas Cobb, b. April 5, 1830.

*3265. Susan Emma Benjamin b. April 19, 1839 at S. Egremont, Mass.

Resources: Vol. 1 p. 19 Colonial Fam. in U.S., McKenzie; Records of Harry S. Benjamin of Royal Oak, Michigan; Wilson Papers.

1561. LUCY BENJAMIN[7] (Nathan[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born October

11, 1792 at South Egremont, Mass.; the dau. of Nathan and Ruth (Seymour) Benjamin; died May 9, 1892, at the age of almost 100 years, at Geneseo, Illinois. She married Dr. Alfred T. Perry on November 1, 1814 at Williamstown, Mass. He was the son of Rev. David and Jerusha (Lord) Perry and was born April 28, 1780 at Hardwinton, Conn. (another source says b. at Richmond, Mass.) and died September 6/8, 1838 at Farlow's Grove, Mercer Co., Illinois, age 58. They are both buried in the Oak Wood Cemetery at Geneseo, Illinois.

He graduated from Rush Medical College in Philadelphia and practiced in Stockbridge, Mass. for 23 years. He then in 1838, moved to Perrytown, Mercer Co., Ill. and died the same year. The widow and children returned to Williamstown. The town Perrytown, in Mercer Co., Ill., was named for him. He was a successful doctor and a Deacon of the Congregational Church.

Children of Alfred and Lucy (Benjamin) Perry:

3266. Lucy Perry b. October 8, 1815; d. Feb. 12, 1842 at Williamstown, Mass.; m. August 16, 1838 Prof. John Tatlock, b. Dec. 4, 1808 in Liverpool, England. He was a graduate of Williams College, and a professor of mathematics there for 10 or 12 years, and then studied law. He resided in Pittsfield. Lucy had one child, b. Dec. 4, 1841, d. March 4, 1842. John Tatlock m/2 Sarah Maria Benjamin, a sister of Lucy's mother. See #1566.

3267. Alfred Whitman Perry b. December 19, 1818 at Stockbridge, Mass.; d. 1893; m. March 31, 1841 Mary Boone (Berens), the dau. of James and Hannah (Barton) Boone, b. April 8, 1822. He graduated from Williams College in 1843. For several years after this he taught school at Beaufort, South Carolina. He took the degree of MD at Rush Medical College, and began his practice of medicine at Williamstown, Mass. He later resided in Geneseo, Ill. Issue: Fannie Louise Perry b. Oct. 5, 1843, m. May 1866 Marshall I. Wolcott; Clara Barton Perry b. Dec. 24, 1845, unm.

3268. David Lord Perry b. September 20, 1820 at Stockbridge, Mass.; d. 1903; m. August 17, 1852 Harriet Andrews of Ashland, Ohio, the dau. of Alanson and Sarah (Coats) Andrews, b. Aug. 22, 1830. He resided in Hinsdale, Mass. and Chicago, Ill. and was in the real estate business. Issue: Lucy Benjamin Perry b. May 22, 1853, m. Henry Bascom, M.D.; Tela Louis Perry b. Jan. 7, 1856; Charles Spaulding Perry b. Mar. 26, 1859; David Lord Perry; Everett Howe Perry b. July 15, 1872.

3269. John Buckley Perry b. 1821; d. June 15, 1823, drowned at age 2 years at Stockbridge, Mass.

3270. Mary E. Perry b. February 18, 1826 at Stockbridge,

Mass.; d. December 27, 1902; m. September 6, 1847 Joshua Edwards Ford, son of George A. Ford, b. August 3, 1825, d. Apr. 3, 1866. He was a missionary under the protection of the American Board for Syria. He sailed for Syria Dec. 1847 and on his arrival there labored in Aleppo, Birnit, and Sidon. He returned for his health on Sept. 1865, and died early the following year in Geneseo, Ill. Issue: Nathan Ford b. in Aleppo, Syria July 13, 1849, m. Dec. 1870 Alice Lucinda Howell of St. Loius, Mo.; George Alfred Ford b. 1853, d. 1858; Charles Henry Ford b. Oct. 9, 1856 and was a professor at the University of Mississippi; Sarah Ford b. Sept. 26, 1859; Edward Albert Ford b. Dec. 5, 1863.

3271. George Buckley Perry b. July 7, 1828 at Stockbridge Mass.; m. May 3, 1855 Marie Louise Tyler, dau. of Duty S. and Amy (Braydon) Tyler of N. Adams, Mass b. Feb. 21, 1834. He was a real estate agent. Issue: Cornelia Tyler Perry b. Oct. 29, 1856; Alfred Tyler Perry b. Aug. 19, 1858, m. Apr. 13, 1887 Anna Flint Morris, dau. of Jonathan Flint and Harriet (Hills) Morris of Hartford, Conn.; Annie Louisa Perry b. Apr. 30, 1860, m. Arthur D. Cady; George Perry.

3272. Nathan Benjamin Perry b. July 31, 1830 at Stockbridge, Mass.; m. December 4, 1856 Minnie Serina Wells, dau. of Rodman and Frances (Bosworth) Well of N. Adams, Mass, b. Dec. 4, 1834. He was in the stove manufacturing business in Albany, N.Y. Issue: Edward Rodman Perry b. Mar. 27, 1861; Frank Spaulding Perry b. March 25, 1863.

3273. Charles Lester Perry b. February 25, 1833; d. 1884; m. February 4, 1858 Marie Jannette Wells, dau. of Ira Wells, b. Oct. 5, 1837, d. Sept. 20, 1865. He m/2 May 17, 1871 Fannie Smith of Little Falls, N.Y., b. Dec. 27, 1846. He was engaged in coal mining at Brian Bluff, Illinois. Issue: Meta Caroline Perry b. Jan. 3, 1859.

3274. Sarah Louise Perry b. Oct. 11, 1836 at Stockbridge, Mass.; m. Sept. 27, 1871 Rev. James G. Dougherty of Chillocothe, Missouri. He was the son of Robert Chambers and Catherine (Russell) Dougherty b. Sept. 22, 1838. Issue: Lucy Taft Dougherty b. Jan. 15, 1873; Minnie Louke Dougherty b. Feb. 24, 1874; Bradford Dougherty b. Nov. 12, 1875; Annie Dougherty b. June 21, 1877; son b. June 11, 1880. They resided at Ottawa, Kansas.

Resources: Wilson papers, which included letters from Lucy (Benjamin) Perry; p. 55 Gen. Leavenworth Fam. of U.S., Leavenworth, 1873; p. 563 Desc. of John Whitman of Weymouth, Mass., Farnam, 1889.

1562. RUTH BENJAMIN[7] (Nathan[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born May 20, 1794 at South Egremont, Mass.; the dau. of Nathan and Ruth (Seymour) Benjamin; died July 4, 1822 at Greenfield, Mass. She married Rev. Charles Jenkins on January 29, 1821. He was the son of Southworth and Huldah (Wright) Jenkins and was born August 28, 1786 at Barre, Mass. and died December 29, 1831 at Portland, Maine. He married/2 Amelia Stiles Leavitt, dau. of Jonathan and Eruelia (---) Leavitt.

He was a graduate of William College in 1813 and studied theology at Williamstown. He resided in Greenfield, Mass. from 1820-1825 and was the pastor of the Third Cong. Church of Portland, Maine.

There were no children from the first marriage.

Children of Charles and Amelia (Leavitt) Jenkins:
J. L. Jenkins; pastor at Pittsfield, Mass.
Amelia Jenkins; m. --- Foote of New Haven, Conn.

Resource: Letter from Rev. J. L. Jenkins to Dr. Wilson in 1881.

1563. CHARLES SEYMOUR BENJAMIN[7], (Nathan[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born January 18, 1797 at Sheffield or South Egremont, Mass.; the son of Nathan and Ruth (Seymour) Benjamin; died February 16, 1870, age 73, at Williamstown, Mass. He married/1 Caroline Emily (G.) Buckley/Bulkeley of Williamstown, Mass. on May 21, 1827. She was the dau. of Joshua Robins and Sarah (Tainton) Buckley and was born April 25, 1805 and died July 1/2, 1844, age 42, at Williamstown, Mass. of heart disease. He m/2 Jane Butler on May 25, 1852 at Northampton, Mass. She was the dau. of William and Huldah (Brown) Butler and was born at Northampton September 18, 1814. (Note: Another source said he m/2 Martha Washington Gold, dau. of Thomas and Martha (Marsh) Gold, b. October 5, 1801.)

He was a merchant at Pittsfield, Mass. during the greater part of his life.

Children of Charles and Caroline (Buckley) Benjamin:

3275. Sarah Benson Pierson Benjamin b. June 13, 1830 at Cattskill, N.Y. (Note: Williamstown vr gives her birth as Feb. 22, 1840.); d. 1881 in Pittsfield, Mass.; unm.

3276. May Buckley or Mary E. Benjamin b. August 5, 1832; d. March 26, 1833, age 7 mos. 7 days. (Williamstown vr).

3277. Frances Caroline Benjamin b. April 25, 1835 at Pittsfield, Mass.; d. July 12, 1873 or 1875; m. May 25, 1871 Thomas Clapp Colt, b. Apr. 5, 1830. He was a wollen manufacturer in Pittsfield.

Children of Charles and Jane (Butler) Benjamin:

3278. Charles Seymour Benjamin b. June 21, 1855 at North-

ampton, Mass.; d. December 6, 1860.

Resources: p. 418 Marsh Gen., Marsh, 1895; p. 163 Hist. of Ancient Weathersfield, Conn., Stiles Vol. II; p. 563 Desc. of John Whitman of Weymouth, Mass., Farnam, 1889; Letter from Jane Butler Benjamin in 1881 to Dr. Wilson among the Wilson Papers.

1564. GEORGE WHITMAN BENJAMIN[7] (Nathan[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born February 27, 1804 at Catskill, New York; the son of Nathan and Ruth (Seymour) Benjamin; died June 6, 1874 at age of 70 yrs., at Albany, New York. He married Adeline Powell on August 20, 1833. She was the dau. of Dr. Horatio and Hannah (Russell) Powell and was born March 24, 1814 at Malone, New York and died November 1, 1872 at Albany, N.Y.

He was a merchant at Albany and head of the firm Benjamin, Yerks, & Co., a wholesale feed company. He spent some time at Stockbridge, Mass. and was "of Burlington, Vermont" at the time of his marriage. He went from Burlington to Cleveland, Ohio and then in 1841 moved to Albany.

They had 9 children, but only 3 lived to adulthood.

Children of George W. and Adeline (Powell) Benjamin:

*3278. Adeline Maria Benjamin b. September 10, 1838 at Cleveland, Ohio.

*3279. Cornelia (Nellie) Benjamin b. September 3, 1843 at Albany, N.Y.

*3280. George Powell Benjamin b. March 12, 1850 at Albany.

3281. Charlotte Benjamin; died in infancy.

3282. William Russell Benjamin; died in infancy.

3283. Charles Seymour Benjamin; died in infancy.

Resources: Nat. Cyclopeadia of Amer. Biog. Vil. 32 p. 307; p. 563 Desc. of John Whitman of Weymouth, Mass., Farnham, 1889; Wilson Papers, which included letters from George W. Benjamin in 1881.

1565. ABIGAIL (ABBIE) BENJAMIN[7] (Nathan[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born January 30, 1808 at Catskill, New York; the dau. of Nathan and Ruth (Seymour) Benjamin; died April 20, 1883, age 75, at Williamstown, Mass. She married Henry Lyman Sabin, M.D. on April 24, 1833 at Williamstown, Mass. (vr) as his second wife. He was the son of Jesse and Ether (Buckley) Sabin and was born May 29, 1801 and died November 3, 1874. (Note: These dates were given Dr. Wilson by his wife. In Desc. of John Whitman his b. is given as May 29, 1810 and his d. Feb. 24, 1884.)

They resided in Williamstown, Mass. and New York City.

Children of Henry L. and Abigail (Benjamin) Sabin:

3284. Lucy Whitman Sabin b. Feb. 2, 1834 at Williamstown, Mass.; d. Feb. 25, 1902 at New York City; m. Oct. 6, 1852 John Adriance, b. Oct. 6, 1852 at NYC.

Issue: John Sabin Adriance b. Feb.18, 1861; Isaac Adriance b. Oct. 1862, d. 1887; Henry Benton Adriance b. Aug. 5, 1866; and Dr. Vanderpool Adriance b. May 13, 1869. From a clipping, it would seem that none of her children survived her.

3285. Sophia Sabin; d. before 1900; unm.

3286. Ruth Benjamin Sabin b. July 26, 1836 at Williamstown, Mass.; d. March 15, 1874 at Macon, France; m. Jan. 25, 1865 Fredrick D. Leake b. Nov. 28, 1816; d. May 22, 1898 at Williamstown, Mass.

3287. Elizabeth Esther Sabin b. August 26, 1839; d. March 10, 1910; m. April 19, 1877 Fredrick D. Leake, widower of her sister, as his third wife.

3288. Charles Dwight Sabin b. July 22, 1840 at Williamstown, Mass.; m. Sept. 18, 1890 at New Lebanon, NY to Susan Gould Tilden, b. Dec. 6, 1855 at New Lebanon, N.Y. Issue: Elizabeth Tilden Sabin b. Oct. 9, 1892 at Pittsfield, Mass.; Charles Dwight Sabin Jr. b. Dec. 14, 1894 at New York City.

3289. Nathan Henry Sabin; m. May 15, 1878 Hattie Jones and had a dau. Ruth Mary Sabin b. March 6, 1880.

3290. Abigail (Abbie) Benjamin Sabin b. April 26, 1847 at Williamstown, Mass.; m. 1871 Joseph Benjamin. (For her carry down, see #3248.)

Resources: p. 563 Desc. of John Whitman of Weymouth, Mass. Farnam, 1889; p. 188 Vol.109 N.E. Hist. and Gen. Register; Vol. 25 p. 123 DAR Lineage Book; Letters to Dr. Wilson from Lucy (Benjamin) Perry and Abbie (Benjamin) Sabin.

1567. REV. NATHAN BENJAMIN[7] (Nathan[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born December 14, 1811 at Catskill, New York; the son of Nathan and Ruth (Seymour) Benjamin; died January 27, 1855, age 44 at Constantinople, Turkey of typus fever. He married Mary Gladding Wheeler on April 25, 1836 at New York City. She was a descendant of Capt. Wheeler of Concord and a dau. of Samuel and Emma (Gladding) Wheeler. She was born March 14, 1814 at Providence, Rhode Island and died March 5, 1871 at Medford, Mass.

His father died when he was 2 years old, and his family then moved to Williamstown, Mass. He graduated from Williams College in 1831 and studied theology for two years at Auburn, N.Y. and medicine at New Haven, Conn. and graduated from Andover University in 1834. He was ordained at Williamstown on April 21, 1836, was married, and left in December of that year for Smyrna, Turkey to be a missionary. In 1845 they returned to the U.S. because of his wife's health, but in Oct. 1846 they returned to Smyrna. He then took charge of the Board's printing press. He edited a newspaper at Constantinope, where he died. His family returned to America, where his last child was born.

Children of Nathan and Mary (Wheeler) Benjamin:

*3291. Samuel Gladding (?Green) Wheeler Benjamin b. February 13, 1837 at Argos, Greece.

3292. Henry Sabin Benjamin b. October 29, 1838 at Athens, Greece; d. November 21, 1839.

*3293. Frances Seymour Benjamin b. February 19, 1840.

3294. Margaret Hanford Benjamin b. January 27, 1842 at Athens, Greece; d. April 11, 1855 at Constantinople, Turkey.

*3295. Charles Alfred Benjamin b. November 4, 1843 at Athens, Greece.

3296. Sarah Benjamin bc. 1844; d. November 10, 1848, age 4-2-25 (gs) and is buried in the cemetery on the Van der Bogart Farm in Danby, Tompkins Co., N.Y.

3297. Mary Emma Benjamin b. March 15, 1851 at Smyrna, Turkey; d. April 26, 1854 at Constantinople.

3298. Martha or Nathan Benjamin b. September 25, 1855 at Valatie, New York; d. January 12, 1856.

Resources: p. 563 Desc. of John Whitman of Weymouth, Mass, Farnam, 1889; Wilson Papers, which inclued letters from Mary G. (Wheeler) Benjamin to Mary (Perry) Ford via Betty Ford of E. Aurora, N.Y.; Am. Gen. Biog. Index; Tree Talks Dec. 1966 p. 190.

1569. IRA BENJAMIN[7] (Ira[6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 3, 1793 at Newburgh, New York; the son of Ira and Elizabeth (Humphrey) Benjamin; died June 2/5, 1874 , age 81, at Newburgh, Orange Co., New York. He is buried in the Green wood Cemetery at Brooklyn, New York. He married Elizabeth Adams of Sussex, New Jersey on June 19, 1813 at Deckertown Sussex Co., New Jersey (vr), the dau. of Lewis Adams. She was born 1795 and died July 17, 1867 at St. Louis, Missouri, at the home of her dau. She is buried with her husband.

He is listed in the 1840 census of Newburgh, N.Y.

Children of Ira and Elizabeth (Adams) Benjamin:

3299. Ira Benjamin.

3300. Mary Benjamin.

3301. Martha Benjamin; m. John Hagen; resided in Newburgh

*3302. John L. Benjamin b. January 23, 1817.

*3303. Lewis Adams Benjamin b. September 12, 1818 at Deckertown, New Jersey.

3304. Richard Benjamin; m. June 17, 1845 Susan Jane Seacord (Seacor) b. 1817; d. 1861; and buried in the First Methodist Church Cem. at New Rochelle, Westchester Co., N.Y.

3305. Sarah Benjamin b. 1822; d. September 21, 1875 at St. Louis, Missouri; m/1 Grimes DuBois who d. 1852; m/2 --- Veitch. It was she who purchased the cemetery lot in Brooklyn, New York. She is buried there, also.

3306. Jane Benjamin.
3307. Julia Benjamin; died Nov. 4, 1901; m. Oct. 19, 1852 Benjamin S. Fullerton at the Dutch Reform Church in New York City b. 1828, d. May 10, 1878.
*3308. Gabriel P. Benjamin.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Records of Richard N. Benjamin of Westview, New Jersey; Vol. 72 p. 243-4 N. Y. Biog. and Gen. Records.

1570. MALINDA BENJAMIN[7] (Ira[6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born 1794-1800; the dau. of Ira and Betsey (Humphrey) Benjamin. She married Major Ives (Iles) of Springfield, Illinois.

Children of Major --- and Malinda (Benjamin) Ives:
3309. Thomas Ives.
3310. Louise Ives.

Resources: Wilson Papers, which included a letter from H. E. Pearce.

1571. ELIZA BENJAMIN[7] (Ira[6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born January 7, 1806 in Lima, New York; the dau. of Ira and Elizabeth (Humphrey) Benjamin. She married Aldrich Wiley on January 23, 1822 at Livonia, New York. He was born October 23, 1796 at Dalton, Mass.

Children of Aldrich and Eliza (Benjamin) Wiley:
3311. Malinda Ives (Iles) Wiley b. January 14, 1823 in New York; m. March 4, 1841 Athelstan W. Smith, b. Aug. 7, 1813, d. July 5, 1879 at Springwater, New York.
3312. Susan Wiley b. September 25, 1824; d. Oct. 23, 1825
3313. Lucy Wiley b. April 22, 1831 at Lima, N.Y.; d. Feb. 15, 1833.
3314. George Aldrich Wiley b. July 19, 1840; d. May 31, 1842 at Springwater, N.Y.

Resource: Wilson Papers.

?1577. NATHAN CALVIN BENJAMIN[7] (Josiah[6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born March 12, 1805, at probable, E. Boomfield, New York; the son of Josiah and Lucy (Adams) Benjamin. (Note: Dr. Wilson had him as a son of Merchant Benjamin, who was a son of Peleg Benjamin--see #1392.) He died June 28, 1863 and married Mary Ann Kline. She was born August 14, 1808.

Children of Nathan C. and Mary Ann (Kline) Benjamin:
*3315. George Calvin Benjamin b. March 21, 1828.
3316. Julia A. Benjamin b. November 9, 1829; d. January 7, 1834.
3317. John M. Benjamin b. July 20, 1832; m. Damia Lamson on October 9, 1856 at Egremont, Mass. (vr). They had dau. Alice Benjamin b. at Sheffield, Mass.

3318. Francis W. Benjamin b. September 22, 1834; m. Mary Cameron, but had no children. He was a physcian in California.

3319. Mary J. Benjamin b. September 7, 1835; m. H. O. Bedell and resided in Jackson, Michigan. Issue: Delia Bedell and Maud Bedell, both b. in Jackson, Michigan.

3320. Cordelia Ann Benjamin b. April 29, 1838; m. B. Frank Baldwin at S. Egremont, Mass.

*3321. James Monroe (McInroe) Benjamin b. August 26, 1843.

3322. Foster Kline (Levi F. on b. rec.) Benjamin b. August 24, 1846 at Egremont, Mass. (vr); m. Martha Patterson at S. Egremont. If his name was Foster Kline, it would reinforce the correctness of the placement of this line!

?3323. Charles Benjamin b. June 21, 1855 at S. Egremont.

Resources: Records of Dr. Wilson; Vital Records of Egremont, Mass.

1578. HIRAM BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 8, 1804 at E. Bloomfield, New York; the son of John and Asenath (Wright) Benjamin; died February 12, 1860 at Pine Run, Genesse Co., Michigan. He m/1 Mary Porter on April 17, 1828, the dau. of Stephen and Elizabeth (---) Porter, and the widow of Gilbert Porter. She was born 1800-10. He m/2 Belinda Lewis on November 16, 1853 at Flint, Michigan.

Hiram was admitted to church membership in West Bloomfield, N.Y. and was listed in a census at Washington Twp., Macomb Co., Michigan.

He had 4 sons and 2 daus.

Children of Hiram and Mary (Porter) Benjamin:

3324. John Benjamin; resided in Flint, Michigan.

3325. Luther Benjamin; resided in DeMoines, Iowa.

3326. Hiram Benjamin; died 1828 in Mendon, Monroe Co., NY MIGHT perhaps be their first child.

Resources: Wilson Papers; p. 32 and 125 Early Settlers of New York State, Foley.

1579. ELISHA BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born July 2, 1806 at East Bloomfield, New York; the son of John and Asenath (Wright) Benjamin; died August 15, 1849, age of 43 yrs., at Avon, Oakland Co., Michigan. He married Lucinda Stempson (Stimpson) on July 4, 1832 at Mendon, New York. She was born in 1814 and died May/August 10, 1842 at Avon, Michigan.

Elisha moved to Michigan about 1833. His will was probated on August 15, 1849 at Oakland Co., Michigan. In Vol. 1 p. 72 (Probate Records) the heirs are named: George William, Melvin, and Almira. In Vol. 1 p. 73, the mother

is now also dead, and in Vol. 2 p. 42, their Uncle John Benjamin is named guardian for the children.

Children of Elisha and Lucinda (Stempson) Benjamin:

3327. John L. Benjamin b. July 24, 1833 at Avon, Michigan d. before 1900; m. Jane R. Lufkin.

3328. Almira Benjamin b. August 24, 1834 at Avon; m. June 30, 1855 Clement J. Kemp in Michigan. He d. March 21, 1878 at Ferndale, California. She m/2 August 17, 1881 Stephen C. Benjamin. No issue of either marriage.

3329. Almanda Benjamin b. December 31, 1835 at Avon. Not named in her father's will.

*3330. William Reilly Benjamin b. March 13, 1839 at Avon.

3331. George Benjamin b. June 2, 1837; d. October 25, 1857 at Royal Oak, Michigan.

*3332. Melvin Elisha Benjamin b. August 10, 1841 at Avon, Michigan.

Resource: Letter to Dr. Wilson from Mrs. Almira (Benjamin) Kemp Benjamin, dated 1889.

1580. JOHN L. BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born April 19, 1809 at Mendon, Monroe Co., New York; the son of John and Asenath (Wright) Benjamin. He married Ruth Ann Warner on December 10, 1835 at Farmington, Michigan.

He left home when he was quite young and went to Michigan.

Children of John and Ruth (Warner) Benjamin:

3333. John Benjamin. He had a son John, who was m. in Royal Oaks, Michigan in 1905.

Resoures: Letter from the son of John Benjamin to Dr. Wilson in 1900; Hartford Times Jan. 14, 1961.

1687. SAMUEL HICKOK[7] (Hannah[6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 5, 1818 at East Blommfield, New York; the son of Dr. Henry Pell and Hannah (Benjamin) Hickok; died March 24, 1877. He married Eliza Wiley on November 16, 1842 at Springwater, New York. She was born January 6, 1823 at Springwater.

Children of Samuel and Eliza (Wiley) Hickok:

3334. Henry Horatio Hickok b. November 6, 1843 at Canadice, Livingston Co., N.Y.

3335. George Wiley Hickok b. October 6, 1845 at Geneceo, Illinois.

3336. Mary Eliza Hickok b. November 17, 1847 at Silver Lake, Michigan.

3337. Samuel Robert Allen Hickok b. June 23, 1850 at Silver Lake, Michigan.

3338. Harriet Elizabeth Hickok b. December 13, 1851 at Canadice, N.Y.

3339. Emma Sophronia Hickok b. June 10, 1854 at Canadice.
3340. Sarah Jane Hickok b. April 2, 1861; d. Feb. 13, 1864.
3341. John Wiley Hickok b. March 14, 1866 at Canadice, NY

Resource: Letter to Dr. Wilson from H. E. Pearce.

1723. DANIEL BENJAMIN[7] (Stephen[6], Obed[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born December 1, 1782 at Gaspereau, Nova Scotia, Canada; the son of Stephen and Mary (Parker) Benjamin. He died 1854 at Pughwash, Candada. He married Jane McNab at Pughwash on May 8, 1821, the dau. of Peter McNab. She was born at Perth Co., Scotland and d. at Pughwash May 12, 1893.

Daniel moved to Pughwash, where he "engaged in the timber trade and land speculation" with the strong objections of his family. Daniel and his brohter, Nathaniel, as young unmarried men, are listed in The History of Annapolis (calnek-Savary) with the first grantees of New Albany on the Nictaux River in 1806. Daniel also purchased 1030 acres of woodland on March 8, 1814 at Gay's River, Colchester Co. He was considered the leading citizen of Pugwash and in addition operated a large farm and established a tannery and grist mill near the present railroad station and later a second tannery on Water Street at King Street, near Cyrus Eaton's ancestral home. He apparently acted as village banker and had considerable funds in local morgages and property.

Children of Daniel and Jane (McNab) Benjamin:

3342. Mary Ann Benjamin; died age 79 years.
3343. John Eddington Benjamin; m. Melessa Bordon b. 1824, d. 1922, and had no issue.
3344. Nathaniel Benjamin b. 1824; d. 1865 in California.
3345. Henrietta Benjamin b. 1831; d. Aug. 6, 1909.
3346. Lavenia C. Benjamin b. 1835; d. March 17, 1860.
3347. Daniel Benjamin Jr.; m. Adelia A. Manning b. Sept. 9, 1852, dau. of Benjamin W.C. and Waity (Newcomb) Manning. He was killed by Indians in West Canada and she m/2 Thomas Keefler. Daniel's estate was probated Mar. 3, 1887 in Lunenburg Co. Nova Scotia and was called "late of W. Bridgewater" and the petition was made by his widow, Adelia. Her bond smen were C. Manning and Charles Goucher. In March 26, 1904, heirs-in-law of Daniel sold land in order to clear an inheritance problem to Stephen P. Benjamin. They were named: Mrs. Lena Davison, wife of Archie F. of Bridgewater; Vera Benjamin, spinster; Frank Benjamin of Everett, Mass.; and S. Edgar Benjamin of Millbury, Mass.
*3348. Stephen Peter Benjamin b. January 28, 1837.
3349. Elizabeth Benjamin; m. Andrew Peers.
*3350. James Benjamin b. October 12, 1846.
3351. Abraham Benjamin b. 1853; d. 1888 at Pughwash, Nova

Scotia, Canada.

Resources: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia by R. Allen Benjamin, 1973; p. 408 Newcomb Gen.

1725. SARAH BENJAMIN[7] (Stephen[6], Obed[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born June 5, 1786 at Gaspereau, Nova Scotia, Canada; the dau. of Stephen and Molly (Pike) Benjamin. She died December 6, 1865 at Ouaco, New Brunswick, Canada. She married on April 21, 1809 Johanson Allen.

Children of Johanson and Sarah (Benjamin) Allen:

3352. Mary Jane Allen b. March 27, 1810; d. Apr. 6, 1886, unm.
3353. Daniel Allen b. May 28, 1811; d. Feb. 3, 1874, unm.
3354. Stephen Allen b. November 6, 1812; d. July 30, 1865 unm.
3355. Salome Allen b. January 18, 1814.
3356. Claricy Allen b. December 16, 1816; d. 1884; m. Benjamin Duncanson.
3357. Lavinia Allen b. May 1, 1819; d. July 22, 1903; m. James Anderson Sr.
3358. Joseph Allen b. July 26, 1821; d. in the United States.
3359. Perez Martin Allen b. May 12, 1823.

Resource: Obediah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, R. Allen Benjamin, 1973.

1726. WILLIAM BENJAMIN[7] (Stephen[6], Obed[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born July 8, 1788 at Gaspereau, Nova Scotia, Canada; the son of Stephen and Molly (Pike) Benjamin. He died February 23, 1848. He married Rebecca Davidson on March 26, 1817, the dau. of Nathan and Martha (Fish) Davidson and was born in 1798 and died in 1882.

Children of William and Rebecca (Davidson) Benjamin:

3360. Hiram Benjamin b. April 23, 1819; d. July 31, 1851; unm.
3361. Nathaniel Benjamin b. July 27, 1821; d. January 31, 1884; m. Mary Coldwell Kinnie; no issue.
3362. Nancy Benjamin b. 1823; d. July 6, 1860.
*3364. Martha Amelia Benjamin b. 1862.
*3365. Moria Ann Benjamin b. 1830.
3366. Sarah Benjamin b. 1832; d. before 1859.
3367. Rebecca Benjamin b. 1832; m. February 25, 1855 to Abner Reid; moved to Atlantic, Mass. and had 5 children.
*3368. Sophia Delight Benjamin b. 1838.
3369. Marsden Lowden Benjamin b. 1840; d. September 6, 1899; m. Sarah Jane Davidson.
*3370. Douglas Woodworth Benjamin b. 1844.

Resources: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, R. Allen Ben-

jamin, 1973; p. 737 Desc. of John Whitman of Weymouth, Mas Farnam, 1889.

1730. ABRAHAM BENJAMIN[7] (Stephen[6], Obed[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born April 6, 1798; the son of Stephen and Molly (Pike) Benjamin; died in 1875. He married Sarah D. Tuttle, the dau. of James Tuttle. She was born in 1821 at Wallace, Nova Scotia and died October 16, 1907.

Children of Abraham and Sarah (Tuttle) Benjamin:
3371. Mary Jane Benjamin b. January 22, 1855; d. 1911.
3372. child, who died young.
3373. Abraham Benjamin; m. Annie Elizabeth Angrvine (Amevine?) and had 6 children.
3374. Hannah Amelia Benjamin.
3375. Hbt. (?Herbert) Benjamin.
3376. William Benjamin.
3377. Carrie Benjamin.

Resource: Tuttle-Tuthill Line, Tuttle, 1968

1731. LUCY BENJAMIN[7] (Stephen[6], Obed[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born June 6, 1800; the dau. of Stephen and Molly (Pike); died May 13, 1868. She married James Pitts, the son of Thomas and Ann (Cleveland) Pitts.

Children of James and Lucy (Benjamin) Pitts:
3378. Elizabeth Pitts; d. 1871; m. Henry Lawrence.
3379. James Pitts Jr.
3380. Thomas Pitts.
3381. Olive Pitts.
3382. Benjamin Pitts.

Resource: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, R. Allen Benjamin, 1973.

1732. LAVINIA BENJAMIN[7] (Stephen[6], Obed[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born September 17, 1802; the dau. of Stephen and Molly (Pike) Benjamin; died January 19, 1850. She married Cyrus Hiram Davidson, the son of Nathan and Martha (Fish) Davidson.

Children of Cyrus H. and Lavinia (Benjamin) Davidson:
3383. Harriet Olivia Davidson; m. Wilbur Davidson.
3384. Eliza Davidson b. 1833; d. 1922; m. Jehiel Davidson
3385. Amelia Davidson b. 1835; d. December 16, 1874; m. Jehiel A. Duncanson.

Resource: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia; R. Allen Benjamin, 1973.

1733. STEPHEN BENJAMIN JR.[7] (Stephen[6], Obed[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born June 25, 1805 at Gaspereau, Horton Township, Nova Scotia, Canada; the son of Stephen and Molly (Pike) Benjamin; died June 28, 1880. His gravestone says d. 1883.

He married Anna Schofield.

Stephen moved from the Gaspereau Valley up the mountain to Black River and built a house and cleared land about 1825. His house was still standing in 1973, though in poor condition.

Children of Stephen and Anna (Schofield) Benjamin:

*3386. Gordon (Gerden) Benjamin b. May 20, 1829.

*3387. Allen Elijah Benjamin b. April 5, 1834.

*3388. Michael Leander Benjamin b. October 7, 1836 at White Rock, Nova Scotia.

Resources: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, R. Allen Benjamin, 1973.

1734. EBENEZER BENJAMIN[7] (Caleb[6], Obed[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born February 10, 1785 at Gaspereau, Nova Scotia, Canada; the son of Caleb and Lucy (Coldwell) Benjamin; died April 16, 1853. He married Elizabeth Pineo and she died November 13, 1823 at Wilmot, Nova Scotia.

Ebenezer received a land grant on Jan. 2, 1810, which states that he had "a wife and 2 children".

Children of Ebenezer and Elizabeth (Pineo) Benjamin:

3389. chid; apparently died young.

3390. William Benjamin; m. Mary Nowlin, dau. of Patrick and Sarah (Eagles) Nowlin. Issue: Willard Benjam in who d. age 52 and m. Soffie DeMont; Ebenezer Benjamin who d. Apr. 8, 1883 and m. Rebecca --- Rebecca was appt. administrix with H.C. Vaughn for her husband's estate on Oct. 3, 1885. The appraisal was done by Irad Benjamin and Russell Colwell, and was worth $100. for personal and $200. for real estate and had a homestead, lot, stable, and river front.; possibly Robert Benjanin; possibly John Benjamin; Rachel Benjamin.

Resource: Obediah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, R. Allen Benjamin, 1973.

1736. ELEANOR BENJAMIN[7] (Caleb[6], Obed[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born in 1788 at Gaspereau, Nova Scotia, the dau. of Caleb and Lucy (Coldwell) Benjamin; died May 5, 1860. She married William Duncanson on December 17, 1808. He was the son of James and Isabella (---) Duncanson and was born in 1780 and died in 1868. William is buried in the cemetery at Wolfville and the grave is marked "Duncan" on the first line and "son" on the second.

Four sons and one dau. emigrated to Wisconsin and Minnesota as settlers in the mid 1880's.

Children of William and Eleanor (Benjamin) Duncanson:

3391. Benjamin Duncanson b. July 16, 1809; m. Clarissa Allen, the dau. of Jonathan and Sarah (Benjamin)

Allen b. 1816 and d. 1884. They had 9 children.

3392. Eunice Duncanson b. 1810 at Gaspereau; d. 1871 in Wisconsin; m. Robert Harvey, b. Oct. 20, 1806, d. 1886; had 10 children.

3393. Jacob Duncanson b. July 30, 1813 at Gaspereau; d. Jan. 29, 1883 at Nashville, Minn.; m. Sarah A. Dodge on Nov. 7, 1838. She b. March 6, 1819 and d. April 4, 1884 at Nashville.

3394. Thomas Duncanson; died young.

3395. Thomas Duncanson b. at Gaspereau; m/1 Marjory Toy on Nov. 22, 1843. She d. Apr. 16, 1853. He m/2 Mrs. Ann Davison Bishop on Nov. 17, 1856, the widow of Grandison Bishop and dau. of Stephen and Elizabeth (Wolf) Davison. Thomas remained in Nova Scotia.

3396. William Duncanson b. March 5, 1825 at Horton, d. Dec. 8, 1900 at Lewiston, Minn.; m. Rebecca A. Dodge on Feb. 21, 1884. She b. Sept. 21, 1823 and d. Apr. 17, 1902.

3397. Jeremiah Duncanson b. October 10, 1827 at Horton; d. Sept. 17, 1909 at St. Paul, Minn.; m/1 Mary Kinney and had 7 children; m/2 Anna Marie Etter, b. Sept. 29, 1845, d. Oct. 15, 1933; had 6 child.

Resource: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia; R. Allen Benjamin; 1973.

1738. CALEB BENJAMIN[7] (Caleb[6], Obed[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born 1790 in Gaspereau, Nova Scotia, Canada; the son of Caleb and Lucy (Coldwell) Benjamin; died January 14, 1867. He married Lucilla Eagles, the dau. of Stephen and Eunice (Coldwell) Eagles. She was born about 1815 and died 1875.

Children of Caleb and Lucilla (Eagles) Benjamin:

3398. Eunice Benjamin; m. Louis Boone.

3399. Emma Benjamin; m. Henry Barnaby.

3400. Lydia Benjamin; m. Charles Dunham.

3401. Sophie Benjamin; m. Charles Dunham.

3402. Edwin Benjamin; m. Mary Reid.

3403. James Benjamin; died young.

3404. Lorenzo Byron Benjamin b. 1856, d. 1924, m. Edith Augusta Dunham b. 1859, d. 1943. Had dau. Ella Maud Benjamin b. 1885, d. 1947, m. Albert Blois.

3405. three girls, who died young.

Resource: Obediah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, R. Allen Benjamin, 1973.

1739. LYDIA BENJAMIN[7] (Caleb[6], Obed[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born 1791 at Gaspereau, Nova Scotia, Canada; the dau. of Caleb and Lucy (Coldwell) Benjamin; died September 8, 1819. She married Jedediah Jordon on July 7, 1813. He was the son of Jedediah and Asenath (Bill) Jordon and was born Decem-

ber 21, 1786.

Children of Jedediah and Lydia (Benjamin) Jordon:
3406. Eunice Jordon b. Aug. 19, 1876, d. 1897; unm.
3407. Thomas Jordon b. Aug. 16, 1818; d. 1915; m. Jane Robinson.
3408. Michael Jordon b. Oct. 12, 1821; m. Olivia Eagles b. May13, 1820.
3409. Andrew Jordon b. Oct. 28, 1823; d. Aug. 6, 1896; m. Ruby Eagles b. 1829, d. 1900.
3410. Jehiel Jordon b. 1825?
3411. Jacob Jordon; moved to Australia.
3412. Lydia Orinda Jordon b. Mar. 27, 1833; m. Mariner Cleveland.
3413. Grandison Jordon b. Jan. 11, 1830; m. Nancy Cleveland. He had a son John Jordon who m. Mary Benjamin, dau. of Nathan and Nancy (Westcott) Benjamin. (See # 3415.)

Resource: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, R. Allen Benjamin, 1973.

1742. PEREZ MARTIN BENJAMIN[7] (Abel[6], Obed[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born October 23, 1791 at Gaspereau, Nova Scotia, Canada; the son of Abel and Eunice (Rand) Benjamin; died August 4, 1850 at Horton, Nova Scotia. He married Sarah Stevens on April 19, 1815, the dau. of Moses and Ann (Minor) Stevens. She was born 1795 and died 1875.

Perez was a member of the Legislative Assembly of the Providence of Nova Scotia from Horton from 1836 thru 1840 and again in 1843 thru 1847. In October 1816 he became a mason in the St. George Lodge in Horton.

Children of Perez and Sarah (Stevens) Benjamin:
*3414. Irad Benjamin b. October 23, 1816.
3415. Nathan Benjamin b. June 20, 1819; d. May 28, 1900; m/1 Nancy Westcott; m/2 Widow Mary E. Larkin. In will #136 at Kentville, Kings Co., Nova Scotia, Nathan Benjamin, farmer of Horton, was granted on June 28, 1900 with executors named as Nathaniel Owen Benjamin and Freeman E. Coldwell. He names son Freeman, son Perez, dau. Lucinda, wife of John Hayward, wife Mary E., and dau. Mary, wife of John Jordon. When the will was proved in 1910 Mary Jordon was dead and 4 Jordon children were named: Alice, age 20; Ruie, age 17, Kevin, age 5; and Harry, age 10 mos.
3416. Eunice Benjamin; m/1 Marshall Thompson; m/2 David Coldwell; m/3 Nathaniel Randall.
3417. Sarah Benjamin; m. Joseph Eagles.
3418. Harriet Benjamin b. 1826, d. Apr. 5, 1890; m. Charles Coldwell.
3419. Perez Benjamin.
3420 Samuel Benjamin.

3421. James Benjamin; perhaps d. 1838 and buried in Wolfville, Nova Scotia.

Resource: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia; R. Allen Benjamin, 1973.

1746. EUNICE BENJAMIN[7] (Abel[6], Obed[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born July 11, 1799 at Gaspereau, Nova Scotia, Canada; the dau. of Abel and Eunice (Rand) Benjamin; died August 18, 1884 at St. Andrews, New Brunswick, Candada. She married Caleb Eaton on September 27, 1826. He was born November 15, 1787 and died January 4, 1863 at Deer Island, Canada. He was a sea captain and had m/1 Jane Rand, an aunt of his second wife.

Children of Caleb and Eunice (Benjamin) Eaton:

3422. Eunice Eaton b. June 27, 1828; m. 1849 Nehemiah Lord.
3423. Elizabeth Eaton b. Dec. 11, 1830; d. Sept. 15, 1837
3424. Abel Benjamin Eaton b. Oct. 13, 1833.
3425. Joanna Caroline Eaton b. Nov. 24, 1835; d. May 24, 1867; m. 1852 Patrick C. Gorman.
3426. Faynetty Charlotte Eaton b. Aug. 19, 1838; m. 1865 Jeddediah Crocker and had 6 children.
3427. Eliza Eaton b. Dec. 10, 1840; d. Sept. 19, 1842.

Resource: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia; R. Allen Benjamin, 1973.

1753. ELIZABETH BENJAMIN[7] (Jacob[6], Obed[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born February 19, 1797 at Gaspereau, Nova Scotia, Canada; the dau.of Jacob H. and Salome (Cleveland) Benjamin; died May 26, 1870. She married Samuel Westcott Jr on Novmeber 16, 1815. He was born January 18, 1789 and died June 22, 1849

Children of Samuel and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Westcott:

3428. Lelititia Westcott b. Oct. 31, 1816; m. William Hugh Mitchell and resided in Grand Pre.
3429. Lucinda Westcott b. Mar. 11, 1818; m. Daniel Allen of Gaspereau.
3430. Jacob Benjamin Westcott b. Mar. 13, 1820; m/1 Martha Dorman; m/2 Lydia Coldwell.
3431. Robert Westcott b. 1828; m. Moria Benjamin, dau. of William Benjamin (see #3365.).
3432. Nancy Westcott b. April 30, 1823; d. July 1, 1871; m. Nathan Benjamin, son of Perez Martin Benjamin. (See #3415).
3433. Sarah Westcott b. Feb. 4, 1833; m. Daniel Miner.
3434. Susan Westcott; m. Capt. James Lawrence of Hantsport.

Resource: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, R. Allen Benjamin, 1973.

1754. PARNEL (PARNEY) BENJAMIN[7] (Jacob[6], Obed[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born April 26, 1799 at Gaspereau, Nova Scotia, Canada; the dau. of Jacob H. and Salome (Cleveland) Benjamin; died August 18, 1875. She married Theodore Reid, who was born in 1799 and died October 8, 1855.

Children of Theodore and Parnel (Benjamin) Reid:

3435. Abner Reid; m. Rebecca Benjamin on Feb. 25, 1855.
3436. Jacob Reid.
3437. Ann Reid; m. --- Horner and d. Before Mar. 1883;
3438. Jerusha Reid.
3439. Mary Elizabeth Reid b. 1826; d. 1916; m. Silas Davidson.

Resource: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, R. Allen Benjamin, 1973.

1755. EZKIEL BENJAMIN[7] (Jacob[6], Obed[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born April 1, 1801 at Horton Twp., Kings Co., Nova Scotia, Canada; the son of Jacob and Salome (Cleveland) Benjamin; died March 1, 1893. He m/1 in 1824 Sarah Ann Davidson. She was born in 1803 and died January 1827, age 24. He m/2 October 26, 1827 Phoebe Illsley, the dau. of Randal and Phoebe Margaret (Kinnie) Illsley. She was b. May 9, 1807 and died February 24, 1887.

He had 9 children and was a farmer at Gaspereau.

Children of Ezkiel and Phoebe (Illsley) Benjamin:

3440. Charles Thompson Benjamin b. May 27, 1829; d. 1910; unm.; a firerman; resided at Long Island, N.S.
*3441. William Andrew Benjamin b. August 15, 1831.
3442. Sarah Elizabeth Benjamin b. Jan. 13, 1843; d. Mar. 1909; m. Nov. 26, 1857 Charles E. Pope; painter; resided in Boston, Mass.; 6 children.
3443. Augusta Elmira Benjamin b. Nov. 5, 1835; d. Dec. 11 1922; m. Russell Coldwell, son of David Coldwell.
3444. Salome Ann Fancy Benjamin b. June 15, 1837; d. 1923; m. Henry Eagles. He d. Feb. 1874, lost at sea. They had 8 children. She m/2 Albert Forsyth.
3445. Rebecca Sophia Benjamin b. April 13, 1839; d. Oct. 20, 1910; m. March 24, 1857 John L. Gertridge. They had 7 children; he was a farmer at Gaspereau
3446. Nancy Amanda Benjamin b. July 29, 1841; m. Sept. 7, 1859 Edward Newton Bishop; had 8 children; a farmer at Highbury, Horton Twp., N.S.
3447. Mary Glorinda Benjamin b. July 3, 1844; d.July 8, 1877; m. Daniel Dorman and resided in Boston, Mas
3448. Eunice Sophront Adelia Delight Benjamin b. August 5, 1850; d. July 24, 1863.

Resources: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia; Robert Allen Benjamin, 1973.

1756. NANCY BENJAMIN[7] (Jacob[6] Obed[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born February 10, 1803; the dau. of Jacob and Salome (Cleveland) Benjamin; died before 1883. She married John Banks, the son of Thomas Wheeler and Sarah (Wheelock) Banks.

Children of John and Nancy (Benjamin) Baks:
3449. Ezekiel Cleveland Banks; of Waterville.
3450. Jacob Benjamin Banks; m. J.W. H. Balcom; resided at Nectaux Falls.
3451. Ingrahm B. Banks; of lower Stewiacke.

1758. AGNES E. BENJAMIN[7] (Jacob[6], Obed[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born March 28, 1801 at Gaspereau, Nova Scotia, Canada; the dau. of Jacob and Salome (Cleveland) Benjamin. She married Hiram Coldwell.

Children of Hiram and Agnes (Benjamin) Coldwell:
3452. Henry Coldwell b. 1835.
3453. Obed Coldwell b. 1838.
3454. Amanella Coldwell.
3455. Mary Coldwell.
3456. Nancy Coldwell.
3457. Cyrus Coldwell.

Resource: Obediah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, Robert Allen Benjamin, 1973.

1759. JAMES HARVEY BENJAMIN[7] (Jacob[6], Obed[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born September 3, 1806 at Gaspereau, Nova Scotia, Canada; the son of Jacob and Salome (Cleveland) Benjamin; died April 28, 1890 at Gay's River, Colchester Co., Nova Scotia, Canada. He married Mary Jane McHeffey, the dau. of Daniel McHeffey. She was born in 1821 died December 27, 1896. Family history says he traveled to Gay's River in 1837. Here he eloped with Mary Jane, and lived with his relatives at Gaspereau until Mary Jane's mother and two sisters died of fever in 1837. After her mother's death, the farm was divided between Mary Jane and her sister, Anna, and Mary Jane and James moved to Gay's River. Gay's River, at this time, was an important junction on the road to Halifax and Pictou, with excellent marshlands, wooded uplands, and good farm lands. James showed much of his grand father's ambition and expanded the farm and established a lumber mill.

Children of James H. and Mary J. (McHeffey) Benjamin:
3458. James H. Benjamin b. 1841; d.Jan. 1917 in Calif.
*3459. Henry A. Benjamin b. 1841.
3460. Sabra (Sadie) Benjamin b. Feb. 18, 1858; d. 1908; m. John Layton and had no issue.
*3461. Robert Edwin Benjamin b. Dec. 7, 1847.
3462. Emily Ann Benjamin b. 1854; m. Lawrence Marks and had no issue.
3463. Sarah Jane Benjamin; m. George Annand; had 3 child.

*3464. Alfred E. Benjamin b. March 22, 1862.
3465. Perthenia Luella Benjamin; d. Apr. 14, 1868, age 6 mos.

Resource: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Soctia, Robert Allen Benjamin, 1973.

1761. OBEDIAH BENJAMIN[7] (Jacob[6], Obed[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born March 1, 1815 at Horton Township, Kings Co., Nova Scotia, Canada; the son of Jacob and Salome (Cleveland) Benjamin; died April 5, 1873. He married October 27, 1846 to Eunice Rebecca Davidson. She was born December 3, 1827 and died February 8, 1886.

Children of Obed and Rebecca (Davidson) Benjamin:
3466. Eliza Jane Benjamin b. November 27, 1848; d. Nov. 21, 1860.
3467. Alzina M. Benjamin b. October 24, 1850; m. October 8, 1879 Freeman Coldwell and had son Ross Freeman Coldwell b. Sept. 20, 1881.
3468. Frederick N. Benjamin b. August 12, 1854; d. Nov. 27, 1860.
3469. Thomas D. Benjamin b. August 9, 1857; d. December 19, 1860.
3470. Cassie Almira Benjamin b. September 6, 1860; m. October 8, 1879 Edgar H. Davidson of Gaspereau.
3471. Adelia R. Benjamin b. June 3, 1863; d. April 4, 1870

Resources: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, R. Allen Benjamin, 1973; p. 735 Desc. of John Whitman of Weymouth, Mass., Farnam, 1889.

1779. CAPT. EPHRAIM BENJAMIN[7] (Asa[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born November 18, 1785 at Preston, Conn.; the son of Asa and Mary (Roath) Benjamin; died January 23, 1859, age 73 (gs) at Preston, Conn. (vr 8-12). He married Sarah (Sally Green on November 1, 1812 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-389). She was the dau. of Peter and Sarah (Davis) Green and was born in 1794 and died December 25, 1876, age 82 (gs) at Preston. They are both buried in the Norwich, Conn. Cem., lot #12-739. This is his father's lot.

He was a Democrat and prominent in public affairs, holding a number of offices. He was a 2nd Lt. under Paul Harvey, in the War of 1812 in the Conn. Militia and later attained the level of Captain in the Militia.

He and his wife testified for Mary, widow of Asa, in 1855. They stated she was Asa's widow and that they had gone to Asa's funeral and that they were well acquainted with him. He also said that Mary "now resides in said Preston and in the same house that I do". He didn't mention any relationship, nor did he claim ownership of the house.

Children of Ephraim and Sarah (Green) Benjamin:

*3472. George Green Benjamin b. July 11, 1812 at Preston.
*3473. Harriet Benjamin b. January 17, 1815 at Preston.
3474. Charles D. Benjamin b. February 21, 1817 at Preston d. September 6, 1860, age 42 (gs) at New Bedford, Mass. He was a captain of a whaling vessel and drowned in the harbour. He is buried in the same cem etery lot as his parents.
*3475. William Benjamin b. March 29, 1819 at Preston.
3476. Sarah Ann Benjamin b. March 29, 1819 at Preston, Conn.; m. October 22, 1850 Reuben Heath. He was b. Sept. 9, 1804, d. Nov. 11, 1893. He had m/1 Betsey Lamb in 1825. Issue: Charles R. Heath and Bessie Heath, who m. Herman Wolf of Mystic, Conn.
3477. Asa (Seth on b. rec.) Benjamin b. July 9, 1823 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-389); d. May 11, 1868 at Norwich, Conn. He was in the whaling business and died very suddenly. Some records indicate he was unmarried, though he might have m. Harriet Seymour,dau. of Henry and Laura (Porter) Seymour. She m/2 --- Kenyon.
3478. Mary Benjamin b. February17, 1826 at Preston; d. October 13, 1890; m. July 1852 George Washington Crandall, b. October 24, 1815 at New London, Conn d. Dec. 4, 1890 at New London, the son of Lewis and Bathsheba (Crandall) Crandall. Issue: Frank A. Crandall of Yonkers, N.Y. and Minnie Crandall m. M. J. Paul Strade of Rhode Island. This was his 4th marriage.
*3479. Edwin Benjamin b. September 3, 1833 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-384).

Resources: Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records; Barbour's Collection of Conn. Vital Records; Bromley Gen., Bromley, 1911; Conn. Militia in War of 1812; Avery Gen., Avery; Wilson Papers; p. 191-5 Rix Gen.; p. 262 Seymour Fam., Seymour; p. 128 Elder John Crandall and His Desc. Crandall, 1889; p. 179 Vol. 16 and p. 241 Vol. 20 DAR Lineage Books; Gen. and Biog Rec.of New London, Conn., Beers, 1905.

1783. ABEL BENJAMIN^{7} (Samuel^{6}, Abel^{5}, Obed^{4}, Joseph$^{3-2}$, John^{1}) born November 17, 1787 in Conn.; the son of Samuel and Polly (Kimball) Benjamin; died July 4, 1864, age 76-1-17, at Otsego, Otsego Co., New York. He married Achsah ---, who was born about 1803 in Conn.

He was a carpenter and was located in the 1830 and 1850 census records at Otsego, Otsego Co., New York. His will was probated June 1865 (Cooperstown Probate Records 13:247) with his wife Achsah and son Orson as executors. Nathaniel Hecox and David Hecox were witnesses, along with Oliver Bishop (who died before Abel), Malcom C. Bishop, (who moved to Minn.), and Andrew Losee. In May 1865 John Wiley, a person interested in the last will of Abel, asked

that the will be proved. It was settled December 1867.

Children of Abel and Achsah (---) Benjamin:
*3480. Orson Benjamin b. 1819 in Otsego Co., N.Y.
3481. 1 female b. 1810-15; perhaps died young, since she is not named in the will.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, NY; Census and Probate Records.

1785. SOLOMON BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) bor July 5, 1790 probably in Conn.; the son of Samuel and Mary (Kimball) Benjamin. His death date is unknown. He married Dorcas Hecox, who was born between 1790-1800.

He is located in the 1830 census at Pitsfield, Otsego Co., New York and in the 1840 census of Howard, Steuben Co., New York. In the 1891 Steuben Co. Directory, it says "Solomon Benjamin and Silas came from Schuyler Lake (Otsego Co.) to this town (Freemont) in 1835 and took up the farm now occupied by Silas and Ledrand H. Benjamin."

Children of Solomon and Dorcas (Hecox) Benjamin:
*3482. Silas Benjamin bc. 1813 in Otsego Co., N.Y.
3483. 1 female b. 1810-15.
3484. 1 male b. 1815-20.
3485. Louisa Benjamin bc. 1823/4; living with brother Silas in 1880; unm.
3486. 2 females b. 1820-25.
3487. 1 male b. 1820-25.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, NY

1792. JOHN BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born November 18, 1800 at Otsego Co., New York; the son of Samuel and Polly (Kimball) Benjamin; died June 27, 1892, age 91-7-9 (gs), at Welcome, New York. He married March 21, 1824 Achsah Gordon, who was born March 3, 1806 and died June 19, 1883 (gs). They are both buried at the Butternut Valley, also known as the Garretsville Cemetery, in Burlington, Otsego Co., New York.

He was a farmer and was in the 1830 and 1850 census at New Lisbon, Otsego Co., New York. According to census records, they had three children. In 1875 an Elizabeth Marsh, age 68, is residing with them, and is listed as a sister.

There are also some Gregory names listed on their grave stones.

Children of John and Achsah (Gordon) Benjamin:
3488. Caroline Benjamin b. September 29, 1825; d. 1895; buried in Burlington Flats, N.Y.; m. Ed. Talbot and had a son Frank Talbot.
3489. Lauren Benjamin b. March 12, 1828.
3490. Marcie Benjamin b. October 17, 1840, d. Aug. 1841.

3491. Martha A. Benjamin b. October 17, 1840, a twin, d. Feb. 14, 1892 (gs); m. July 3, 1856 James B. Gregory, son of James Gregory. He was b. Sept. 21, 1830, d. May 14, 1907 (gs). He was a teacher and farmer at Welcome, N.Y. They are both buried in the same lot as her parents. Issue:
Achsah Gregory; m. James B. Harrington.
George Adrain Gregory.
John B. Gregory; m. Addie Ruth Hollister.

3492. Achsah E. Gregory bc. 1857/9; was a grand dau., but also seems to be an adopted dau. (see above.)

3493. William Gorse Benjamin b. May 24, 1848 in England; the son of William and Mary (---) Gorse; was an adopted son. He died in 1920 (gs) and is buried in the same cemetery as John Benjamin and his grave stone carried the surname Benjamin. He married Elizabeth J. --- b. 1849 in Scotland. In letters of administration of his estate no children are listed, but he names his widow Lizzie J. and Emma Stratton and Lucy Hudson. He was adopted by John at about the age of 7 years.

Resources: Records of New Lisbon, N.Y. Town Clerk; p. 356 Anc. and Desc. of Henry Gregory, Gregory, 1938; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

1793. WILLIAM C. BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born September 13, 1804 at Otsego Co., New York; the son of Samuel and Polly (Kimball) Benjamin; died July 12, 1855 age 51 yrs. (gs). He married Elizabeth E. (Betsey) Richards, born about 1807 and died April 5, 1868, age 61 yrs. (gs). They are both buried in the Butternut Valley or also known as the Garretsville Cemtery at Burlington, Otsego Co., New York.

They are listed in the 1830, 1850, and 1855 census of New Lisbon, Otsego Co., New York.

Children of William and Elizabeth (Richards) Benjamin:

*3494. Samuel Smith Benjamin b. 1829 at Otsego Co., N.Y.

*3495. Rodolphus S. Benjamin b. 1830/1 at Otsego Co., NY

3496. Ezra Benjamin; d. 1837 and buried with parents.

3497. son (no dates) buried with parents.

*3498. Ezra M. Benjamin b. 1830 in Otsego Co., N.Y.

3499. Mary Benjamin b. 1841 in Otsego Co., N.Y.

3500. Sarah A. Benjamin b. 1845 in Otsego, N.Y.; d. 1926 (gs); m. Robert J. Pashley b. 1841, d. 1914 (gs); both are buried in the same cemetery as her parents.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, NY

?1796. ASA BENJAMIN[7] (Solomon[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born about 1786/7 in Conn. His death date is unknown.

He is the possible son of Solomon and Lucy (---) Benjamin. He married Lucinda ---, who was born about 1795 in New Y.

He was located in the 1830 census of Belfast Twp., Allegany Co., N.Y. and in the 1840 and 1850 census of New Hudson, Allegany Co., New York. It is because of this area that he is thought to be a son of Solomon.

Children of Asa and Lucinda (---) Benjamin:

3501. Horace Benjamin bc. 1819 in New York; apparently unm. in 1850.
*3502. 1 male b. 1820-25; perhaps Hiram Benjamin.
3503. Amos Benjamin bc. 1826; dc. September 16, 1881; perhaps unm.
*3504. Lee Benjamin bc. 1827 in N.Y.
3505. Martin Benjamin bc. 1831 in N.Y.
3506. 1 female b. 1815-20.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.; Census records.

1798. EPHRAIM BENJAMIN[7] (Solomon[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born about 1804 in Otsego Co., New York; the son of Solomon and Lucy (---) Benjamin. His death date is unknown. He seems to have been married twice. He m/1 Clarissa --- who was b. between 1800-10 and this marriage seems to have lasted until at least 1848. Then he m/2 Margaret Ann --- who was born in 1809.

Ephraim and wife Clarissa are recorded in the land records of Allegany Co., N.Y. in 1843 and 1848. He is listed in the 1830 census of Belfast Twp., Allegany Co., N.Y. in the 1850 census at New Hudson, Allegany Co., N.Y. Solomon, age 83 and b. in Conn. and Lucy, age 73, are living with him in the 1850 census. (Note: These census records are identical with those of the above Asa, hence the belief that he is also a son of Solomon's.)

Children of Ephraim and Clarissa (---) Benjamin:

3507. 1 male b. 1820-25.
3508. Harvey N. Benjamin bc. 1831 in N.Y.
3509. Harriet Benjamin bc. 1846 in Allegany Co, N.Y.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1803. CALEB FRANKLIN BENJAMIN[7] (Rodo.[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born May 18, 1798 at Burlington, Otsego Co., New York; the son of Rodoephus and Lydia (Franklin) Benjamin; died July 7, 1878 (gs) at Burlington, New York. He married Abigail Hathaway of Pittsfield, Mass. on January 20, 1823 at Peru, Clinton Co., New York, the dau.of Seth and his cousin Elizabth (Hathaway) Hathaway. She was born March 2, 1804 in Mass. and died March 18, 1833 (gs). They are both buried in the Old Garretsville Cemetery, bet ter known as the Butternut Valley Cemetery in the Burlington, N.Y. area.

Caleb was listed in the 1830 census at Burlington, Otsego Co., New York.

Children of Caleb and Abigail (Hathaway) Benjamin:

3510. Lydia Benjamin; d. 1828 (gs); buried at Burlington Green Cemetery.

*3511. Rodolphus Benjamin b. 1829 at Burlington, N.Y.

3512. Paulina Benjamin; d. 1830 (gs) and buried in the Burlington Green Cemetery.

3513. Lydia P. Benjamin b. 1831 at Burlington, N.Y.; m. Morris Taylor. She had a dau. Mary Taylor who m. John Hubbard or --- Hall of Edmonston, Otsego Co. N.Y. They had daus. Fanny and Gladys.

*3514. Seth Hathaway Benjamin b. December 27, 1833 at Burlington, N.Y.

*3515. Abel Franklin Benjamin b. August 8, 1836.

*3516. David Benjamin b. 1838 at Burlington, N.Y.

*3517. John Benjamin b. 1841 in Burlington, N.Y. There is a record of a J.A. Benjamin, who's wife, Mary L. --- d. July 2, 1877, age 28 yrs. (gs) and is buried in the Demming Cem. at Edmonston, Otsego Co., New York.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, NY p. 92 Hathaways of Am., Fam. Assc., 1965; p. 278 Ibid; 1970 Edition; Boston Transcript Nov. 24, 1909.

?1805. ASAHEL (ASEL) BENJAMIN[7] (Rodo.[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John born in 1808 in Otsego Co., New York; the possible son of Rodoephus and Lydia (Franklin) Benjamin. He married Miranda E. Bliss, dau. of Charles and Abigail (Rowley) Bliss. She was born in 1815 in Otsego Co., N.Y.

They are located in the 1855 census of Maine, Broome Co., New York, and at that time had spent 8 years in Maine. They are also in the 1850, '60, '65, and 1875 census of the same area.

In 1853 Asa and Lucinda sold land (which formerly had been owned by Rodolphus) to Caleb F. (Note: This might refer to #1796,or Lucinda might be a sister who took part in selling the inheritance. If it IS #1796, then perhaps he should be placed as a son of Rodoephus instead of as a son of Solomon.) In 1845 Charles Bliss sold land to Asahel and in 1847 Asel and wife Emma Eliza M. sold land.

Children of Asahel and Miranda (Bliss) Benjamin:

3518. Henry G. Benjamin b. 1836 in Otsego Co., N.Y.; m. Mavina (poss. Finch) b. 1838, d. 1908. They had a son Williard J. Benjamin b. 1875.

3519. Edwin Benjamin b. 1838 in Otsego Co., N.Y.; m. Ruth Ann --- b. 1849 in Delaware Co., N.Y. Issue: Nancy J. Benjamin b. 1868 and Henry Benjamin b. 1869.

3520. Emaliza (Emma E.) Benjamin b. 1829 in Otsego Co.,NY

3521. Celestia Benjamin b. 1846 in Otsego Co., N.Y.; m.

December 16,1875 Christopher Allen in Maine, Broome Co., N.Y.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, NY.

1809. LOUISA BENJAMIN[7] (Rodo.[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) a possible dau. of Rodephus and Lydia (Franklin) Benjamin. She died February 17, 1872 and married December 20, 1830 Charles Bliss Jr., son of Charles and Abigail (Rowley) Bliss of Hartwick, N.Y. He was born February 1, 1803 and died October 1, 1857.

Children of Charles and Louisa (Benjamin) Bliss:
3522. Caroline Bliss b. September 26, 1831; m. 1850 Matthew Herbert.
3523. Adaline Bliss b. August 23, 1835; m. 1863 Thomas Norton.

Resource: p. 361 Bliss Gen., John Bliss, 1881.

1813. ALVIN FITCH BENJAMIN[7] (Christ.[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos.[4-3], John[1]) born June 13, 1805 at Burlington, Otsego Co., New York; the son of Christopher and Sarah (Fitch) Benjamin; died October 12, 1876, age 71 yrs. 4 mos., at Riley, Clinton Co Michigan. He m/1 Jane Hathaway of Rockaway, New Jersey on February 24, 1830 at Barre, New York. She was the dau. of Isaac and Mary (Hedden) Hathaway and was born June 12, 1810 at Arcadia, New York and died July 1836 at age of 26 at Genoa, Michigan and is buried at Genoa. He m/2 Charlotte Hubbard on September 22, 1836 at Salem, Michigan She was a widow with a 2 year old son. She was born April 7, 1815 at Pelham, Mass. and died 1846/9 at Genoa, Michigan. He m/3 Amanda Watkins of Barre, N.Y. on May 11, 1850 at Barre, N.Y. She was the dau. of John B. and Sally (?Worth) Watkins and was born July 3, 1820 at Batavia, Genesse Co., New York and died May 18, 1852 at Barre, New York. He m/4 Elizabeth Pratt on September 1856 at Riley, Michigan. She died at Grand Ledge, Michigan and is buried beside Alvin at Riley, Michigan. She m/2 Mr. Beach.

Alvin worked on the Erie Canal when it was being dug thru Barre, New York. He spent most of his life buying farms, clearing them, and then reselling them.

Children of Alvin and Jane (Hathaway) Benjamin:
3524. Mary Jane Benjamin.
3525. Samuel Benjamin.
3526. Harriet Benjamin. (The above 3 children were all residing with Josiah Hathaway in the 1850 New Jersey census. Harriet was b. in 1831 in Barre, N.Y. and m. Alvin Crane.
3527. Christopher Benjamin. (He may be the Samuel above).

Children of Alvin and Charlotte (Hubbard) Benjamin:
3528. Homer Benjamin b. August 1838 at Genoa, Michigan;

m. Lucy Fairchild.
3529. Cynthia Benjamin b. 1841 at Genoa; m. Walter Plumb.
3530. Hobert Benjamin b. August 1846; d. age 19 days.

Children of Alvin and Amanda (Watkins) Benjamin:
*3531. Francis Worth Benjamin b. 1851 at Barre, New York.

Children of Alvin and Elizabeth (Pratt) Benjamin:
3532. Henry D. Benjamin b. January 13, 1859; d. age 17 years at Lansing, Michigan.

Resources: p. 116 Hathaways of Am., Fam. Assc., 1965; p. 321 Ibid, 1970 Edition; Research and records of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

1816. HENRY DEARBORN BENJAMIN[7] (Christ.[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born September 3, 1813 at Burlington, Otsego Co., New York; the son of Christopher and Sarah (Fitch) Benjamin; died July 14, 1858, age 45-6-11 at Barre, Orleans Co., New York. He married Philinda Fitch and she died June 24, 1848 of consumption at Barre. He m/2 Hannah Louise Hart on August 9, 1848. She was born in 1825.

It was his diary, now in the possession of Mrs. Gordon Ginther, that much information was given regarding his brothers, sisters, and other relatives.

Children of Henry and Philinda (Fitch) Benjamin:
3533. Arthur Benjamin; died June 11, 1843 at Barre, New York, of dropsy.

Resources: Diary of Henry D. Benjamin; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

1817. NELSON S. BENJAMIN[7] (Christ.[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born October 11, 1815 at Burlington, New York; the son of Christopher and Sarah (Fitch) Benjamin. He married Lydia Waldron on June 4, 1842.

He was a blacksmith and resided at Barre, Orleans Co., New York and Genoa, Michigan.

Children of Nelson and Lydia (Waldron) Benjamin:
3534. Alice C. Benjamin b. July 14, 1847; m. Alfred M. Davis.
3535. Florence A. Benjamin b. July 25, 1851; d. Sept. 23, 1852.(gs) bur. Kelly Cem., Genoa Twp., Livin. Co.
3536. Thresa A. Benjamin b. January 29, 1857.

Resource: Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, NY.

1820. RUSSELL BENJAMIN[7] (Lathrop[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born about 1806 in Otsego Co., New York; the son of Lathrop and Polly (Lewis) Benjamin; died February 22, 1862, age 56 (gs) at Hartwick, Otsego Co., New York. He married Abigail --- who was born in 1805 and died February 23, 1860, age 54-7-6 (gs). They are both buried in the Robin-

son Cemetery in Otsego Co., N.Y.

In his diary, Henry D. Benjamin remarked in 1851 that relative Russell Benjamin and family were living in Hardwick. The 1855 and 1860 census records indicated that they were neighbors.

In 1839 Russell and Nabby Benjamin and Louisa and Charles Bliss Jr. sell land to Lathrop Benjamin. In the Cooperstown, N.Y. Probate Records (5:50) letter of adminis tration were granted March 3, 1862 to Rebecca Benjamin and William Burlingham was appointed administrator.

Children of Russell and Abigail (---) Benjamin:

*3537. Samuel Benjamin b. 1827 at Hardwick, Otsego Co., NY
3538. Nancy A. Benjamin b. 1831.
3539. Susan M. Benjamin b. 1835; d. 1891 (gs); m. Andrew J. Edmunds b. 1828, d. 1907 (gs) and is buried with her parents.
*3540. Louis (Lewis) J./R. Benjamin b. January 27, 1837.
3541. Edgar N. Benjamin b. 1840; was in the Middlefield, Otsego Co., N.Y. poorhouse in 1865.
*3542. Cylon (Ceylon) S. Benjamin b. 1845/6 at Hardwick.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, NY

1821. JAMES BENJAMIN[7] (Lathrop[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born in 1812 at Otsego Co., New York; the son of Lathrop and Polly (Lewis) Benjamin; died December 3, 1844, age 32 (gs) and is buried at the Caukins Cemetery, near the State Road above Hardwick, N.Y. He marries Sarah Marie Johnson.

In 1836 Henry D. Benjamin wrote in his diary that his cousins, James and Diantha Benjamin, spent a year in Barre and returned to Burlington, New York.

In some records he is called Lathrop Benjamin, but the name James is recorded on his grave stone.

Children of James and Sarah (Johnson) Benjamin:

3543. Emily Angela Benjamin b. September 20, 1839 at Hard wick, N.Y.; d. August 11, 1911 at E. Berlin; m. October 11, 1865 at New Britian, N.Y. Fredrick Marcus North, the son of Jedediah and Betsey (Buckley) North. He was b. at E. Berlin June 5, 1833. Issue:
    Hulbert North b. 1866 at E. Berlin; d. 1867.
    Albert Avery North b. 1867.
    Robert Buckley North b. 1869.
    Gertrude Maria North b. 1872; unm.
    Edith Amelia North b. 1876.
3544. Amelia Benjamin b. 1841/2 at Hardwick, N.Y.

Resources: p. 202 John North of Farmington, Conn.,North, 1921; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

1824. ERASTUS BENJAMIN[7] (Lathrop[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1])

born November 2, 1821 at Otsego Co., New York; the son of Lathrop and Mary (Polly) (Lewis) Benjamin; died October 27, 1887 (gs) and buried in the Hartwick, N.Y. Cemetery. He married Ann Eliza Baldwin. She was born June 20, 1818 and died February 1, 1899 (gs), and is buried with her husband.

Ann Eliza's will is dated May 5, 1888 and is in the Cooperstown Probate Records (49:31). The executor is son-in-law, Hiram S. Bradley of Harwick with Mumford and Nancy Aldrich as witnesses.

There is an E. Benjamin listed as a shoemaker in the 1878 Directory in Oneonta, N.Y.

Children of Erastus and Ann (Baldwin) Benjamin:

3545. Susan A. Benjamin b. December 9, 1841 at Hartwick, N.Y.; d. August 20, 1903 (gs); m. Hiram S. Bradley. He was b. Feb. 15, 1839, d. July 16, 1910 (gs). They are buried in the same cemetery as her parents.

3546. Martha E. Benjamin; m. --- Van Nort.

3547. Ellen J. Benjamin b. April 7, 1849 at Hartwick, N.Y d. March 1, 1881 (gs); m. Charles W. Ward. She is buried in the same cemetery as her parents.

Resources: p. 226 Hist. of Otsego Co., N.Y., Hurd, 1878; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

1833. DARIUS RANSON/RANSOM DARIUS/ANSON BENJAMIN[7] (Eben.[6-5], Obed[4] Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born in 1797 in Washington Co., New York the son of Ebenezer S. and Elizabeth (Foote) Benjamin; died November 19, 1872, age 75 (gs) at Rome, New York and is buried in the Lowell Cemetery in Oneida Co., New York. He m/1 Mercy (Massy) Henry who was b. 1803 and died January 25, 1832, age 29 (gs) and is buried with her husband. He m/2 Catherine --- who was born in 1797 in Mass.

Anson was a member of the Andover Methodist E. Church in 1839 at Lowell, Oneida Co., N.Y. A LeRoy Benjamin is also amember at the same time. He is listed in the 1855 census at Rome, Oneida Co., New York and in it's 1866 Directory.

His estate is in the Oneidea Co. Probate Records (Box 8 Vol. 23 p. 259) and mentions wife Catherine, son Darius of Rome (or his widow Hannah) and dau. Catherine Shedd. Witnesses were George Brodock and Thomas Wilds.

Children of Darius R. and Merch (Henry) Benjamin:

3548. Rose Benjamin b. 1818; d. June 12, 1832, age 14 yrs

*3549. LeRoy Benjamin bc. 1820.

3550. Nettie M. Benjamin b. 1832; d. May 20, 1836, age 13-8-2 (gs).

Children of Darius and Catherine (---) Benjamin:

3551. Catherine Benjamin b. 1836 in Wayne Co., N.Y.; m. Levi C. Shedd of Rome, N.Y. There is a cemetery

record for Catherine W. Eastlake, who d. July 6, 1904, age 70-6-11 (gs). She m. Charles Eastlake, who d. Sept. 30, 1887. Their lots are close to the Benjamin cemetery lot. Perhaps Catherime m/1 Levi Shedd?

3552. Darius Benjamin b. 1839 at Wayne Co., N.Y.; m. Hannah --- and resided in Rome, N.Y.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, NY; Hartford Times March 5, 1960; Oneida Co. DAR Records p. 14 and 16.

1834. ELIZA ANN BENJAMIN[7] (Ebenezer[6-5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born in 1811 in New York; the dau. of Ebenezer and Elizabeth (Foote) Benjamin; died June 18, 1900, age 90. She married Cyrenus Shaver. As a widow, she was living with her parents in 1850.

Children of Cyrenus and Eliza (Benjamin) Shaver:

3553. Mary Shaver b. 1835 at Westmoreland, Oniedia Co.,NY

3554. Benjamin N. Shaver b. 1847; died in Libby Prison during the Civil War at the age of 21 yrs. 6 mos. He was a member of Co. E., 222nd Regt.of the New York Volunteers.

Resources: Vol. II p. 26 Oneida Co. DAR Records; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

1835. EHIL BENJAMIN[7] (Ebenezer[6-5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born between 1790 and 1800 in New York; the son of Ebenezer and Elizabeth (Foote) Benjamin. He died before his father, who died in 1855. There is a record of an Eliel Benjamin, who m. Polly --- and died about 1870 in Syracuse, New York but there is no information showing any connectinn between these two.

Ehil was a property owner in Westmoreland in 1835.

Children of Ehil Benjamin:

3555. Edward R./B. Benjamin. "Last heard of 3 years ago (1852) in Mississippi, but now supposed dead."

Resources: Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, NY; Probate records of Ebenezer Benjamin.

1837. SALLY BENJAMIN[7] (William[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born October 10, 1790 at Caanan, Columbia Co., New York; the dau. of William and Juliana (Beebe) Benjamin; died before her father, who died in 1844. She married Emanuel Traver, and resided in Ghent, Columbia Co., New York.

Children of Emanuel and Sally (Benjamin) Traver:

3556. Lavina Traver.

3557. Caroline Traver.

3558. Mary Traver.

3559. Jane Traver; m. William Moore.
3560. Erastus Traver; resided in Ghent, N.Y. in 1845.
3561. John Traver; resied in Ghent, N.Y. in 1845.

Resource: Estate records of William Benjamin, courtesy of Mrs. Thomas Bath of Overland Park, Kansas.

1838. CHRISTINA BENJAMIN[7] (William[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born January/July 12, 1792 at Caanan, Columbia Co., New York; the dau.of William and Juliana (Beebe) Benjamin; died October 1, 1868 at Portland, Chautauqua Co., New York She married Stephen Crandall at Ghent, N.Y., the son of Samuel and Keziah (Stillwell) Crandall. He was born December 9, 1786 at Ghent, N.Y. and died December 12, 1839 at Portland, New York.

Children of Stephen and Christina (Benjamin) Crandall:
3562. Urania M. Crandall b. 1818 at Columbia Co., N.Y.
3563. William Crandall; had son Frank William Crandall who m. Catherine --- and resided in Westfield, N.Y. in 1901. She wrote Dr. Wilson.
3564. Samuel Crandall.
3565. Jame Crandall.
3566. Hosea Ballou Crandall.
3567. Mary (Polly) Crandall.
3568. Lydia Helen Crandall.
3569. Edward Crandall.
3570. Matilda Crandall.

Resources: Letter to Dr. Wilson from Mrs. Frank Crandall; p. 40 Elder John Crandall of R.I., Crandall, 1889.

1839. PHOEBE BENJAMIN[7] (William[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born January 4, 1795 at Caanan, Columbia Co., New York; the dau. of William and Juliana (Beebe) Benjamin; died before her father, who died in 1844. She married George Andrews about 1835, who was born in Ghent, N.Y. They resided in Chatham, New York.

Children of George and Phoebe (Benjamin) Andrews:
3571. William Andrews had gone to sea in 1845.
3572. Lafayette Andrews; had gone to sea in 1845.
3573. Alma Helen Andrews bc. 1837 at Ghent, N.Y.; m. Nathan Ransford b. 1821 at Chatham, N.Y.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Thomas Bath of Overland Park, Kansas and estate papers of William Benjamin.

1840. ELEAZER/EBENEZER BENJAMIN[7] (William[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born August 19, 1797 at Chatham, Columbia Co., New York. He died in 1864, and married Philina --- in 1821. She died August 11, 1866.

The correspondent who supplied this informatinn, named the father of the above Eleazer as John Benjamin, so there

is some doubt as to whether a correct connection has been made! However, in tracing back his lineage, he had it placed incorrectly, and since this seems to fit so well, am leaving it here.!

Children of Eleazer and Phinina (---) Benjamin:
*3574. Martin Everett Benjamin b. August 11, 1823.
3575. Julia Benjamin.
3576. Henry Burdsell Benjamin.
3577. Annette Benjamin.
3578. Charl es Benjamin.
3579. Lucy Benjamin.

Resource: Records of Edwin Benjamin of Mt. Vernon, N.Y.

1845. JANE BENJAMIN[7] (William[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born April 26, 1815 at Chatham, Columbia Co., New York; the dau. of William and Juliana (Beebe) Benjamin. She married Charles R. Cady, the son of Ebenezer Cady. He was born June 15, 1815 at E. Chatham, N.Y. and he m/2 Anna Hutchinson.

They resided in Chatham, Columbia Co., N.Y. in 1845 and later migrated to Illinois.

Children of Charles and Jane (Benjamin) Cady:
3580. Julia Cady; m. --- Campbell.
3581. Oscar Cady.
3582. Mary Cady; m. --- Curtis and migrated to Illinois.

Resources: Wilson Papers; p. 323 Desc. of Nicholas Cady, Allen, 1910; Estate papers of William Benjamin.

1846. WILLIAM BENJAMIN[7] (William[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born October 8, 1834 at Chatham, Columbia Co., New York; the son of William and Margaret (Maybee) Benjamin. He married Martha ---.

He resided in Chatham, N.Y. in 1845.

Children of William and Martha (---) Benjamin:
3583. Charles N. Benjamin; d. 1851, age 16 mos. and buried in the cemetery on Route #22, east of Canaan.
3584. Freddie K. Benjamin; d. 1855, no age given, and is buried in the same cemetery.
3585. William Charles Benjamin b. 1859; d. 1918 (gs);m. Emma Jane --- b. 1859, d. 1929 (gs); both are bur ied in the Hinkley Hills Cemetery in Medina Co., Ohio.

Resources: Records of Helen (Benjamin) Brown; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.; Research of Carol Williams of Strongville, Ohio.

1848. HENRY BENJAMIN[7] (Benjamin[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born September 1798 at Columbia Co., New York; the son of

Benjamin B. and Permelia (---) Benjamin; died April 1876, age 77 (gs). He m/1 Esther Cooley. She was b. 1801 and died in 1843 (gs). He m/2 Eliza Brush about 1844, the dau of Ezra and Elizabeth (Bearss) Brush. She was born in 1816 in Oneida Co., N.Y. and was insane in 1850. Henry and Esther are buried in the Lowell Cemetery in Oneida Co.

Henry was a Civil War soldier in the 111th New York Volunteers. He is listed in the 1835 and 1855 census records at Westmoreland, Oneida Co., N.Y. and was a farmer.

Children of Henry and Esther (Cooley) Benjamin:

3586. Levi Benjamin b. 1837 in Oneida Co., New York.
*3587. James E. Benjamin b. 1838 in Oneida Co., N.Y.
*3588. Amos P. Benjamin b. 1841 in Oneida Co., N.Y.

Children of Henry and Eliza (Brush) Benjamin:

3589. Laura Elizabeth Benjamin b. 1845; d. 1860, age 15, (gs); buried in the Lowell Cemetery.

Resources: p. 8 Rose Neighborhood Sketches, Wayne Co., NY, S. Roe; Vol. 11 p. 36 DAR Rec. Oneida Co., N.Y. Cemeteries Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.; Records of Mr. Waite S. Brush of Copake Falls, New York.

1850. WILLIAM BENJAMIN[7] (Benjamin[6], Eben.[5], Obed.[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1] born in 1800 at Westmoreland, Oneida Co., New York; the son of Benjamin and Permelia (---) Benjamin; died about 1864, and is buried in the White School House Cemetery on Clyde Road in Wayne Co., New York. He married Nancy Shaver about 1832 and she is buried with her husband.

William, with 2 older brothers, worked and paid for 80 acres of land for their father. After his marriage, he moved to Butler, Wayne Co., N.Y. It was nearly an unbroken wilderness around his log house. Selling, he moved to Rose, and prospered. He died at the age of 64, with a large amount of property. When Manley F. was of age, his father placed him in charge of the business. After his father's death, Manley bought the entire estate and kept it until about 1875.

William belonged to the Methodist Episcopal Church. He finally replaced the long home with one of cobblestone, which was standing in 1893, and his children were reared on this site. William signed papers for his father's estate with an X.

Children of William and Nancy (Shaver) Benjamin:

3590. Maria Benjamin b. in Wayne Co., N.Y.; died young.
3591. Henry Benjamin b. in Wayne Co., N.Y.; m/1 --- Loveless; m/2 ??; was in the Army; resided at Butler, Wayne Co., N.Y.
3592. Emeline Benjamin; m. --- Calkins and resided at Butler, N.Y.
*3593. Manley F. Benjamin b. 1837 in Rose, Wayne Co., N.Y.
3594. David Benjamin; m. Mary McDougal; Civil War Soldier

resided at Clyde, Wayne Co., New York.

3595. Melissa Benjamin; m. Major William Snyder, the son of Henry and Margaret (Rose) Snyder. They resided in Clyde, N.Y. in 1893; Major in 10th Calvary.

*3596. William Benjamin b. April 21, 1844 at Rose, WayneCo

3597. Eugene Benjamin; d. unm. at age of 21.

3598. Jerome Benjamin; m. --- Gerald from Monroe Co., NY; resided in San Francisco, Calif.

Resources: p. 42-3 Rose Neighborhood Sketches, Wayne Co., N.Y., Roe, 1893; p. 26 Landmarks of Wayne Co., Cowless.

1851. RILEY BENJAMIN[7] (Benjamin[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born in 1802 in Columbia Co., New York; the son of Benjamin and Permelia (---) Benjamin; died in 1879 and is buried in the new Westmoreland Cemetery, Oneida Co., New York. He married Jane Clarissa Todd. She was born in 1802 in Oneida Co., N.Y. and died in 1878 and is buried with her husband.

He belonged to the Methodist Episcopal Church in Valley. He and William came from Westmoreland and took up land in Wayne Co. from a company. Riley actually came first, and built the first log house, but later returned to Westmoreland.

He is listed in the 1835, 1850, and 1855 census at Westmoreland, Oneida Co., New York.

His will is on file in Oneida Co., Box 17. It was contested by his grandson's wife Mary, on the grounds it wasn't written by Riley.

Children of Riley and Jane (Todd) Benjamin:

3599. Melinda Benjamin b. 1826 at Westmoreland, Oneida Co., N.Y.; m. Lathrop Mason of Vernon, N.Y. and had daus.: Emma A. Mason b. 1851 and Georgianna Mason b. 1854. Lathrop was a carpenter.

3600. George R. Benjamin b. 1832; m. Anna G. Smith. She was b. 1832. He had a son George W. Benjamin who m. Mary ---, and resided in Toledo, Ohio. Mary is the one who contested Riley's will. George R. is buried in the same cemetery as his parents. He was listed in the 1905 census in Canastota, Madison Co., N.Y., age 73 and Anna was age 73.

3601. Oliver D. Benjamin b. 1840; d. 1879; buried in the same cemetery as his parents; apparently unm.

Resources: p. 43 Rose Neighborhood Sketches, Wayne Co., New York, Roe, 1893; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther.

1852 NELSON BENJAMIN[7] (Benjamin[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born in Columbia Co., New York; the son of Benjamin B. and Permelia (---) Benjamin. He m/1 --- Presson and m/2 ??. He resided at Butler and Wolcott, Wayne Co., New York.

Children of Nelson Benjamin:
3602. George Benjamin; m. Mary Loveless of Butler, N.Y.
3603. Louise Benjamin; m. --- Caywood and resided in Butler, N.Y.

Resources: Landmarks of Wayne Co., Cowles; Research of Mrs Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

1854. ANSON L. BENJAMIN[7] (Benjamin[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John born March 14, 1817 at Westmoreland, Oneida Co., New York; the son of Benjamin B. and Permelia (---) Benjamin. He married Cynthia Jane Lennard (Leonard). She was born July 2, 1827 at Herkimer Co., N.Y. and died April 14, 1883 He was a farmer and later a boatman, probably on the Erie Canal. He is listed in the 1855 census at Westmoreland, Oneida Co., New York.

Children of Anson and Cynthia (Lennard) Benjamin:
3604. Manly W. Benjamin b. September 3, 1849 at Clyde, Wayne Co., N.Y. (census rec. says b. Oneida Co.); d. October 16, 1869; unm.
3605. Merritt A. Benjamin b. June 24, 1851 at Westmoreland, N.Y.
3606. Eliza Benjamin b. 1832 at Westmoreland.
3607. Maria Antonette Benjamin b. Sept. 19, 1853 at Westmoreland; d. Jan. 29, 1918 at Spokane, Washington m. March 8, 1876 Clarence Clifton Potter.
3608. Rosella U. Benjamin b. August 9, 1856 at Westmoreland; m. --- Haight.
3609. Frederick L. Benjamin b. May 13, 1858 at Westmoreland.
3610. Mary J. Benjamin b. July 24, 1860 at Westmoreland; m. --- Lockwood.
3611. William A. Benjamin b. January 27, 1863 near Galen, Wayne Co., New York.

Resources: Records of Mrs. L. Merle Johnson of Burlington, Wyoming; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

1868. LUCINDA BENJAMIN[7] (Elijah[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born November 6, 1804 at Red Rock, Columbia Co., New York; the dau. of Elijah and Lois (Barnes) Benjamin. She married Albert Griswold in either 1827 or 1831.

Children of Albert and Lucinda (Benjamin) Griswold:
3612. Louisa B. Griswold b. 1833; d. 1913; m. Samuel G. Gorsline b. 1830, d. 1893; had dau. Laura Louisa Gorsline b. at Phelps, N.Y. and m. Harry B. Huggett and had dau. Harriet Gorsline b. at Battle Creek,Michigan, m. Frank G. Salter.
3613. Daniel Griswold; named in grandfather's will.

Resources: Vol. 107 p. 136 and Vol. 100 p. 241 DAR Lineage Books.

1873. WILLIAM H. BENJAMIN[7] (Elijah[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born June 17, 1816 at Red Rock, Columbia Co., New York; the son of Elijah and Lois (Barnes) Benjamin; died August 23, 1874, age 58, at Bloomington, Illinois. He m/1 Lydia Minerva French on October 2, 1843 at West Stockbridge, Mass. (vr). She was born in 1825 and died June 22, 1847 at West Stockbridge. (vr), age 22. He m/2 Martha Kingsley on October 8/11, 1848, the dau. of Frederick and Abigail (---) Kingsley. She was born July 8, 1822 in New York.

He was a wheelwright and carriage maker and a valued member of the Baptist Church in Bloomington. In November 15, 1855 he purchased land in Old Town, on which is now located the village. He brought his family in the spring of 1856 and lived there one year. In 1858 he built a house two miles east of Bloomington, which was then his home until his death.

He was listed in the 1850 census of Canaan, Columbia Co., New York.

Children of William and Lydia (French) Benjamin:

3614. Arthur H. Benjamin b. June 14, 1847 at Red Rock, Columbia Co., N.Y.; d. April 9, 1869.

Children of William and Martha (Kingsley) Benjamin:

3615. Charles N. Benjamin b. August 15, 1850; d. December 15, 1851.

3616. Frederick Benjamin b. August 15, 1852; d. April 22, 1855.

*3617. Mary L./S. Benjamin b. August 31, 1854 at Red Rock.

*3618. Frank W. Benjamin b. January 30, 1858 at Bloomington, Illinois.

3619. Addie K. Benjamin b. June 21, 1864 at Bloomington, Ill.; m. December 29, 1886 Clinton Fuller; had dau. Bernice Fuller m. William C. Dewall.

Resources: Benjamin Fam. of Columbia Co., N.Y., Benjamin, 1911; p. 58 and 87 West Stockbridge, Mass. Vital Records to 1850; p. 241 Kelloggs in Old and New World, Hopkins, 1903.

1876. LEONARD BENJAMIN[7] (Elijah[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born October 12, 1823 at Red Rock, Columbia Co., New York; the son of Elijah and Lois (Barnes) Benjamin. He died about 1860 in New York City, New York. He married --- McKean and she m/2 Milton Babcock in Montana.

Children of Leonard and --- (McKean) Benjamin:

*3620. William Gregg Benjamin b. July 4, 1848.

3621. daughter; m. --- Wood.

3622. daughter; m. --- McKean.

Resources: Research of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Ma

1879. EDWARD D. BENJAMIN[7] (Darius[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1])

born June 29, 1818 at Chatham, Columbia Co., New York; the son of Darius and Martha (Rogers) Benjamin; died November 10, 1890, age 72, at Benjaminville, McLean Co., Illinois. He married Christiana Gray on June 5, 1848 at Cohoes, Albany Co., New York, the dau. of Rev. John Gray. She died October 23, 1909.

Edward was a school teacher. In the fall of 1854 he came to Bloomington, McLean Co., Illinois and the following January he brought his family there. On May 7, 1855 he purchased land in the south half of section 7 in the town of Dawson and on June 22, 1855 he bought lots 4, 5, and 6 in A. Gridley's addition to Bloomington, being the first resident east of the Presbyterian Church on Grove Street. That was his home for the years he was a merchant in Bloomington. He had what would now be called a department store. During later years, he resided on his farm, 1½ miles west of Bloomington.

Children of Edward and Christiana (Gray) Benjamin:

*3623. Darius G. Benjamin b. April 23, 1849 at Kinderhook, New York.

3624. Ellen W. Benjamin b. March 18, 1852 at Kinderhook, N.Y.; d. August 9, 1852.

3625. Edward D./P. Benjamin b. September 3, 1835 at Kinderhook, N.Y.; m. April 22, 1886 Adalaide Sarah Lacock.

*3626. Walter R. Benjamin b. November 10, 1860 at Benjaminville, Illinois.

*3627. Ida B. Benjamin b. July 13, 1863 at Benjaminville.

Resources: Benjamin Fam. of Columbia Co., N.Y., R. M. Benjamin, 1911; Records of Mrs. John Keller of Lititz, Penn.

1880. DEWITT CLINTON BENJAMIN[7] (Darius[6], Eben[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born May 28, 1820 at Red Rock, Columbia Co., New York; the son of Darius and Martha (Rogers) Benjamin; died October 7, 1871, age 51, at Hudson, McLean Co., Illinois. He married Sarah Swartz on October 23, 1849 at Lancaster Co., Penn. She died July 23, 1892.

He was named after DeWitt Clinton, nephew of Governor George Clinton, Clerk of Ulster Co. and Governor of New York, all of Dutch ancestry.

He was educated at Kinderhook, N.Y. Academy and was a Methodist preacher in 1841 and later a school teacher.

He was the first of the Columbia Co. Benjamins to come to Illinois, owing to a chronic asthma condition. On June 7, 1853 he purchased the southwest quarter of section 33 in the north range of Hudson, Illinois. He brought his family to Illinois the same year.

Children of DeWitt and Sarah (Swartz) Benjamin:

3628. Martha Benjamin b. September 27, 1850 at New York; d. March 31, 1885; graduated from Wesleyan at Bloomington, Illinois.

3629. DeWitt Clinton Benjamin b. November 11, 1852; d. February 11, 1875, age 23; graduated from Weslyan at Bloomington, Ill.

3630. Mary Caroline Benjamin b. August 25, 1855 in Illinois; d. August 16, 1887; m. February 18, 1880 Homer S. Bates. Had son Roy Bates who m. Edna -- and they had sons Thomas Bates and Ralph Bates.

*3631. Anna Laura Benjamin b. December 1, 1858 at Hudson.

3632. Rogers Benjamin b. June 1, 1861; d. July 6, 1861, age 1 month.

3633. Sarah Emeline Benjamin b. July 30, 1862; d. November 10, 1864.

Resources: Benjamin Fam. of Columbia Co., N.Y., R.M. Benjamin, 1911.

1881. TIMOTHY ROGERS BENJAMIN[7] (Darius[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born May 17, 1823 at Red Rock, Columbia Co., New York; the son of Darius and Martha (Rogers) Benjamin; died February 20, 1895, age 72, at Chatham Center, Columbia Co. New York. He married Harriet E. Bullis on February 27, 1854, the dau.of Robert A. Bullis. She was born October 1, 1829 at Ghent, Columbia Co., New York and died February 9, 1920 at Chicago, Illinois. She was the grandau. of Col. Frisbee of Revolutionary War fame.

He was a school teacher. He moved to Illinois early in 1856 with his family and his mother and on April 10, 1856 purchased landin Old Town. He lived on this place for about 8 years, and then moved to Fulton, Oswego Co., New York and there operated the paper mill he purchased from his father-in-law.

Children of Timothy and Harriet (Bullis) Benjamin:

3634. John A. Benjamin b. January 20, 1855 in New York; d. December 31, 1908; m/1 Alice Cadwell on November 24, 1881; m/2 Isabelle Hallet on November 9, 1903.

3635. Elfleda Maria Benjamin b. January 26, 1857 at Benjaminville, Illinois.

3636. Gilbert R. Benjamin b. October 6, 1858; d. July 19, 1868.

3637. Ruthetta Benjamin b. February 25, 1861 at Benjaminville, Ill.; m. December 23, 1890 Frank D. Howe.

3638. Laura E. Benjamin b. September 28, 1862 at Benjaminville, Ill.; m. April 3, 1891 Charles W. Huffman.

3639. Hattie E. Benjamin b. December 11, 1866; d. April 27, 1899.

*3640. Reuben B. Benjamin b. May 20, 1869 at Benjaminville

Resources: p. 69 Vol. 5 Abridged Compendius of Am. Gen.; p. 15-16 Benjamin Fam. of Columbia Co., N.Y., R. M. Benjamin, 1911; p. 594 "Query" DAR Magazine, Vol. 94.

1882. JOHN R. BENJAMIN[7] (Darius[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born October 17, 1824 at Truxton, Cortland Co., New York; the son of Darius and Martha (Rogers) Benjamin; died October 18, 1899, age 75, at Benjaminville, McLean Co., Illinois. He married February 14, 1849 at Chester Co., Penn. Sarah Beaver. She died Febrruary 25, 1910.

He was a school teacher and taught for the Society of Friends in Chester, Penn. for three years. He joined the Society of Friends in the town of Chatham, N.Y.

On August 29, 1853 he purchased, with other lands, the south half of section 1, town 23, north range 3 (Old Town) built a home, and brought his family there in 1854. In 1855 he purchased land in Dawson and built a home, where he resided until his death. Because of his influence, a number of members of the Society of Friends came from the east and a Friends meetinghouse was established. Quite a village grew up and was called Benjaminville.

Children of John R. and Sarah (Beaver) Benjamin:

*3641. Deborah Benjamin b. July 23, 1851 prob. in Penn.
*3642. Timothy Benjamin b. April 9, 1853 in Penn.
*3643. Martha E. Benjamin b. August 8, 1854 in Illinois.
*3644. George D. Benjamin b. August 1, 1864 near Holder, Illinois.

Resources: Benjamin Family of Columbia Co., N.Y.; R. M. Benjamin, 1911.

1884. REUBEN MOORE BENJAMIN[7] (Darius[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John born June 29, 1833 on a farm near Chatham Center, Columbia Co., New York; the son of Darius and Martha (Rogers) Benjamin; died in Illinois. He married Laura Woodin on September 15, 1856. She was the dau. of David G. and Sarah G. (Roraback) Woodin and was born in Kinderhook, New York.

He was educated at the Kinderhood Academy, Amherst College, and Harvard Law School. He was a jurist and an author.

He came to Bloomington, Illinois in April 1856 and bought land there July 10th. After his admission to the bar (Sept. 5th) and his marriage (Sept. 15th) he brought his wife to Bloomington on October 10th and resided at 510 E. Grove Street. He was the first Dean of the Bloomington Law School.

He was the author of the Benjamin Family of Columbia Co., N.Y.

Resources: Benjamin Fam. of Columbia Co., N.Y., R. M. Benjamin, 1911; Am. Gen. Biog. Index.

1885. DANIEL LOVEJOY BENJAMIN[7] (Martin[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born in 1815 in New York; the son of Martin and Anna (Lovejoy) Benjamin; died May 19, 1868, age 53-6-21 (gs) at Brunswick Twp., Medina Co., Ohio. He married

Eliza A. Hulbert on January 20, 1836 in New York. She was born April 11, 1818 and diedApril 12, 1886. They are both buried in Bennett's Corners Cemetery in Brunswick Twp.

He came in a covered wagon from Jamestown, Chautauqua Co., N.Y. in 1836, immediately after his marriage, for the newly purchased land in Brunswick Twp. His parents migrated to Ohio a few years later, making six generations of Benjamins to live on this farm. They built a log cabin, and later a small frame house and as the family increased, the house was added on. It still stands where it was errected, now 90 years old. (1948) It is now occupied by a grandson of the original owner and builder, Clifford L. Benjamin and his son, Elmer Benjamin.

In the 1850 census of Brunswick, Medina Co., Ohio Marvin Cady, age 29 b. N.Y., and Laura Cady, age 19 b. N.Y are residing with Martin Benjamin, age 68 farmer b. N.Y., and Anna Benjamin, age 70 b. N.Y.

Children of Daniel and Eliza (Hulbert) Benjamin:

3645. John Hulbert Benjamin b. 1838; d. Feb. 14, 1848 and buried in same cemetery as parents.

3646. Sally Benjamin b. 1840 in Ohio; m. Byron Sherman.
- Cora Sherman; m. W. W. Wood.
- Ella Sherman; m. Fred Sears.

3647. Sophia Benjamin b. 1842 in Ohio; m. Charles Clement.
- Clara Clement; m. Charence Pritchard.
- Effie Clement; m. Joe Lampah.
- George Clement.
- Frank Clement; m. Mary Sprague.
- Ernest Clement; m. Mildred ---.
- Elma Clement; m. Charles Barry.
- Willis Clement; m. --- Wood.

3648. Ellen Benjamin b. 1844 in Ohio; m. Will James.
- Alberta James.
- Edith James.
- Carl James; m. E. Taneyhill.
- Ross James; m. Edith Carolyn Phelps.

*3649. Egbert S. Benjamin b. 1849 in Ohio.

3650. Ada C. Benjamin; m. Clarence Evarts. Issue: Ethel Evarts; Harrold Evarts m. Iris ---.

*3651. Edgar A. Benjamin b. 1856 in Medina Co., Ohio.

*3652. Irving Benjamin b. 1850 in Medina Co., Ohio.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Walter Gibson of Loves Park, Illinois; Records of Earl H. Benjamin of Toledo, Ohio; Cemetery records courtsey of Miss Carol Williams of Strongville, Ohio; Lovejoy Gen., Lovejoy, 1930; p. 5 Hist. of Medina Co., Ohio, Hist. Soc., 1948.

1890. ZENER/ZEMUS/ZENUS BENJAMIN[7] (Phineas[6-5], Jed.[4], Jos.[3-2], John born in 1788 in Conn.; the son of Phineas and Mehitable (Chapman) Benjamin. His death date is unknown. He married Ruth ---, who was born about 1791 in Conn.

He is located in the 1820 census of Northampton, Portage Co., Ohio and in the 1830 census and 1840 census of Aurora Twp., Portage Co., Ohio and in the 1850 census of Charlestown Twp., Portage Co., Ohio.

A Lenas Benjamin is mentioned in 1822 in the will of David Parker of Portage Co., Ohio.

Children of Zener and Ruth (---) Benjamin:

*3653. Orin Benjamin bc.1810 in New York.
3654. 1 female b. 1810-15.
3655. 1 male bc. 1815-20.
3656. 1 female b. 1815-20.
3657. 1 female b. 1825-30; prob. Masinda or Malinda Benjamin bc. 1830 in Ohio; m. Hiram Sweet, b. 1823 in N.Y.

Resources: Census records of Ohio; Vol. 1 p. 19 Ohio Rec. and Pioneer Fam.

1891. PHINEAS T. BENJAMIN[7] (Phineas[6-5], Jed.[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born December 27, 1791 in Conn.; the son of Phineas and Mehitable (Chapman) Benjamin. His death date is unknown. He marrie Eunice Rose. She was born in 1794 anddied October 9, 1832, age 38 (gs) and is buried in the Lowell Cemetery in Oneida Co., New York.

Children of Phineas and Eunice (Rose) Benjamin:

3658. Sarah J. Benjamin bc. 1818; d. 1832, age 14 (gs) and buried in the Lowell Cemetery.

Resources: Vol. II p. 16 Oneida Co. DAR Cemetery Records.

1895. JOSIAH BENJAMIN[7] (Phineas[6-5], Jed.[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born in 1796 in Conn.; the son of Phineas and Mehitable (Chapman) Benjamin; died November 20, 1841 in Dryden, Tompkins Co., New York. He married Sophia ---, who was born in 1805. She m/2 before 1850 Hezekiah Welton.

Josiah's estate, proved January 1842, named Sophia Benjamin of Dryden with letters of administration. He is located in the 1830 and 1840 census of Dryden.

Children of Josiah and Sophia (---) Benjamin:

3659. William Benjamin bc. 1832.
3660. Calvin Benjamin bc. 1835.
3661. Mary E. Benjamin bc. 1836.

Resources: Census records; Research of F. E. Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1914. ELIJAH PARK BENJAMIN[7] (Bela[6], Simon[5], Jed.[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born April 4, 1797 at Amenia, Dutchess Co., New York; the son of Bela E. and Louisa (Park) Benjamin; died February 21, 1853, age 56. He married Margaret Livingston Crooke on May 28, 1827 at Christ Church of Poughkeepsie, New York She was the dau. of John and Cornelia Beekman (Livingston)

Crooke and was born January 25, 1803 at Rinebeck, Dutchess Co., N.Y. and died April 15, 1876 (gs).

He held responsible stations in Poughkeepsie, N.Y. and was a cashier at the Farmer's Bank.

Children of Elijah and Margaret (Crooke) Benjamin:

3662. Philip Crooke Benjamin bp. February 4, 1842 at Poughkeepsie, Dutchess Co., N.Y.; d. July 19, 1893 at New York City; unm.

Resources: p. 109 Vol. 85 N.Y. Gen. and Biog. Record; Family Group Sheet from Library of Latter Day Saints in Salt Lake City.

1915. HORATIO NELSON BENJAMIN[7] (Bela[6], Simeon[5], Jed.[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born about 1800 at Amenia, Dutchess Co., New York; the son of Bela E. and Louisa (Park) Benjamin; died October 21, 1871 at Broome Co., New York. He married Eliza Ann Benjamin, the dau. of Jedediah and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin, his cousin. She was born in or near New York City and died before 1850. He m/2 about 1865 Jane ---.

He was a farmer, speculator, and gentleman. He was Postmaster for Conklin, Broome Co., N.Y. in 1860 and had come to Conklin in about 1845.

In the Broome Co. Surrogate's file (#28) Jane, his widow, and sister Jane Ann Powers, a sister living in Amenia and Philip C., a son of a deceased brother, Park Benjamin, are mentioned. It would seem that he had left no children.

Resources: Hartford Times Aug. 10, 1946; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

1920. BELA E. BENJAMIN[7] (Simeon[6-5], Jed.[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born in 1813 in Otsego Co., New York; the son of Simeon and Mary (----) Benjamin. He married Harriet ---, who was born in 1815 in New York.

He is listed in the 1860 and 1865 census for Roseboon, Otsego Co., N.Y. and in the 1875 census of Maine, BroomeCo N.Y. In 1860 he was Postmaster for Pleasant Brook, Otsego Co., N.Y.

Children of Bela and Harriet (---) Benjamin:

*3663. Philitus Lottis Benjamin b. 1850 in Dutchess Co., New York. This was an adopted son.

Resources: New York Legal Manuel; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.; census records.

1921. CHARLES S. BENJAMIN[7] (Simeon[6-5], Jed.[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born in 1814 in Otsego Co., New York; the son of Simeon and Mary (---) Benjamin; died in 1871, age 56 (gs) at Hartwick, Otsego Co., New York, and is buried in the Robinson Cemetery. He m/1 Sarah E. Bennett, dau. of Amasa Bennett.

She was born in 1814 and died December 24, 1852, age 37-9-10 (gs) and is buried in the Welcome Cemetery. He m/2 Marcia --- who was born in 1823 and died in 1867 (gs) and is buried in the same cemetery as her husband.
Children, if any, are unknown.

Resource: Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

1927. BENJAMIN POWERS[7] (Prudence[6], Ezra[5], Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born October 7, 1800 at Chilocthe, Ohio; the son of Avery and Prudence (Benjamin) Powers; died January 6, 1884 at Delaware, Ohio, and is buried in the Oak Grove Cemetery. He married Elizabeth Storm on September 16, 1829. She was the dau. of George and Fanny (Doulhit) Storm and was born May15, 1809 in Washington Co., Maryland and died May 28, 1885 at Delaware, Ohio.

Benjamin was Methodist and the Storm family was Presbyterian. Later, Benjamin and his wife became confirmed in the Episcopal Church. He worked for Lamb and Little, a firm that handled general merchandise and country produce. Later he went into business by himself. Then he became a partner with S. R. Bennet. In 1845 he became cashier of a newly organized bank. In 1864, the First National Bank took over the business of the bank, and he was made president. He was active in real estate dealings. He left a will, made January 12, 1884 (Delaware Co., Ohio Probate 7:22).

Children of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Storm) Powers:

3664. Maria Elizabeth Powers b. October 8, 1830 at Delaware, Ohio; d. December 31, 1885 at Delaware; m. December 2, 1852 at Delaware to Alexander Dunlap, b. Oct. 27, 1829. Issue:
   Mary Dunlap; d. unm.
   Harriet Dunlap; d. unm.
   Clara Dunlap b. Jan. 23, 1859; d. 1916; unm.
   Martha Elizabeth Dunlap b. Sept. 23, 1864, d. Feb. 1949; unm.
   Charles Newton Dunlap b. Mar. 1866; d. Jan. 1959.

3665. Charles Avery Powers b. March 3, 1833 at Delaware, Ohio; d. October 8, 1861 of typhoid fever. He was unmarried and cashier at the First National Bank.

3666. Henry Van Horn Powers b. June 11, 1837 at Delaware, Ohio; d. February 23, 1910 at Delaware; m. January 6, 1896 Mrs. Rose (Buffington) Dysart, b. March 1, 1863. Issue:
   Josephine Elizabeth Powers b. Nov. 2, 1896 at Delaware; became an architect and designed bridges for the state of Ohio.
   Kathryn Lucille Powers b. Jan. 8, 1803; m. November 30, 1926 Frederick T. Green and resid

ed in Indianapolis, Indiana.

3667. William Little Powers b. November 25, 1842 at Delaware, Ohio; d. August 6, 1844; buried in the Oak Grove Cemetery.

3668. George Willard Powers b. January 14, 1846 at Delaware, Ohio; d. July 17, 1917 at Delaware; m. Sept 7, 1876 Mary Elizabeth McKinnie, dau. of Robert and Margaret (Alexander) McKinnie. She died June 19, 1935. He spent most of his life in the banking business, and became an elder and trustee in the Presbyterian Church. Issue:

Robert Benjamin Powers b.June 9, 1880 at Delaware, Ohio; dc. 1975.

Harry W. Powers b. Sept. 19, 1882, d. March 25 1951.

Helen M. Powers, a twin, b. Sept. 19, 1882, d. Apr. 1968; m. --- Hessnaner.

Lawrence A. Powers b. Oct. 11, 1892; d. 1968 at Sarasota, Florida.

3669. Louis Edward Powers b. Sept. 27, 1848 at Delaware, Ohio; d. October 2, 1856. He was killed by the bursting of a steam boiler on the Fair Grounds at Delaware, Ohio.

Resources: My Paternal Ancestors, Robert Benjamin Powers.

1933. HANNAH BENJAMIN[7] (Eames[6], Ezra[5], Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born September 22, 1813 at Griswold, Conn.; the dau. of Eames and Prudence (Chapman) Benjamin; died June 17, 1872 and is buried in the Rixtown Cemetery at Preston, Conn., lot #1-10. She married Thomas Rix on March 9, 1845, the son of Thomas Tracy and Mary (Jennings) Rix. He was born in October 20, 1805 at Preston, Conn. and died April 19, 1885, age 83 (gs) at Preston and is buried next to his wife.

Children of Thomas and Hannah (Benjamin) Rix:

3670. Mary Hannah Rix b. Sepbember 1, 1846 at Preston, Conn.; d. December 23, 1899 at Preston; m. June 8 1876 Kinsley Chapman b. March 31, 1833 at Redyard Conn., the son of Rufus and Olive (---) Chapman. He had m/1 Frances Whipple. Issue: Annie Florence Chapman b. Oct. 20, 1877; unm.; librarian at Jewett City, Conn.

3671. Henry Thomas Rix. b. April 11, 1848 at Preston, Conn.; m. April 12, 1869 Emily Stanton Chapman, dau. of William Kimball and Emily (Stanton) Chapman, b. Sept. 1, 1851. He furnished the records of his family to Mr. Rix, and resided in Norwich, Conn.

Resources: p. 191-5 Rix, Gen., Rix, 1st Edition; p. 48 1906 Edition of Rix, Fam.; letter from Mrs. Kinsley Chapman to Dr. Wilson in 1899.

1935. PRUDENCE POWERS BENJAMIN[7] (Eames[6], Ezra[5], Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born June 8, 1821 at Griswold, Conn. (vr 1041); the dau. of Eames and Prudence (Chapman) Benjamin; died June 30, 1896 at Preston, Conn. and is buried in lot #1-17. She married Jephtha Geer Bill on February 15, 1848, the son of Elisha and Olive T. (Geer) Bill. He was born September 7, 1823 at Griswold, Conn. and died December 5, 1924

Children of Jephtha and Prudence (Benjamin) Bill:

3672. Dr. Jephtha Benjamin Bill b. August 24, 1850 at Preston, Conn.; m/1 September 1, 1873 Rebecca Coggelshell, dau. of Samuel Coggelshell, D.D. of Little Compton, R.I. She d. Dec. 11, 1875. He m/2 Sept. 13, 1877 Sarah Strickland, dau. of George and Harriet (---) Strickland. She was born in England. He resided in Genoa Junction, Wisconsin. Issue: Benjamin G.; Hattie P.; Annie Isabelle, who d. at age 14; Kenneth; Luther; and Ransom Bill.

3673. Hattie Prudence Bill b. October 2, 1855; d. July 19 1917; m. January 15, 1884 to Ransom Henry Young, son of William and Laura A. (Hill) Young, b. Mar. 24, 1860 at Voluntown, Conn. He m/2 1918 Ida Paulina Gustafson, b. Nov. 18, 1884. He resided at Glascow, Conn. Issue:

Howard Stanley Young b. Aug. 13, 1885; d. Aug 10, 1899.

Laura Prudence Young b. Aug. 31, 1887, d. 1954; m. Richard C. Jacobs.

Harry Eames Young b. May 14, 1892; d. Aug. 11 1905.

Benjamin William Young b. Oct. 22, 1895; m. Aug. 21, 1918 Helma Frances Gustafson, sister of his step mother.

Resources: p. 191-4 Rix Fam. Gen.; Wilson Papers; letter from Thomas Rix to Dr. Wilson and letter from Mrs. Kingsley Chapman to Dr. Wilson.

1943. JABEZ LYMAN DENNIS BENJAMIN[7] (Elam[6], Abial[5-4], Joseph[3-2], Joh born July 27, 1812 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-332) or September 30, 1812 (gs); the son of Elam and Hannah (Dennis) Benjamin; died April 15, 1890 (gs) at Lisbon, Conn. and is buried at the Lisbon Cemetery, lot #2-32. He married April 24, 1836 at Preston, Conn. (vr 3-338) Mary Ann Giddings of Preston. She was the dau. of Solomon and Ruth (Wight) Giddings. She was born December 24, 1805 and died August 25, 1862, age 57 (gs) at Lisbon, Conn. (vr 3-76) and is buried next to her husband.

He was a farmer.

Children of Jabez and Mary Ann (Giddings) Benjamin:

3674. Ruth Ann Benjamin b. March 9, 1837 at Lisbon, Conn; (vr 1-47); d. April 7, 1902; unm.; buried in same

cemetery lot as parents.

*3675. John Rensselaer Benjamin b. February 23, 1839 at Lisbon, Conn.. (vr 1-47).

*3676. Gilbert Lyman Benjamin b. March 2, 1841 at Lisbon.

3677. Jabez Storey Benjamin b. February 12, 1843; d. September 26, 1843; buried with parents.

3678. Solomon Benjamin; died young.

3679. Sarah Benjamin; died young.

Resources: p. 190 Rix Fam. Gen.; Records of Mrs. George Wright of Lansing, Mich.; Letter of Alice M. Benjamin dated 1905 to Dr. Wilson; p. 190 Gittings Fam., Gittings, 1882; Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records.

1944. HENRY BUTLER BENJAMIN[7] (Elam[6], Abial[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born April 4, 1816 at Preston, Conn.; the son of Elam and Hannah (Dennis) Benjamin; died October 17, 1903 at Norwich, Conn. He married Sarah (Polly) Spicer on November 29, 1838 at Preston, Conn. (vr 4-18). She was born July 18, 1814 and died August 3, 1898 (gs). They are both buried in the Norwich Cemetery, lot #12-730.

He used the name of Butler Benjamin and wrote to Dr. Wilson in 1899. At that time he was living in Preston, Conn. and had been blind for 7 years. On Feb. 20, 1876 Abby S. and Butler H. were dismissed and recommended by letter to the Cong. Church in the Long Society by the Preston Church (cr 1-344).

Children of Henry Butler and Sarah (Spicer) Benjamin:

*3680. James Elam Benjamin b. September 28, 1839 at Preston, Conn. (vr 4-18).

?3681. Elam Benjamin.

3682. Abby S. Benjamin. She was bapt. and admitted to church membership on March 3, 1867 at Preston, Conn. (cr 1-337).

3683. Lucy Benjamin b. October 11, 1842; d. November 2, 1861, age 19; unm.; a seamstress. (Preston vr C-17).

?3684. Levi Benjamin.

?3685. Capt. Edward Benjamin. Was alive in 1899 in Preston, Conn.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Barbour Collection of Conn. Vital records; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records.

1946. LAURA AUGUSTA BENJAMIN[7] (Elam[6], Abial[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born December 9, 1817 at Preston, Conn.; the dau. of Elam and Hannah (Dennis) Benjamin; died March 1850 in childbirth in the town of Norway, Herkimer Co., New York. She married Benjamin Franklin Bentley of North Stonington, Con on December 28, 1840 at Griswold, Conn. (vr 1-72).

Children of Benjamin F. and Laura (Benjamin) Bentley:

3686. Calista Bentley b. July 5, 1842; m. Nathan York.
3687. Benjamin Franklin Bentley b. January 28, 1843; m. Charity Frink.

Resource: p. 194 Rix. Fam. Gen.

1948. ABBY ARDELIA BENJAMIN[7] (Elam[6], Abial[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born January 10, 1822 at Preston, Conn.; the dau. of Elam and Hannah (Dennis) Benjamin. She married in 1838 Jesse Palmer Main, the son of Lewis and Hannah (Ray) Main. He was born February 15, 1813 at Voluntown, Conn.

Children of Jesse and Abby (Benjamin) Main:
3688. Lydia Main; m. Frank Pierce.
3689. Celesta Main; m. Frank Eggleston.
3690. Edgar Palmer Main.
3691. Harriet Main; m. Irtis Main.
3692. Hannah Main; m. Avery Miller.

Resource: p. 178 Babcock Main Gen., Brown, 1910.

1953. BETSEY BISHOP[7] (Sally[6], Jesse[5], Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born May 12, 1802 at Watson, Lewis Co., New York. She married Isaac Stanton on May 12, 1818 at Lewis Co., N.Y. He was the son of William and Rebecca (Ferrel) Stanton and died January 26, 1883 in Lewis Co., New York. Betsey died three days later..January 29, 1883 in Lewis Co., N.Y.

Children of Isaac and Betsey (Bishop) Stanton:
3693. Eli Stanton b. April 29, 1819 in Lewis Co., N.Y.; unm. or perhaps m. with 2 children.
3694. Rachel Stanton b. March 16, 1826; m. Francis Melvin Beals.
3695. Edward Stanton b. Sept. 18, 1828; m/1 Jane Wise; m/2 Almira Marshall.
3696. Edwin Stanton, a twin, b. Sept. 18, 1828; m. Margaret Van Scicle.
3697. Egbert Stanton b. April 27, 1832;unm.
3698. Benjamin Stanton b. October 18, 1833 in Lewis Co., N.Y.; d. August 9, 1897 in Fon du Lac, Wisconsin; m. Nov. 9, 1873 Laura M. Hudson, dau. of Hoesa and Phoebe (Johnson) Hudson. She b. July 7, 1846 in N.Y. and d. March 31, 1906 in Two Harbors, Minn. Had son Rollin Benjamin Stanton b. Aug. 1, 1879 at Fon du Lac, m. 1904 Mary Ellen Fay. He d. 1951 in Janesville, Wis.
3699. Sarah (Sally) Stanton b. August 3, 1837; m. Joseph McKibbin.
3700. Lyman Stanton b. June 1838; m. Elizabeth Little.
3701. Mary Stanton b. 1841 in Lewis Co., N.Y.; m. Henry Lee.

Resources: Records of Majel Lawrence of Medford, Oregon; Records of Cecelia F. Stanton of Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

1954. RACHEL BISHOP[7] (Sally[6], Jesse[5], Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born October 4, 1808 in Lewis Co., New York; the dau. of Jonathan and Sally (Benjamin) Bishop. He married in 1826 Enon Andras.

Children of Enon and Rachel (Bishop) Andras:

3702. Melvina Andras b. April 30, 1829 at Crow Foot Hill; d. November 26, 1916; m. John Keener.
3703. Jennie Andras; m. Clarence Johnson.
3704. John Andras.
3705. Lester Andras.
3706. Clara Andras; m. James H. Boshart.
3707. Louisa Andras.
3708. Menza Andras.
3709. Frances Andras.
3710. Duane Andras.
3711. Levi Andras.
3712. Lucretia Andras.

Resource: Records of Majel Lawrence of Medford, Oregon.

1955. LEMUEL BISHOP[7] (Sally[6], Jesse[5], Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born June 29, 1810 at Martinsburgh, Lewis Co., New York; the son of Jonathan and Sally (Benjamin) Lewis; died July 24, 1857, age 47 yrs., at Taycheedah, Wisconsin. He was driving cattle into the barn when the bull turned on him, knocked him down, and before help could arrive, threw his whole weight upon the prostrate man. He was mortally wounded and lived only 7 hours. He married Lucinda Bowen. She was born September 20, 1815 at Martinsburgh, N.Y. and died March 19, 1884, age 68, at Taycheedah, Wis.

They came to Wisconsin about 1845. In 1870 Lucinda is listed with $10,000. real estate and $6,000. personal estate. The given name of both Mr. and Mrs.Bishop began with the letter "L" and they named each of their 10 children with a name that began with that letter.

Children of Lemuel and Lucinda (Bowen) Bishop:

3713. Lementa Benjamin Bishop b. July 24, 1836 in New York; d. Nov. 1, 1858 of scarlet fever in Wis.; a school teacher.
3714. Levi Thomas Bishop b. April 20, 1840 in N.Y.; was a member of Co. I, 5th Regt. of Wis. Volunteers in the Civil War; went West and d. Jan. 21, 1909 at Pioche, Nevada.
3715. Lewis Henry Bishop b.Jan. 29, 1842 in N.Y.; d. Nov. 4, 1926 in Wis.; m. Dec. 11, 1878 Virginia Smith. Had 5 children, 3 died in infancy, and 1 in 1918. One son lived in Flaxton, N.D. in 1933.
3716. Lorinda Casendrania Bishop b. April 12, 1842 in NY; d. March 28, 1923 at Taycheedah, Wis.; m. Oct. 16 1867 John Henry Gibson. He b. July 19, 1843. They had 4 children: Charles; Flora; Lester; and Pearl.

3717. Lucretia Eliza Bishop b. Sept. 5, 1845 in N.Y.; d. Dec. 12, 1916 at Green Bush, Wis.; m. Nov. 28, 1887 John Bricker/Brinker b. April 23, 1844.

3718. Leverett George Bishop b. Feb. 17, 1848 in Wis.; d. Nov. 11, 1879 of Consumption; m. Hannah Parks.

3719. Luke Wilder Bishop b. Feb. 21, 1850 in Wis.; d. May 14, 1914 at Elk River, Minn.; m. Dec. 25, 1891 Mary Stretch. Issue: Donald (res. Minneapolis); Lee (butcher in Elk River, Wis. in 1930); Roger (res. Portland, Ore.); Everret (res. Rue, Minn.); and Mary m. Ben. C. Engstrom.

3720. Lois Mehitable Bishop b. Aug. 9, 1852 in Wis.; d. Dec. 22, 1903 in Fon du Lac, Wis.; m. Dec. 25, 1891 James Cary Aplin.

3721. LaGrand Ferando Bishop b. May 27, 1854 in Wis.; d. Sept. 1872 of consumption.

3722. LaFayette Daniel Bishop b. Oct. 14, 1855 in Wis.; d 1940 at St. Croix Falls, Wis.; m. March 15, 1888 Adelaide Spink at Buffalo, N.D. Issue: Robert (res. Buffalo, N.Y.); Duayne (res. St. Croix, Wis Arthur.

Resources: Records of Majel Lawrence of Medford, Ore.; Records of Miss Cecelia F. Stanton of Milwaukee, Wis. which included a story on the Bishop family given by Pearl Gibson in 1933 at the Taycheedah Comunity Club.

1958. LYMAN BISHOP[7] (Sally[6], Jesse[5], Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born in 1818 in Lewis Co., New York; the son of Jonathan and Sally (Benjamin) Bishop. He probably died before 1860. He married Maria W. Roberts, b. 1825 in New York.

He resided in Fon du Lac, Wisconsin and was listed as a saddler in the 1850 census there, and Maria W. is listed as head of the household in the 1860 and 1870 census.

Children of Lyman and Maria (Roberts) Bishop:

3723. Ancil D. (Ansell A.) Bishop b. 1848 in Wis.; a tin smith.

3724. Seth Scott Bishop b. 1852 in Wis.

3725. George E. Bishop.

3726. Pierce L. Bishop.

Records of Majel Lawrence of Medford, Oregon.

1960. LESTER BISHOP[7] (Sally[6], Jesse[5], Abial[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born in 1822 in New York; the son of Jonathan and Sally (Benjamin) Bishop. He married Lizzie Eliza Griswold. She was born in 1827 in New York.

He is listed in the 1850 census of Fon du Lac, Wisconsin as a tavern keeper. Sarah, age 44, is living with them.

Children of Lester and Lizzie (Griswold) Bishop:

3727. Lester Bishop.

3728. Ella Bishop.
3729. Sarah Bishop.
3730. Clara Bishop; m. Jan. 30, 1840 James Boshart.
3731. Louisa Bishop.
3732. Manza Bishop.
3733. Frances Bishop.
3734. Duane Bishop.

Resources: Records of Majel Lawrence of Medford, Oregon.

1964. VINCENT LEWIS BENJAMIN[7] (Arch.[6], Jesse[5], Abial[4], Jos.[3-2], John born in 1821 (or 1831) in Watson, Lewis Co., New York; the son of Archibald and Agnes (Root) Benjamin; died April 26, 1889, age 68, at Fon du Lac, Wisconsin. He is buried in the Riemzi Cemetery. He m/1 Eva Smith, born in Watertown, New York. Perhaps they were divorced, for it seems that she m/2 Dec. 23, 1866 Jefferson F. Heath in Fon du Lac, Wis. (vr 3-284). He m/2 Mrs. Cornelia E. Hulecombs on March 15, 1870. She was the dau. of William B. and Harriet (Balcome) Rhodes and was born October 9, 1840 in New York and died April 30, 1922.

He was in the Civil War and enlisted from Richland Center, Wis. and was in the 6th Inf. Regt. Band, and was also a Serg. in the 46th Inft. Regt. He was a traveling salesman and book agent.

Children of Vincent and Eva (Smith) Benjamin:
*3735. Ernest V. Benjamin b. December 9, 1861 at New Lisbon, Juneau Co., Wis.
?3736. Robert E. Benjamin; in 1893/4 Fon du Lac city directory.
?3737. William Benjamin; boarded with V. L. Benjamin in 1893-4.

Children of Vincent and Cornelia (Rhodes Hulebombs):
3738. male b. Feb. 29, 1879 at Fon du Lac, Wis. (vr).
?3739. Walter C. Benjamin. (His parents are given as V. L. and Clara C. or Clarissa Clemment); m. Aug. 4, 1891 at Fon du Lac (vr 8-374) Ida Henster.

Resources: Vital Records of Fon du Lac, Wisconsin.

1996. PARK BENJAMIN[7] (Park[6], David[5], John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born August 14, 1809 at Demerara, West Indies; the son of Park and Mary (Gall) Benjamin; died September 12, 1864 in New York City and is buried in the Greenwood Cemetery in Brooklyn, New York. He married Mary Brower Western of Desoris Island, Long Island, New York on May 8, 1848 at St. Paul's Church at Glen Cove, Long Island, N.Y. She was the dau. of Henry Membery and Hannah (Romeyn) Western and was born January 5/6, 1828 and died December 30, 1906.

Park contracted a tropical fever at the age of three. The effects left him permanently lame, with one leg shorter than the other. He was sent back to Norwich, Conn. He

gained in general health, but he always had to walk with crutches. When Park's father died in 1824, his education was turned over to James Savage. He attended Bacon Academy from 1816-1822 and Harvard from 1825 to 1826, Washington (Trinity) at Hartford, and graduated at the head of his class in 1829. He then attended Yale and Harvard and studied law. Restless and tempermental, he abandoned law practice for journalism in 1834 and was associated with the "New England Magazine", Horace Greeley's New Yorker", and "The New World" and the New York "Evening Signal". He owned the "New England Magazine" and mergeded it with the "American Monthly" in 1835. The "New Yorker" later became the "New York Tribune". He was a magazine editor, poet, literary editor, and lecturer and was known for a caustic quality of his critical writing and the author of much minor verse.

On June 2, 1882 the heirs of Mary J. (Gall Benjamin) Lanman were Park Benjamin III, Jane Seymour and her husband, George H. Benjamin; Charles M. Benjamin; William Evart Benjamin gave a quit claim deed to Hiram Cook, relinquishing all claim to two parcels of land in Norwich, Conn. (Deeds 93:117,118).

Children of Park and Mary (Western) Benjamin:

*3740. Park Benjamin III (known as Jr.) b. May 11, 1849 at New York City, N.Y.

3741. Henry (Harry) Western Benjamin b. March 3, 1851 at NYC; d. January 29, 1857, age 6 yrs. 4 mos.

*3742. George Hillard Benjamin b. December 25, 1852 at NYC

*3743. Walter Romeyn Benjamin b. September 24, 1854 at NYC

3744. Charles Membery Benjamin b. October 31, 1857 at New York City, N.Y.; d. February 20, 1916; apparently unmarried.

3745. Mary Western Benjamin b. October 31, 1857; d. March 10, 1912; perhaps m. Hiram Cook.

*3746. William Evarts Benjamin b. February 19, 1859 at NYC

3747. Susan Edith Benjamin b. June 26, 1860 in New York City, N.Y.; d. October 1, 1940; m. Elisha E. Rogers. She is the one that did the genealogical research for the manuscript Benjamin Family of Preston and Norwich, Conn.

Resources: Gen. of Park Benjamin, Hoover, 1906; Dictionary of Amer. Biog, 1964; Vol. 2 p. 187 Dict. of Amer. Biog, 1929; Vol. 5 p. 227 Am. Ancestry; Vol. 18 p. 393 N.E. Gen. and Hist. Register.

1997. MARY ELIZABETH BENJAMIN[7] (Park[6], David[5], John[4], Jos.[3-2], John born April 7, 1813 at Demarara, West Indies; the dau. of Park and Mary (Gall) Benjamin; died December 13, 1874 at London, England. She married March 2, 1837 John Lathrop Motley. He was the son of Thomas Motley and was born April 15, 1814 at Dorchester, Mass. and died May 29, 1877,

age 63. They had three daughters.

Children of John and Mary (Benjamin) Motley:
3748. daughter; b. in London, England; became Lady William Vernon Harcourt.
3749. daughter; b. London, England; m. --- Mildemay.
3750. daughter; b. London, England; m. Thomas (or Algernon) Sheridan.

Resources: Park Benjamin Gen., Hoover, 1906; Vol. 31 p. 364 N. E. Gen. and Hist. Register.

1998. SUSAN MARGARET BENJAMIN[7] (Park[6], David[5], John[4], Jos.[3-2], John born April 20, 1815 at Demerara, West Indies; the dau. of Park and Mary (Gall) Benjamin; died April 23, 1896 at Boston, Mass. She married Joseph Lewis Stackpole (Stackpool) of Boston on March 2, 1837. He died July 20, 1847.

He was a close friend of John Motley, Mary Elizabeth's husband. Both girls were educated at Bacon Academy and were married in a double wedding ceremony.

Joseph was killed in a railroad accident, leaving 3 sons.

Children of Joseph and Susan (Benjamin) Stackpole:
3751. Joseph Lewis Stackpole Jr.; an officer in the Civil War.
3752. William Stackpole.
3753. Henry (Harry) Stackpole; of Boston.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Gen. of Park Benjamin, Hoover.

2001. SEABURY (SEBRA on m. rec.) NEWTON BENJAMIN[7] (Elijah[6], David[5], John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born July 15, 1796 at Preston, Conn.; the son of Elijah and Deborah (Newton) Benjamin; died May 24/31, 1866, age 70 years. He is buried in the Preston or the Gates Cemetery, lot #6-94. He m/1 Lucy Standish on June 6, 1819, at the First Church of Preson, Conn. (cr 1-128). She was the dau. of Levi and Emma (Fellows) Standish and was born June 7, 1799 and died December 12, 1842 at Preston, Conn., age 43. (vr 3-26). She is buried in the same cemetery lot as her husband. She was a descendant of the Pilgrim, Miles and Barbara Standish. He m/2 the widow Phebe (Maine) Mitchell on August 31, 1845 at Groton, Conn. (vr 1-74). She was "of Groton and North Stonington, Conn."

He was a very highly respected farmer, industrious and progressive. He was a Democrat, but never entered politics, as he cared more for his happy family life.

Children of Seabury and Lucy (Standish) Benjamin:
3754. Philena (Phelana) Benjamin b. May 12, 1820 at Preston, Conn.; m. Nov. 7, 1841 Lester Fuller of Hampton, Conn. at Preston, Conn. (vr 4-64).
3755. Deborah Alura Benjamin b. May 14, 1822 at Preston,

(vr 3-26); m. November 8, 1844 Calvin Reed of Lyme, Conn. (vr 3-149).

*3756. Elijah L. Benjamin b. March 18, 1824 at Preston, Conn. (vr 3-26).

3757. Amos H. Benjamin b. September 3, 1826 at Preston, (vr 3-26); d. February 10, 1827 at Preston.

3758. Eunice Fellows Benjamin b. December 23, 1828 at Preston, Conn. (vr 3-26); m. October 27, 1847 Horace B. Brumley/Bromley at Preston, Conn. (vr). He was the son of Rev. Alas and Esther (Bidwell) Bromley, b. Nov. 21, 1823, d. March 13, 1807 at Norwich, Conn. She d. February 2, 1908 at Norwich, the last surviving member of her family. They are buried in the Preston City Cemetery.

*3759. Levi Standish Benjamin b. July 2, 1830 at Preston, Conn. (vr 3-26).

3760. Esther Benjamin b. 1832 at Preston; m. Willet Roath of New London, Conn.

3761. Lydia W./N. Benjamin b. August 23, 1834 at Preston; m. January 29, 1854 Wilcox Barber of Exton, R.I. at Norwich, Conn. (vr 7-342). Lydia d. at Providence, R.I. Had dau. Emma June Barber b. Oct. 5, 1860 at Artic, R.I., m. Sept. 10, 1885 Herbert Gardner Borden and dau. Mary E. Barber, m. Sept. 15, 1872 Francis E. Bliss of Providence, R.I. He b. March 3, 1852.

*3762. Jacob Dwight Benjamin b. July 12, 1836 or July 2, 1838. Perhaps there were two separate children, with the first dying young.

3763. Phoebe E. Benjamin b. March 9, 1840 at Preston.

Resources: Hale Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records; Barbour Collection of Conn. Vital Records; p. 63 Bromley Gen., Bromley, 1911; Wilson Papers; Hist. of New London, Conn., 1905; p. 354 Desc. of Thomas Durfee of Portsmouth, R.I., Reed, 1905; Family Group Sheet at Library of Latter Day Saints at Salt Lake City, Utah; p. 578 Bliss Gen., Bliss, 1881.

2002. ANNA BENJAMIN[7] (Elijah[6], David[5], John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born May 16, 1798 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-316); the dau. of Elijah and Deborah (Newton) Benjamin. She married Jesse Main of North Stoington, Conn. on September 18, 1814 He was the son of Timothy and Hannah (---) Main. There is a church record, but no date is given (cr 1-125).

They resided in N. Stonington, near Deacon Allen Wheeler. It is said that he made cider his only beverage.

Children of Jesse and Anna (Benjamin) Main:

3764. Charles Main b. at N. Stonington, Conn.

3765. Noyes Main.

3766. Lucy Main.

3767. Lydia Main.

3768. Luke Main.
3769. Clarinda Main.
3770. Clark B. Main.
3771. Smith B. Bain.

Resources: p. 273 Babcock-Main Gen., Brown, 1910.

2003. RUSSELL (WILLIAM RUSSELL) BENJAMIN[7] (Elijah[6], David[5], John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born April 27, 1800 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-316). His gravestone gives his birth as 1799. He was the son of Elijah and Deborah (Newton) Benjamin and died December 16, 1851, age 52 (gs) at New Lisbon, Otsego Co., New York and is buried in the Garretsville Cemetery. He married Sally Cooke of Long Society, Conn. on December 29, 1825 at Preston, Conn. (cr 1-173). She was born in 1808 and died April 14, 1884, age 76 (gs) at New Lisbon, New York and is buried with her husband.

His obit was recorded in the "Freeman's Journal" Dec. 26, 1851 and names him Russell Benjamin. His son's death record names his father as William Russell. His will was dated 1851 and probated Jan. 1852 (Cooperstown Probate Rec. 9:236) and names wife Sally, sons Wm. R. and Park C. and daus. Lydia M., Harriet A., and Helen E. Richard Bard of New Lisbon was named as their guardian. David Benjamin St. John of Edmeston was named executor and David D. St. John and William N. Deming of New Lisbon as witnesses.

Children of Russell and Sally (Cooke) Benjamin:
3772. Lydia M. Benjamin b. 1830 in New York; d. 1902 and buried in the Franklin Cemetery,lot #2-21.
*3773. William Russell Benjamin b. 1832 in Springfield, Otsego Co., N.Y.
3774. Harriet A. Benjamin b. 1834 in Otsego Co., N.Y.
3775. Helen E. Benjamin b. 1837 in Otsego Co., N.Y.
*3776. Park Cooke Benjamin b. 1840/1 in Burlington Flats, Otsego Co., New York.

Resources: Census and Probate records; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

2004. NATHAN BENJAMIN[7] (Elijah[6], David[5], John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born October 10, 1802 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-316); the son of Elijah and Deborah (Newton) Benjamin; died December 5, 1851, age 49, at Preston, Conn. (vr 3-145). He is buried in the Palmer Cemetery at Preston, lot #5-89. He married Hannah Cook on October 5, 1828 at Preston, Conn. (vr 3-145) at the First Cong. Church (cr 1-203). She was born in 1808 and died January 20, 1864, age 56 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Children of Nathan and Hannah (Cook) Benjamin:
3777. Hannah J. Benjamin b. September 29, 1831 at Preston Conn. (vr 3-145); m. January 15, 1854 Eames F.

Bushnell of Norwich at Preston (vr 4-232).

*3778. Nathan H. Benjamin b. January 19, 1834 at Preston, Conn. (vr 3-145).

*3779. Daniel W. Benjamin b. December 2, 1837/8 at Preston Conn. (vr 3-145).

3780. Mary E. Benjamin b. April 7, 1840 at Preston (vr 3-145); m. Jeremiah F. Sholes.

3781. Ellen Benjamin b. April 23, 1842 at Preston (vr 3-145); d. unm. 1919 and buried in the cemetery with her parents.

3782. Emma B. Benjamin, a twin, b. April 23, 1842 in Preston (vr 3-145); d. unm. 1915 and buried in the lot with her parents.

3783. Sarah M. Benjamin b. March 25, 1846 at Preston (vr 3-145); d. 1912 and buried with her parents.

3784. Russell Benjamin; who settled in the West. (Note: Also buried in the same cemetery lot are George Benjamin b. Aug. 30, 1856, d. Feb. 9, 1911 and Emma M. Benjamin b. Feb. 2, 1863, d. Dec. 4, 1914.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Barbour Collection of Conn. Vital Records; Hale Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records.

2005. ELIJAH L. BENJAMIN[7] (Elijah[6], David[5], John[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born in 1803/4 at Preston, Conn.; the son of Elijah and Deborah (Newton) Benjamin. He married Eunice A. Weeks on April 7, 1831 at Preston, Conn. (vr 3-161). She was born in 1806 and died November 25, 1836, age 30 (gs) in Preston Conn. She is buried in the Palmer Cemetery, lot #5-89. Buried in the same lot with Eunice are three infants. He may have m/2 Sarah Waters, who was born in 1803 and died February 4, 1873, age 70. She m/2 October 20, 1842 Daniel Chute, who was b. Jan. 4, 1787, d. June 20, 1859, the son of James and Mehitable (Thurston) Chute in Evansville, Indiana.

Children of Elijah and Eunice (Weeks) Benjamin:

?3785. Eunice E. Benjamin of Hebron, Conn.; m. October 17, 1852 John White of Huntington, Conn. She was "of Hebron" at m. with Hartford, Conn. vr 1-316).

3786. William Henry Benjamin b. June 9, 1835 at Preston.

Children of Elijah and Sarah (Waters) Benjamin:

3787. Sallie L. Benjamin b. 1838 in Evansville, Indiana.

Resources: p. 41 Thurston Gen., Thurston, 1892; Wilson Papers; Mrs. E.E. Rogers did not have him listed as a son in her manuscript of the Preston Benjamin Family.

2006. RUFUS BENJAMIN[7] (Elijah[6], David[5], John[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born June 22, 1805 at Preston, Conn.; the son of Elijah and Martha (Newton) Benjamin; died in 1862 at Pharsalia, Chenango Co., New York and is buried in theEast Pharsalia Cemetery. He married Emaline --- born 1806 in Conn.

They came to Chenango Co., N.Y. in 1834 and were living in a log house in 1855. In 1857 land in Pharsalia was deeded to Emeline Benjamin by Ichabod Crittendin ?Chittendin) and his wife Lovey. It was only for $15.00, so it might have been her parents. However, land in Pharsalia was not worth much!

Children of Rufus and Emaline (---) Benjamin:

3788. Lida Ann Benjamin b. 1837/8 in N.Y.

3789. Hettie Benjamin died Nov. 26, 1863, age 26 (gs) and is buried in the same cemetery as her father.

3790. Park Benjamin b. 1840; d. 1863; and buried in the same cemetery as his father. He died in Baton Rouge, La. in the Civil War, and was with the 161th Regt. of N.Y. Volunteers.

3791. Cornelia (Maria) Benjamin b. 1844 in New York. At the age of 11 and 16, she was living with a Barnes family and listed as a servant.

3792. David Benjamin b. 1848 in New York.

2008. DAVID BENJAMIN[7] (Elijah[6], David[5], John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born June 18, 1809 at Preston, Conn.; the son of Elijah and Martha (Newton) Benjamin; died August 20, 1887 at Lincoln Park, New Jersey. He married Cornelia Smith on March 23, 1834 at Windham, Conn. (vr 3-173). She was the dau. of Eleazer and Mehitable (Robinson) Smith and was born December 21, 1810 and died September 9, 1899 at Lincoln Park. They are both buried in the Pompton Plains Cemetery. She was a direct descendant of Pastor Robinson of Leyden, the devoted pastor of the Pilgrims.

He resided in Scotland, Windham Co., Conn. He left for five years to live in Penn. When he returned, he married and then bought a farm in Lincoln Park, N.J.

Children of David and Cornelia (Smith) Benjamin:

*3793. Edward Benjamin b. December 19, 1839 at Scotland, Conn.

*3794. Alfred H. Benjamin b. April 25, 1843 at Scotland.

*3795. Martha Mehitable Benjamin b. September 29, 1845 at Lincoln Park, N.J.

*3796. Thomas Williams Benjamin b. February 28, 1848 at Lincoln Park.

*3797. Cornelia Elizabeth Benjamin b. May 16, 1851.

3798. Newton Benjamin b. August 3, 1845; m. December 20, 1883 Sarah Williams; resided at Elmira, New York; was a freight agent of Central New Jersey Rail Road.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Records of Wallace Payne of Brid port, Vermont; Records of Mrs.William Parker of Jackson, Mississippi courtsey of Noble Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

2009. LUCY ANN BENJAMIN[7] (Elijah[6], David[5], John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1])

born in 1810/1 at Preston, Conn.; the dau. of Elijah and Martha (Newton) Benjamin; died June 21, 1872 at Preston, Conn., age 61. She is buried in the Preston Cemetery, lot #1-5. She married Nelson Geer Packer (?Parker) of Preston, Conn. on March 27, 1836 at Preston (vr 3-326). He was born in 1813 and died in 1905.

Children of Nelson and Lucy (Benjamin) Packer:
3799. David Nelson Packer b. Aug. 13, 1837 at Preston.
3800. Martha Maria Packer b. December 21, 1841.
3801. Abby Jane Packer b. July 31, 1843; d. 1844.
3802. Abby Jane Packer b. September 8, 1845.
3803. Lucy Emily Packer b. April 24, 1848.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Hale's Conn. Collection of Cemetery Records.

2010. CHARLES BENJAMIN[7] (Moses[6], David[5], John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born December 28, 1798/9 at Norwich, Conn.; the son of Moses and Martha (Avery) Benjamin; died May 24, 1860 , age 61, at Georgetown, Demerara, West Indies. There is a monument in the family plot in the Norwich, Conn. cemetery for those who had died abroad. He m/1 Lucy Harvey of Colchester, Conn. on January 16/23, 1825 at New Haven, Con (vr 4-24). She was born March 29, 1803 and died May 24, 1843 at Norwich, Conn. (vr 6-327) of child bed fever, at the age of 40-1-24 (gs) and is buried in the Norwich Cemetery, lot #9-644. He m/2 Olivia (Olina) Harvey on August 14, 1844 at Norwich, Conn. (vr 6-419).

Children of Charles and Lucy (Harvey) Benjamin:
3804. William Savage Benjamin b. October 25, 1825 at Georgetown, West Indies (Norwich vr 6-326) lived in New Jersey and died in the South.
3805. Theodora Louisa Benjamin b. April 22, 1827 in Georg town, West Indies; d. January 26, 1875 in London, England; m. November 19, 1846 Henry S. Bascom (?Bacon) of Barbadoes and resided in England.
3806. Charles Benjamin b. January 2, 1830 at Georgetown, (Norwich vr 6-326); d. Sept. 28, 1830, fits from teething.
3807. Charles James Benjamin b. June 21, 1831 in Norwich (cr 5-208); d. August 12, 1839 in Norwich (vr 6-326); buried in Norwich Cemetery, lot #9-764.
3808. Delia Isabella Benjamin b. December 12, 1832; m. September 4, 1852 William Humphreys.
3809. Lucy Adelaide Benjamin b. July 18, 1834 at Norwich (vr 6-326); d. Sept. 13, 1834.
3810. Thresa Josephine Benjamin b. August 2, 1835; d. May 2, 1837 of scarlet fever.
3811. Ella Caroline Benjamin b. December 11, 1836; d. April 4, 1837 of water on the brain.
3812. Theresa Victoria Benjamin b. January 25, 1838 at Norwich; d. May 22, 1874, age 36, at London, Eng.

3813. Emma Marion Benjamin b. March 24, 1839; d. May 21, 1843 of scarlet fever.
3814. Mary Elizabeth Benjamin b. June 8, 1840 at Norwich; d. Sept. 16, 1840 of heart trouble.
3815. Charles Benjamin b. November 28, 1841 at Norwich (vr 6-326); d. Jan. 19, 1842 (vr 6-327) at Norwic
3816. Franklin Benjamin b. May 14, 1843 at Norwich, Conn. (vr 6-327).

Children of Charles and Olivia (Harvey) Benjamin:
3817. Charles Benjamin b. October 1, 1849; d. September 15, 1850; buried at Norwich, Conn. Cemetery, lot #9-764.

Resources: Barbour Collection of Conn. Vital Records; New Haven, Conn. Vital Records; Wilson Papers, which included a letter from W. P. Benjamin, a brother; Norwich, Conn. Vital Records; p. 364 Avery Gen.; p. 105 Gen. of William Chesebrough, Widdey, 1903.

2017. WILLIAM PARK BENJAMIN[7] (Moses[6], David[5], John[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born July 13, 1813 at Norwich, Conn.; the son of Moses and Thankful (Williams) Benjamin; died December 11, 1887, age 74 (gs) at New London, Conn. He is buried in the New London Cemetery, lot #1-98. He m/1 Mary Louise Turner on July 20, 1834 at New London, Conn. She was born in 1814 and died July 9, 1844, age 29, to tuberculosis. He m/2 Elizabeth Wakeman Remington on July 3, 1845 at Windsor, Conn. She was born in 1816/7 and died May 5, 1891, age 71 (gs). Both of his wives are buried with him.

He had a dry goods store in New London, Conn. for many years.

Children of William and Mary (Turner) Benjamin:
*3818. William James Benjamin b. August 17, 1835 at New London, Conn.
3819. Mary Emma Benjamin b. May 13, 1838 at New London.
3820. Louise Turner Benjamin b. June 6, 1844 at New London, Conn.; m/1 Jan. 14, 1869 Philo Richmond at New London; m/2 Feb. 11, 1875 Henry C. Hodgdon at New London. She had no issue.

Children of William and Elizabeth (Wakeman Remington) Ben-
*3821. Charles Alford Benjamin b. May 20, 1847 at New London, Conn.
3822. Lizzie Remington Benjamin b. April 11, 1854; d. Jan 20, 1856.

Resources: Wilson Papers, which included a letter from William P. Benjamin; Mayflower Index #3167.

2018. STEPHEN PARK BENJAMIN[7] (Stephen[6], David[5], John[4], Jos.[3-2], Joh born March 3/4, 1800 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-264); the son of Stephen and Barbara (Phillips) Benjamin; died March 13,

1858, age 59 (gs) at Colchester, Conn. He married Sarah P. Phillips. She was born January 28, 1801 and died July 12, 1874 (gs). They are both buried in the Linwood Cemetery at Colchester, Conn., lot #2-30.

Stephen Park and his wife were admitted to church membership on June 29, 1842 at Colchester, Conn. (cr 2-111).

Children of Stephen and Sarah (Phillips) Benjamin:

3823. William Christopher Benjamin b. 1825; d. November 30, 1851, age 26, at Colchester. He was bp. in 1846 as an adult at the First Cong. Church (cr 2-52). He is buried in lot #2-71 in Colchester.

3824. Edwin Judson Benjamin b. 1831; d. April 29, 1833, age 13 mos. 4 days. Buried in lot #2-81.

3825. Susan Elizabeth Benjamin b. January 2,1835 at Lebanon, Conn.; d. November 28, 1912 at Colchester, buried in lot #2071 at Colchester. He m. September 18, 1854 at Colchester to John T. P. Treat.

Resources: Records from Mrs. Lloyd Brown, Sec. of Colchester Hist. Society.

2019. ELVIRA (ELIZA) BENJAMIN[7] (Stephen[6], David[5], John[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born February 18, 1802 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-264) the dau. of Stephen and Barbara (Phillips) Benjamin. She married Martin Rathbone of Salem, Conn. on November 18, 1829 at Colchester, Conn. (vr 2-218). He was the son of Joshua and Eunice (Martin) Rathbone and was born October 16, 1787 at Salem, Conn. and died 1865 at Salem. He had m/1 Betsey Brown in 1810 and she died in 1826.

Children of Martin and Elvira (Benjamin) Rathbone:

3826. George B. Rathbone b. 1833 at Colchester, Conn.

3827. Delia Rathbone b. 1839 at Colchester.

Children of Martin and Betsey (Brown) Rathbone:

Ranson B. Rathbone b. July 5, 1811.
Harriet E. Rathbone b. 1813 at Colchester.
Henry W. Rathbone b. April 20, 1815; m. April 17, 1838 Emily Benjamin, sister of his step-mother.
Sarah Rathbone b. 1817.
Russell Rathbone b. 1819.
Oliver Rathobone b. 1824.

Resources: p. 85 Rathbone Gen., Cooley, 1808.

2024. HENRIETTA BENJAMIN[7] (Stephen[6], David[5], John[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born April 1, 1815 at Colchester, Conn.; the dau. of Stephen and Barbara (Phillips) Benjamin; died June 2, 1898 at Colchester, Conn. and is buried in the Colchester Cemetery, lot #2052. She married Charles A. Swift of Windham, Conn. on April 17, 1838. He was born in Lebanon, Conn. and died January 18, 1851, age 38 yrs.

Children of Charles and Henrietta (Benjamin) Swift:
3828. Henrietta Benjamin Swift b. Feb. 6, 1840 at Colchester, Conn.
3829. Chatherine Esther Swift b. August 8, 1841.
3830. Harriet Swift b. 1842; d. Feb. 18, 1871, age 29.

2027. AARON BENJAMIN[7] (Rufus[6], John[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born about 1797; the son of Rufus A. and Catherine (Grant) Benjamin. He m. Sally --- who was born about 1800.
He resided in Hunter, Green Co., New York in 1850.

Children of Aaron and Sally (---) Benjamin:
3831. Sarah Benjamin.
3832. William Benjamin bc. 1842.
3833. Hellen Benjamin bc. 1846.
3834. John Benjamin bc. 1846.

Resource: 1850 census records.

2028. JOSEPH BENJAMIN[7] (Rufus[6], John[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born about 1800; the son of Rufus A. and Catherine (Grant) Benjamin; died October 30/31, 1878, age 77-3-18 (gs) at Ashland, Green Co., New York. He is buried in the Suttin Hollow Cemetery, near Ashland. He married Polly ---. She was born about 1799 and died April 13, 1872, age 72-1 and is buried with her husband.
His will is on file in Green Co.,N.Y. Box 27 file 855.

Children of Joseph and Polly (---) Benjamin:
3835. William H. H. Benjamin; resided in Ashland, N.Y. at the time of his father's death.
3836. Jane Benjamin; m. --- Lewis and resided at Ashland.
3837. Mahala Benjamin; m. --- Kreiger; had died before her father.
3838. Catherine Benjamin; m. --- Christian and resided in Philmont, Columbia Co., N.Y. at the time of her father's death.
3839. Jehiel (Jehial) Benjamin b. 1822; d. September 29, 1855, age 33 yrs. Information regarding his m. is unknown, but it would seem from his father's will that he left the following children to inherite in his place: Dehlia, Martha, and Witresy Benjamin of Roxbury, N.Y.
*3840. James W. Benjamin b. 1825.
3841. Charles Benjamin, who resided in Starbird, N.Y.
*3842. Witresy Benjamin bc.1839.

Resources: Cemetery Records; Probate and census records for Green Co., N.Y.; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

2029. AUGUSTUS BENJAMIN[7] (Rufus[6], John[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born about 1802/3; the son of Rufus A. and Catherine (Grant)

Benjamin; died before 1880 in Green Co., New York. He m/1 Naomi Emeline --- who was born about 1814 and died April 13, 1844, age 29-2-13 (gs). He m/2 Nancy (?Mary) Johnson who was born about 1824/5 and died April 25, 1905, age 80. Both of his wives are buried in the Maplewood Cemetery, which is just outside Hunter, N.Y.

He was listed in the 1850 and 1860 census records of Hunter, Green Co., N.Y. and his wife and children were listed in the 1880 census there. His property was divided in the Green Co. Land Records #91-480-3., dated November 1878. Only first 5 living children named in division.

Children of Augustus and Naomi (---) Benjamin:

3843. Maria (Mariah) N. Benjamin; m. --- Cole.
3844. Marsis Benjamin b. 1834. (male); perh. died young.
*3845. John D. Benjamin bc. 1836.
3846. Mary E. Benjamin bc. 1838; m. Henry Pardee, b. Mar. 29, 1842 and resided at Hardwinton and Plymouth, Conn. Issue:Eva Pardee b. 1864 and Bennie Pardee b. 1865.
3847. George W. Benjamin bc. 1842; resided at Roaring Brook, Lackawanna Co., Penn.
*3848. Henry Benjamin bc. 1844/5.

Children of Augustus and Nancy (Johnson) Benjamin:

3849. Anna Benjamin bc. 1846.
3850. Huldah Benjamin b. April 21, 1851; d. December 30, 1935; m. August 31, 1869 Paleman Alphonson Chichester, the son of Samuel and Susan (Andrus) Chichester. He was b. Dec. 25, 1840 at Southington, Conn. and d. Dec. 20, 1912 and is buried in a cemetery between Allaben and Phonecia, N.Y. Samuel was from Cairo, Green Co., N.Y. and later owned the Chichester Chair Factory in NYC. They resided at Poughkeepsie, Dutchess Co., NY. Huldah had a black patch over one eye, for she had lost an eye from small pox when she was first m. Paleman requested that he be enrolled as the first recruit from Poughkeepsie in the 128th Regt. in the Civil War.
3851. Lemuel J. Benjamin bc. 1854; m. Harriet M. Ostrander, who was b. 1865 and d. 1955.
3852. Philemon A. (Phileman) Benjamin b. 1856; d. 1934; m. Laurette L. Lveing, b. 1870, d. 1957. They are buried in the Maplewood Cem. near Hunter, NY. Their grave stone includes Beatrice Benjamin b. 1904, d. 1914 and Helen A. Benjamin b. 1902, d. 1922, wife of Ernest W. Wase b. 1893.
3853. Harriet Benjamin bc. 1858.
3854. Eugene Benjamin bc. 1866.
3855. Louisa Benjamin bc. 1869.
3856. Frank G. Benjamin; m. Mary J. ---.

Resources: Census records; Cemetery records; p. 306 Pardee

Gen., Jacobus, 1927; Records of Elmer C. Anderson of Burbank Calif.; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

2031. JOHN V./B. BENJAMIN[7] (Rufus[6], John[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born in 1806 in Green Co., New York; the son of Rufus A. and Catherine (Grant) Benjamin; died May 28, 1867 at Peoria, Illinois. He married Levirah Hitchcock on April 15, 1830 at Hunter, Green Co., N.Y. She was the dau. of Jedediah and Aerriah/Zerriah (Bushnell) Hitchcock and was born Apr. 14, 1807 at Hunter, N.Y. and died May 19, 1886 at Princeville, Illinois.

His wife and three sons came by ox team from Hunter, N.Y. to Peoria Co., Illinois in 1836, where he purchased land 12 miles north of Peoria. It was a large farm and he built one of the largest and most comfortable homes in the county. It was made of brick and had colonial architecture. He was a man of consequence and unusual ability. He was the inventor of the first riding (or sulky) plow and other farm implements.

Children of John and Levirah (Hitchcock) Benjamin:

*3857. Rufus John Benjamin b. July 3, 1831 in Hunter, N.Y.
*3858. Jedediah Hitchcock Benjamin b. July 21, 1833 at Hunter, N.Y.
*3859. Milo Washington Benjamin b.Jan. 31, 1833 at Hunter.
*3860. Harriet Levira Benjamin b. February 11, 1841 in Peoria Co., Ill.
3861. Edwin B. Benjamin b. 1843; d. 1843 in Peoria Co.
3862. Truman Benjamin b. 1846; d. 1846.
*3863. Alonzo Bushnell Benjamin b. July 3, 1846/49 in Peoria Co., Ill.

Resources: Hist. of Benjamin Family of Peoria Co., Ill., Franklin A. Benjamin.

2032. MEDAD BENJAMIN[7] (Rufus[6], John[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born about 1804/10 in Green Co., New York; the son of Rufus A. and Catherine (Grant) Benjamin. He married Rhoda --- who was born about 1814/17 and still alive in 1860. He m/2 Matilda ---.

He is listed in the 1850 census and 1860 census of Hunter, Green Co., New York. There is a division of his property dated Feb. 1873 in the Green Co. land records 79-66.

Children of Medad and Rhoda (---) Benjamin:

*3864. Charles Benjamin bc. 1832 in Green Co., N.Y.
3865. Elizabeth Benjamin bc. 1832/3; m. John Post.
3866. John Benjamin bc. 1834/5.
3867. Olive Benjamin bc. 1836/7; m. --- Kibby.
3868. Sarah Benjamin bc. 1839.
3869. Susan Benjamin bc. 1841; m. ---Bradt; resided in

Poughkeepsie, N.Y.
3870. Almira Benjamin bc. 1842; m. --- Waters.
3871. Newton Benjamin bc.1844/7.
3872. Lyman or Edward L. Benjamin bc. 1848/9; m. Ida Miller.
3873. Theodore Benjamin bc. 1853; residedin Cairo, N.Y.

Resources: Census records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

2033. GEORGE W. BENJAMIN[7] (Rufus[6], John[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born 1823 in Hunter, Green Co., New York; the son of Rufus A. and Catherine (Grant) Benjamin; died August 13, 1889 at Morris, Otsego Co., New York. He is buried in the Morris Church Yard. He married Juliett --- who was born in 1822 in Green or Otsego Co., New York.

He came to Morris about 1853/4 and was a cabinet maker and mechanic. In 1878 he owned a chair and cabinet factory in Elm Grove (now Morris), N.Y. He also had a furniture store in Morris.

Children of George W. and Juliett (---) Benjamin:
3874. Adaline Benjamin b. 1842 in Green Co., N.Y.; m. Josiah Withey.
*3875. Andrew J. Benjamin b. 1844 in Green Co., N.Y.
?*3876. William L. Benjamin b. 1847 in Green Co., N.Y.
3877. Harriet Benjamin b. 1848 in Green Co., N.Y.; m. Abram Kirkland.
3878. George Benjamin b. 1850 in Green Co., N.Y.; m. perhaps Ruth Spencer; had dau. Cora E. Benjamin.
3879. Oscar Benjamin b. 1854 at Otsego Co., N.Y.
3880. Alice Benjamin b. 1855 at Otsego Co., N.Y.; m. March 1886 George M. Mather.
3881. Lovina Benjamin b. 1857 in Otsego Co., N.Y.; m. --- Lewis.
3882. Carrie Benjamin b. 1860/1 in Otsego Co., N.Y.; m. Alfred Bennington; had no issue.
*3883. LeGrand Benjamin b. 1863 in Otsego Co., N.Y.

Resources: Morris, N.Y. census records; Letter to Mrs. Gordon Ginther from Harold Benjamin; p. 209 Hist. of Otsego Co., N.Y., Hurd.

?2044. JAMES S./W. BENJAMIN[7] (Ira[6], Barz.[5], Jabez[4], John[3], Joseph[2], John[1]) born 1830/1 in Strafford, Vermont; a possible son of Ira and Lovina (---) Benjamin. He married Nancy (Hancy Hansom) O. Kimball on December 12, 1854 at Strafford, Vt. (vr). She was born 1834/5 at Strafford, Vt.

He is located in the 1850 and 1860 census records of Strafford, Orange Co., Vermont and listed as a miner.

Children of James and Nancy (Kimball) Benjamin:
3884. Harry I. Benjamin b. June 30, 1858 at Strafford, Vermont. (vr).

*3885. James H. Benjamin b. December 22, 1859 at Strafford Vermont. (vr).
3886. Annette Benjamin b. December 22, 1859, a twin, at Strafford, Vt.; d. July 1, 1863 at Strafford, Vt. and buried in the Evergreen Cemetery.
3887. Charles E. Benjamin b. April 3, 1864; d. May 20, 1864 and buried in the Evergreen Cemetery.
3888. Samuel A. Benjamin b. June 16, 1865; d. July 30, 1865.
3889. Edward H. Benjamin, a twin, b. June 16, 1865; d. July 30, 1865.
*3890. Charles E. Benjamin b. September 5, 1868 at Straf ford, Vermont (vr).
3891. Mary Harriet Benjamin b. June 19, 1870 at Strafford, Vt. (vr); m. April 2, 1889 Fred G. Roberts at Strafford (vr).
3892. Jesse M. Benjamin b. January 20, 1876 at Strafford, Vt. (vr); d. July 12, 1930 at Strafford, Vt. (vr) m. June 17, 1905 Gertrude A. Barrett at Strafford (vr).
3893. Adellar (Della C.) Benjamin b. September 23, 1861 at Strafford, Vt. (vr)
3894. Adah A. Benjamin b. January 23, 1875 at Strafford, (vr); m. August 16, 1891 George H. Morse of Sharon, Vt. at Strafford (vr).
3895. Bertie Benjamin b. July 4, 1877; d. Aug. 28, 1877.
3896. Eva Benjamin b. February 23, 1873 at Strafford (vr)
3897. Abbie Benjamin b. 1872; d. May 2, 1881 at Thetford, Vt. (vr).
3898. Willie Benjamin b. Jan. 19, 1880; d. July 23, 1880 at Strafford, Vt. (vr).

Resources: Vital Records of Vermont.

2045. THOMAS G./J. BENJAMIN[7] (Eben.[6], Barz.[5], Jabez[4], John[3], Jos.[2], John[1]) born February 18, 1831 at Sharon, Vermont; the son of Ebenezer W. Benjamin. (On his 2nd m. rec. his father is given as either J. or I. Benjamin, perhaps it should be Ira Benjamin??) He died March 31, 1919 at Lebanon, New Hampshire (vr) and is buried in Lebanon. He m/1 Jane M. Benjamin on August 3, 1856 at Sharon, Vermont (vr), a cousin. (Another record reads Jane Comins.). He m/2 Hulda (Halvah) (Church) Scott of December 20, 1863 at Hartland , Vermont (vr). She was the dau. of Robert and Hulda (Winter) Church and was born in 1833/4 at Enfield, N.H. and died August 18, 1890, age 56-10-8 at Lebanon, New Hampshire. (vr).

He was a shoemaker and farmer. In the 1880 census he is located at Hartford, Windsor Co., Vermont.

Children of Thomas and Hulda (Church Scott) Benjamin:
3899. Alice M. Benjamin b. 1870 in Vt.
3900. George E. Benjamin b. 1874 in Vermont.

Resources: Vital Records of Vermont.

2047. WILLIAM E. BENJAMIN[7] (Eben.[6], Barz.[5], Jabez[4], John[3], Joseph[2], John[1]) born July 8, 1836 at Sharon, Windsor Co., Vermont; the son of Ebenezer W. Benjamin; died February 16, 1906 at Lucas, Kansas. He married Lucy W. Stewart of Claremont New Hampshire. She was born July 24, 1830 at Claremont.

They were living in Shutesbury, Mass. in 1861 and then removed to Russell Co., Kansas.

Children of William and Lucy (Stewart) Benjamin:

3901. Hollis William Benjamin b. August 2, 1859 at Somerset, Vermont (vr); d. December 24, 1891, age 32-4-25 (vr). He was in the livery business in Olmstead Co., ?Minn.?

Resources: Vermont Vital Records.

2053. JOHN EVERARD BENJAMIN[7] (John[6-5-4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born June 5, 1782 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of John C. and Anna (Brooks) Benjamin; died January 5/6, 1825, age 43, at Southington, Conn. and is buried in the Southington, Conn. Cemetery, lot #20100. He married Harriet Lewis on February 13, 1814 at Southington, Conn. (vr 2-138). She m/2 Levi Langdon of Marion, Alabama on July 26, 1835 at Southington, Conn. (vr 4-3).

John died within a few days of his 2 eldest sons.

Children of John E. and Harriet (Lewis) Benjamin:

3902. John E. Benjamin bc. 1814/5; bp. June 29, 1825 at Southington First Church (cr 4-28); died January 1825, age 10 (cr 4-66).

3903. Lucretia Benjamin b. November 30, 1817 at Southington, Conn. (vr LR4-3).

3904. Sidney Benjamin bc. 1819; d. December 30, 1824, age 5(Southington First cr 4-28).

3905. Sidney Benjamin bc. 1820; bp. December 2, 1825 at Southington First Church (cr 4-38); d. December 29, 1825, age 5 at Southington.

3906. Harriet Benjamin b. January 4, 1823 at Southington, Conn. (vr).

3907. Lewis Benjamin b. January 15, 1824 at Southington, Conn. (vr LR4-3).

Resources: Vital Records of Southington, Conn.; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church Records; Rhode Island Vital Records.

2054. LUCRETIA OLIVIA BENJAMIN[7] (John[6-5-4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born August 16, 1787 at Stratford, Conn.; the dau. of John C. and Anna (Brooks) Benjamin. She married George C. Bradish of New Orleans, La., the son of Billings and Sarah (Austin Bradish. He was born 1771/3 at Salem, Mass. and died May

14, 1835 in New York.

Children of George and Lucretia (Benjamin) Bradish:
3908. George C. Bradish Jr.; m. --- Johnson. They had several children, one of whom was Johnson Bradish, who was the Asst. Super. of Street Cleaning in N.Y.C. in 1900.

Resources: p. 503 Desc. of Richard Austin, Moore, 1970; and Wilson Papers.

2055. PETER WOODWARD BENJAMIN[7] (John[6-5-4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born November 6, 1788 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of John and Anna (Brooks) Benjamin; died November 22, 1837, age 49 (gs) at Fremont, Ohio and is buried in the Lower Sandusky Cemetery. His grave stone reads "Peter J. Benjamin". The name of his wife and children are unknown, though it is suspected that he had a son Peter.

He was an Ensign in 1814, a Lt. in 1815, and a Capt. in 1816 in the New York State Militia in New York County.

Henry P. and wife Mary G. (Musier) Russell of Buffalo, New York sold for $1.00 to Peter W. Benjamin of New York City 40 acres in the Northeast 1/4 section 17 and 40 acres of the northeastern ¼ of the northwest 1/4 of Section 15 in Woodville Twp. #6, Range 13, in Sandusky Co., Ohio by deed dated February 16, 1837 (Sandusky Deeds 1"428). This land is on the east-west road north of the town of Woodville, Ohio.

Resources: Records of George Ely Russell of Bowie, Md.

2071. DELUCINA PULASKI BENJAMIN[7] (Aaron[6], John[5-4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born March 22, 1796 at Stratford, Conn.; (vr 5-121); the son of Aaron and Dorothy (Brooks) Benjamin; died October 27, 1883/4, age 88 (gs). at Stratford, Conn. He is buried in the Stratford Cemetery, lot #4-522. He married Susan Curtis on August 1824. She was the dau. of Asa and Susanna (Curtis) Curtis and was born in 1798 and died November 27, 1835 at the age of 37 and is buried in the same cemetery lot as her husband.

He followed the life of a sailor. In 1811 he went on a vessel to Saville, Spain where on Christmas Day of 1812 he was captured with the vessel as a prize by a British man-of-war, taken to England, put in Dartmouth prison, where he was kept until the close of the War of 1812. He was then released. He came home, became commander of a vessel in the East India Trade, which he commanded for many years. For a number of years before his death, he remained at his comfortable home in Stratford and was known as a remakably upright man.

Children of DeLucina and Susan (Curtis) Benjamin:
3909. Pulaski Benjamin b. June 23, 1826 at Stratford, Conn.; d. December 2, 1899; unmarried; buried in

Stratford Cemetery, lot #1056.

3910. Caroline E. Benjamin b. September 29, 1825; d. May 26, 1895, age 70 yrs.; buried in the Burlington Flats Cemetery; m. Edwin Talbot and resied at Mamaroneck, Long Island, N.Y. and had a large family. They had a son Frank Talbot b. Aug. 10, 1864 at Burlington, N.Y.; m. Cooperstown, N.Y. Harriet Elizabeth Clark, dau. of Johusa Delos Clark, b. May 1, 1862 at S. Brookfield, N.Y. and resided at Gloversville, N.Y.

3911. Susan Curtis Benjamin b. December 15, 1827; d. Mar. 14, 1915 and buried in the Greenwich, Conn. Cemetery, lot #440283.

*3912. John Benjamin b. August 11, 1829 at Stratford, Conn

3913. William Benjamin b. 1831; d. December 16, 1835, age 4 years at Stratford, Conn.

Resources: p. 1147 Hist.of Stratford, Conn.; Wilson Papers p. 95 Desc. of Henry Clark, Van Deventer, 1902; Vol. 111 p. 123 N.E. Gen. and Hist. Register; Vol. 2 p. 229-30 Hist. of Stratford, Orcutt.

2072. WILLIAM MASSENA BENJAMIN[7](Aaron[6], John[5-4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born January 1/3, 1800 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of Aaron and Dorothy (Brooks) Benjamin; died March 2, 1862, age 62, at Brooklyn, New York. He is buried in the Stratford, Conn. Cemetery, lot #40533. He married Sara Jane Turk on November 6, 1834. She died June 25, 1903 and is buried in the St. Phillip's Protestant Episcipole Cemetery at Garrison, New York. She was a descendant of the famous William Nicholl of Leisterstine and also of Malthais Nicholl, the first Secretary of the Providence of New York in 1664.

William went to New York City about 1818 and was a merchant in the clothing business for many years there. The name of his firm was Wm. and J. Benjamin.

He was an Ensign in 1820 and a Lt. in 1822 in the New York County, N.Y. State Militia.

Children of William and Sara (Turk) Benjamin:

*3914. William Henry Benjamin.

*3915. Samuel Nicholl Benjamin b. January 3, 1839 in New York City, N.Y.

3916. Laura Gertrude Benjamin b.1843; d. September 5, 1848, age 4 yrs. 4 mos.

*3917. Edward Austin Benjamin b. 1847.

3918. daughter.

3919. daughter.

Resources: Wilson Papers, Vol. 29 Nat. Cyctopaedia of Am. Biog.; Vol. 55 p. 78 N.Y. Gen. and Biog. Record.

2073. JOHN C. (news reports of m. say JOHN-ANNA) BENJAMIN[7] (Aaron[6]

John[5-4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born July 11, 1802 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of Aaron and Dorothy (Brooks) Benjamin; died September 22, 1845/6 at Stratford, Conn. and is buried in the Stratford Cemetery, lot #3-522. He married Anna Maria Gillon (Giltow) of Stratford on May 28/30, 1838 at Stratford, Conn. (vr). She was the dau. of Alexander and Sarah Harriet (Brisbane) Gillon. She was born November 25, 1817 and died March 26, 1900 at Charlestown, South Carolina. She m/2 on December1851 Thomas Nathaniel Farr.

He left Stratford in 1818 and went to New York City and subsequently went into the clothing business with his brother, William Massena, in the firm W.M. and J. Benjamin He married and went to Brooklyn to live.

The St. Michael's Parish of Litchfield, Conn. (cr 1-120) notes that Anna Marie removed in Nov. 1850 to Charles town, S.C.

Children of John and Anna (Gillon) Benjamin:

3920. Alexander Gillon (Giltow) Benjamin b. January 3, 1839; d. December 6, 1840 (gs), age 1 yr.; buried in Stratford, Conn., lot #4-523.

3921. Elvira Nicoll Benjamin b. November 27, 1840; d. August 14, 1884 in South Carolina; was drowned near Sullivan's Island while saving the life of a child. There is a memorial window in the Chapel of the Holy Cross on Sullivan Island. The dedication was Aug. 22, 1892, with Rev. George F. Digen offering an appropriate sermon.

3922. Alfred Alston Benjamin b. January 2, 1841; d. 1858.

*3923. Anna Elizabeth Benjamin b. January 3, 1844.

*3924. John Anna Benjamin b. September 17, 1846.

Resources: Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery and Church Records; p. 177 "The Brisbanes" South Carolina Hist. and Gen. Magazine, Vol. 14.

2076. FREDERICK AUGUSTUS BENJAMIN[7] (Aaron[6], John[5-4-3], Caleb[2], John born September 24, 1807 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of Aaron and Dorothy (Brooks) Benjamin; died October 3, 1891, age 84, at Stratford, Conn. He is buried in the Stratford Cemetery, lot #1-47. He married Elizabeth Anna Dundas Bedell on January 7, 1854. She was the dau. of Dr. Gregory T. Bedell and was born August 12, 1822 and died December 5, 1889 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Elizabeth Anna was a very brilliant woman. A member of several archaelogical societies; a great student; and devoted much of her life to literature and good works. Many of her writings were religious in nature.

Mr. Benjamin was one of the old merchants of New York City, and for many years was associated with the firm of Becar, Benjamin, & Co. When he left his paternal roof, his entire capital consisted of $37.00; energy and perserverance enabled him to retire in 1852 with a substancial fortune. He returned to the old homestead and errected a

a handsome county seat upon the site. He was one of the electors of Abraham Lincoln for President for his second term at the convention and during a portion of the Civil War represented his district in the State Senate of Conn.

Children of Frederick A. and Elizabeth (Bedell) Benjamin:

3925. Arthur Bedell Benjamin b. October 6, 1854; d. November 20, 1914; m. Jessamine Louise Stagg of Stamford, Conn. in 1880. She was the dau. of Joseph H. Stagg and was born in 1857. They had no children. He is buried in the Stratford, Conn. Cemetery, lot #1-47. He commanded and owned quite a number of vessels. He retired from that field in 1888 to take possession as secretary of Clark Electric Co. of N.Y. He lived in the old Benjamin homestead at Stratford, Conn.

Resources: Wilson Papers; p. 566 Thurston Fam., Thruston, 2nd Edition; Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records.

2077. HENRY MEIGS[7] (Clara[6], John[5-4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born October 28, 1782 at New Haven, Conn.; the son of Josiah and Clara (Benjamin) Meigs; died May 20, 1861 at New York City and buried at St. Peter's in Perth Amboy, New Jersey. He married Julianna Austin on February 19, 1806 at Philadelphia, Penn., the dau. of Stephen Austin. She was born May 3, 1783 and died in New York City and is buried with her husband.

He graduated from Yale in 1799, was a judge and a member of the 16th Congress in 1849.

Children of Henry and Julianna (Austin) Meigs:

3926. Julia Austin Meigs b. December 1806; m. Walter Oddew.
3927. Charles Meigs; died young.
3928. Henry Meigs.
3929. Clara Forsyth Meigs.
3930. Theodore Denton Meigs.
3931. Charles Austin Meigs.
3932. Evangaline Meigs; died young.

Resource: p. 118 Desc. of Richard Austin, Moore.

2081. CHARLES DELUCENA MEIGS[7] (Clara[6], John[5-4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born --- 19, 1792 in Bermuda; the son of Josiah and Clara (Benjamin) Meigs; died June 22, 1869. He married Mary Montgomery of Philadelphia, Penn. on March 15, 1815, the dau. of William Montgomery.

He graduated from the University of Georgia and in medicine from the University of Penn.; was a member of the Medical Society of Penn.

Children of Charles and Mary (Montgomery) Meigs:

3933. Montgomery Cunningham Meigs b. May 3, 1816; d. Jan.

1892; m. May 12, 1841 Louisa Rogers.

3934. Charles Delucena Meigs b. July 23, 1817; d. 1895; m. April 23, 1844 Elizabeth Leaming, dau. of Furnam Leaming.

3935. John Forsyth Meigs, M.D. b. Oct. 3, 1818; d. Dec. 16, 1882; m. Oct. 17, 1844 Ann Welcocks Ingersoll dau. of Charles Jared Ingersoll.

3936. William Montgomery Meigs b. Dec. 31, 1819; d. Mar. 21, 1824.

3937. Henry Vincent Meigs b. June 19, 1821; d. 1897 in Georgia; m. July 2, 1843 Henrietta Hargreaves Stewart, dau. of Charles D. Stewart.

3938. Emily Skenvier Meigs b. Sept. 29, 1824; m. April 16 1846 Jonathan William Biddle.

3939. William Montgomery Meigs b. April 16, 1826; d. Sept 6, 1897; m. Aug. 25, 1855 Jerusha Eliza Turner, dau. of John S. Turner; resided LaFayette, Ind.

3940. Capt. Samuel Emlen Meigs b.July 16, 1828; m. May 1863 Cornelia Rogers, dau.of William E. Rogers; Capt. in the Civil War; resided Philadelphia.

3941. Franklin Bache Meigs b. Nov. 10, 1829; d. Dec. 25, 1881.

3942. Mary Craythorne Meigs b. Aug. 9, 1838; m. June 28, 1865 Dr. Harry Carleton Hart of Philadelphia.

Resources: p. 514-5 Colonial Families of U.S., McKenzie.

2088. MEIGS DELUCENA BENJAMIN[7] (Asa[6], John[5-4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born September 13, 1795 at Stratford, Conn. (vr); the son of Asa and Hannah (Plant) Benjamin; died January 17, 1873, age 77, in New York City. He is buried in the Bridgeport, Conn. Cemetery, lot #4-137. He m/1 Frances Henrietta Connell (Cornell) of New York on on March 20, 1820. She was born December 14,1799 at New Windsor, Conn. and died August 7, 1822, age 22, at Bridgeport, Conn. She is buried in lot #4-184. He m/2 Julia Ann Berry of Sharon, Conn on January 1, 1824. She was the dau. of Nathaniel and Ann (---) Berry and was born November 6, 1800 at Sharon, Conn. and died August 11, 1827, age 26-8-26 (gs) at Sharon Conn. and is buried in the Sharon, Conn. Cemetery, lot #142-62. He m/3 Julia Ann Scott on November 13, 1828 at Stratford, Conn. (vr). She was the dau. of Thomas and Mary (Curtiss) Scott and was born November 30, 1799 at Stratford and died February 17, 1875, age 77-4-7, in New York City. She is buried in the same cemetery lot as her husband.

Meigs was in the New York Militia. He was an Ensign in 1820, a Lt. in 1814 in the Otsego Co. Militia and moved from that area in 1816. He was in the New York County Regt. in 1817, a Lt. in 1818 and a Capt. in 1820 and 1822. He was sent to Long Island to throw up works to prevent the landing of the British in 1812. He retired in 1837 as a Lt. Colonel.

Children of Meigs and Frances (Connell) Benjamin:

3943. Emily Matilda Benjamin b. March 14, 1821; d. Feb. 27, 1885; m. Sept. 10, 1844 William Wilson Hubbell. He was a Major in the Army and killed June 3, 1864 in the battle of Cold Harbor, Virginia.

Children of Meigs and Julia (Berry) Benjamin:

3944. Frances Maria Benjamin b. October 30, 1824; d. Oct. 15, 1848; unm.

3945. Edward Meigs Benjamin b. June 13, 1826 in New York City; m. Ann Byron; was a merchant in N.Y.C.; had no issue.

Children of Meigs and Julia (Scott) Benjamin:

*3946. Julia Ann Benjamin b. August 10, 1829 at N.Y.C.

*3947. John Rutherford Benjamin b. May 14, 1832 in New York City, N.Y.

3948. Mary Lucretia Benjamin b. October 13, 1834 in NYC; m. September 23, 1854 St. Clair Smith, the son of Joseph W. and Jane L. (Lamberson) Smith. He was b. Jan. 30, 1833, d. Oct. 3, 1869; was a lawyer; had 4 daus., all married.

*3949. Eastburn Benjamin b. February 5, 1837 at New York City.

3950. Clara Meigs Benjamin b. October 18, 1846 at N.Y.C.; m. Feb. 17, 1870 Ellison Morton. They had one son and one dau.

Resources: Wilson Papers; p. 334 Fam.of Richard Smith, Frederick K. Smith, 1967.

2090. SARAH (SALLY) MATILDA BENJAMIN[7] (Asa[6], John[5-4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born October 18, 1801 at Stratford, Conn.; the dau. of Asa and Hannah (Plant) Benjamin; died April 14, 1865 at Bridgeport, Conn. She married Capt. Abijah Hawley on January 30, 1826 at Bridgeport, Conn.; the son of Abijah and Ann (Hubbell) Hawley. He was born October 7, 1798 and died March 26, 1861. He had m/1 Betsey Amelia Nichols. He was a sea captain and merchant.

Children of Abijah and Sarah (Benjamin) Hawley:

3951. Bessie Benjamin Hawley; m. Frederick Lyon; resided Bridgeport, Conn.; had several children.

Resource: p. 151 Hawley Rec., Hawley, 1890.

2091. HANNAH (ANNA) MARION (MARIA) BENJAMIN[7] (Asa[6], John[5-4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born August 28, 1809 at Stratford, Conn. (vr 5-105); the dau. of Asa and Hannah (Plant) Benjamin; died April 14, 1894 at Stratford, Conn. She married Lewis Henry Russell on November 8, 1831 at Bridgeport (m. also recorded at Morristown, N.J. First Presb. Church). He was the son of Henry Pierson and Sarah (Peer) Russell and was born December 14, 1807 at Morristown, New Jersey and died

April 8, 1873, age 65-3-24, at Stratford, Conn.
He was a merchant.

Children of Lewis and Hannah (Benjamin) Russell:

3952. Robert Henry Russell b. August 18, 1832 at Stratford, Conn.; d. April 3, 1896, age 63; m. May 8, 1856 Maria Elizabeth Wells; was Judge of Probate Court in Stratford, Conn. Had a dau. Frances B. Russell b. Oct. 11, 1859 and a grandson, named after him, who was a publisher in New York in 1900.

3953. Asa Benjamin Russell b. November 23, 1835; d. March 28, 1866 at Pensacola, Florida.

3954. Henry Pierson Russell b. Dec. 20, 1838; d. same day

3955. Sarah Russell b. November 6, 1840 at Stratford; d. February 19, 1917; unmarried.

3956. Henry Pierson Russell b. Jan. 8, 1843 at Stratford; d. Aug. 29, 1817; m. Lizzie F. Clem.

3957. Lewis Howard Russell b. Sept. 20, 1844; d. May 31, 1902 at Bridgeport, Conn.

3958. Twin boys, b. prematurely July 29, 1848.

Resource: Wilson Papers.

2096. DELUCENA BENJAMIN[7] (Gideon[6], George[5], John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born 1784/5 at Stratford, Conn. (in the old Benjamin Tavern); the son of Gideon and Sarah (Booth) Benjamin; died May 26, 1829, age 44 (gs) at Bethel, Conn. and buried in the Bethel Main Street Cemetery. He married Deroxa Knapp of Bethel, the dau. of Daniel and Anna (Pangborn) Knapp. She was born in 1788/9 and died June 16, 1882, age 94 (gs) at Danbury, Conn.

He was a private in the Fairfield, Conn. Company under Isaac Bennet during the War of 1812.

Mrs. Doroxa Benjamin was admitted to the church at Danbury, Conn. on Sept. 1831 and is listed at that time as a widow (cr 6-207). Church record 8-218 gives the date of her death.

Children of Delucena and Deroxa (Knapp) Benjamin:

3959. Mary Ann Benjamin b. December 1, 1810 at Bethel, Conn.; d. June 25, 1900, age 89, at Norwalk, Conn m. William Selleck of Norwalk, Conn. and had 4 children. He was b. April 27, 1807 at Norwalk and d. there Oct. 14, 1864, age 57-5. Issue:

Mary Elizabeth Selleck b. Sept. 19, 1829 at Norwalk; d. Jan. 25, 1914; m. William Wade b. Huddersfield, England b. Oct. 9, 1819, d. Nov. 6, 1892, age 73. Both are buried at Pine Island Cem. at Norwalk. They had:

Frederick Benjamin Wade b. 1850, d. 1855.

John Hague Wade b. 1853, d. 1932.

Florence Benjamin Wade b. 1856.
William Selleck Wade b. 1858.
Winifield Scott Wade b. 1861.

Anna Selleck b. Sept. 9, 1833; m. William Orlando Smith b. Oct. 13, 1831; of Newark, Ohio. They had:
Anna Eudora Smith b. 1856.
Helen May Smith b. 1859.
Andrew Reasoner Smith b. 1863.
Georgia Orlando Smith b. 1869.

*3960. George Baldwin Benjamin b. July 26, 1813 at Stratford, Conn.
*3961. Hiram B. (Frank) Benjamin b. 1815 at Stratford.
3962. Daniel Benjamin b. 1816; d. June 2, 1892, age 75 at Danbury, Conn.
*3963. Harriet Benjamin b. 1818 at Stratford.
*3964. Charles D. Benjamin b. August 31, 1823 at Danbury.
3965. Catherine B. Benjamin b. 1826; d. 1868, buried in the Danbury Cemetey, lot #1-127; m. Dr. Frank P. Clark of Danbury.
*3966. Sarah Benjamin.

Resources: Vol. 49 p. 157 DAR Lineage Book; Conn. Militia Records of War of 1812; p. 189 Nicholas Knapp Gen., Knapp, 1953; Hale Collection of Conn. Cemetery and Church Records Records of Mrs. Delbert Wade of Belmot, N.Y.

2098. SARAH (SALLIE) BENJAMIN[7] (Gideon[6], George[5], John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born June 1, 1794 at Stratford, Conn.; the dau. of Gideon and Sarah (Booth) Benjamin; died March 21, 1871. She married William Drewell Roberts Jr. on December 27, 1812. He was born December 13, 1789 and died March 25, 1832, age 42 yrs. 3 mos.

Children of William and Sarah (Benjamin) Roberts:
3967. William Drewell Roberts b. November 13, 1813; d. November 21, 1833.
3968. Charles Benjamin Roberts b. March 17, 1816; d. July 7, 1832.
3969. William Henry Roberts b. March 5, 1818; d. August 8, 1823.
3970. John Little Roberts b. December 21, 1821; d. before 1900; m. --- Lewis; had son Charles Roberts in U.S. service in Manilla in 1900.
3971. Theodore Augustus Roberts b. May 31, 1828; d. 1900; had son Edward.
3972. George Henry Roberts, a twin, b. May 31, 1828; d. before 1900; m/1 ??; m/2 Catherine ---; had dau. Catherine and son George W.
3973. Edward Phillips Roberts b. January 11, 1832; d. October 16, 1832.

Resource: Wilson Papers.

2099. HIRAM B. BENJAMIN[7] (Gideon[6], George[5], John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born 1796 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of Gideon and Sarah (Booth) Benjamin; died January 3, 1874, age 78 (gs). and is buried in the Bethel, Conn. Cemetery, lot #1-85. He married Anna Hicock of Bethel on September 1817. She was born 1798-1800 and died June 21, 1866, age either 66 or 68 She is buried with her husband.

Children of Hiram and Anna (Hicock) Benjamin:

3974. Delecena Benjamin b. 1818; d. August 26, 1829, age 11 yrs.; buried in Bethel, lot #3-125.
3975. Rev. Theodore Hiram Benjamin b. 1827 at Danbury, Conn.; d. September 11, 1855, age 28; soon after ordination; buried Bethel lot #1-85.
3976. Edward Benjamin b. 1832; d. March 18, 1832, age 7 weeks; buried in Bethel lot #3-131.
3977. Cordelia J. Benjamin b. August 3, 1837; d. November 27, 1887; buried in Bethel lot #1-82.
3978. Alice Thompson Benjamin b. April 4, 1846 at Danbury, Conn.; d. April 21, 1902; m. George Gilbert Durant; buried in Bethel Cemetery, lot #1-85.
3979. Eliza Benjamin; m. June 15, 1842 Thomas Mallory of Woodbury, Conn. (Danbury vr 3-115); resided in Bethel, Conn.
3980. daughter; m. --- Ives.
3981. Lucy Benjamin; buried in Bethel Cemetery, lot #3-128; no dates.

Resources: Wilson Papers, which included a letter from Lt. T. Hiram Benjamin in 1880's; Hale Collection of Conn. Cemetery records; Family Group sheet from Latter Day Saint Library in Salt Lake City.

2100. WILLIAM HIATT BENJAMIN[7] (Gideon[6], George[5], John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born 1797 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of Gideon and Sarah (Booth) Benjamin; died February 10, 1860, age 63 (gs) at Stratford, Conn. He is buried in the Congregational Burying Place, lot #1-58. He married Cynthia Ann McEwen on September 1825 at Stratford, Conn. She was born 1806 and died September 28, 1866, age 60 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Children of William and Cynthia (McEwen) Benjamin:

3982. William H. Benjamin b. 1826; d. 1826 in Stratford, (gs); buried in Stratford, lot #1-58.
*3983. Samuel W. Benjamin b. February 21, 1828 at Stratfor
*3984. William Henry Benjamin b. February 16, 1830.
3985. Mary E. Benjamin b. 1832; d. 1909 (gs); buried in same lot as parents; m. Robert Curtis and had no children.
3986. Albertine Mardiss Benjamin b. 1835; d. 1904; buried with parents; unmarried.
3987. Susan Frances (Fannie) Benjamin b. 1840 at Stratford, Conn.; d. 1910; (gs); buried in same lot as

parents; m. Theodore Judson. Had son John C. Judson b. September 26, 1865

3988. George F. Benjamin b. 1845; d. October 13, 1848, age 4 yrs. (gs); buried with his parents.

3989. John C. Benjamin b. September 26, 1845 at Stratford, Conn.; m. Susan V./M. Bronson of Waterbury, Conn. on November 24, 1864. They had 4 children, 3 of whom died in infancy.

Resources: p. 1147 Hist. of Stratford, Conn., Orcutt; p. 207 Inscriptions of Cong. Burying Place in Stratford; Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records; Wilson Papers.

2101. GEORGE M./B./S. BENJAMIN[7] (Gideon[6], George[5], John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born 1800/1 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of Gideon and Sarah (Booth) Benjamin; died February 21, 1840 at the age of 39 at Rochester, Monroe Co., New York. He married Susan Chichester of Wilton, Conn. (vr 1-3) on June 27, 1821 at Wilton, Conn. She was the dau. of Dr. Abraham and Mary (Arnold) Chichester and was born about 1802 at Norwalk, Conn.

He was a member of the 2nd Co., Regt. of Light Artillery. While he lived in Bethel, Conn., he carried on the hatting business with his father.

There is a marriage record of Susan M. Benjamin on April 22, 1844 at Bridgeport, Conn. to Lyman W. Seeley. They both are "of Bridgeport". It may be a second marriage for her, or it might be the marriage of a dau.

Children of George and Susan (Chichester) Benjamin:

3990. Frederick Benjamin.

3991. Charles Theodore Benjamin.

3992. George Benjamin; obviously died young.

3993. George B. Benjamin.

3994. John Benjamin; listed in the 1834 Rochester, N.Y. City Directory as a 'joiner'.

3995. Jane Benjamin.

3996. Harriet Benjamin.

3997. Adeline Benjamin.

3998. Augusta B$_e$njamin.

3999. William Henry Benjamin.

*4000. Frank George Benjamin.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Wilton, Conn. Vital Records Vol. 1 p. 3 by Elmer C. Anderson; Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records; Barbour Collection of Conn. Vital Records.

2102. ROBERT CHARLES BENJAMIN[7] (Gideon[6], George[5], John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born November 2, 1803 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of Gideon and Sarah (Booth) Benjamin; died November 6, 1862, age 59, at Stratford, Conn. He is buried in the

Stratford Cemetery, lot #1-55. He married Ann Cornelia Whiting Fairchild on November 26, 1826 at Stratford, Conn. (vr A-17). She was the dau. of John Curtis and Elizabeth (Burch) Fairchild and was born October 26, 1809 and died in 1904.

Children of Robert and Cornelia (Fairchild) Benjamin:

*4001. John Benjamin b. May 1, 1829 at Stratford, Conn.
*4002. Edward George Benjamin b. December 7, 1830.
*4003. Robert Charles Benjamin b. between 1830-40.
4004. Delia Benjamin b. June 1, 1842 at Stratford, Conn.; d. May 24, 1911; buried in Stratford, lot #1-55; m. June 2, 1864 Henry Dans.
4005. Henry Benjamin b. April 30, 184?.
4006. Ann Cornelia Benjamin.
4007. Rebecca Benjamin.

Resources: p. 135 Vol. 8 and p. 91 Vol. 155 DAR Lineage Books; Family Bible Records of Charles Henry Benjamin of Bridgeport, Conn. sent to Dr. Wilson.

2106. NATHAN BENJAMIN[7] (Joseph[6], Elnathan[5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born between 1794-1800, probably in Conn.; the son of Joseph and Betty (Curtiss) Benjamin. He married Elizabeth Stewart of Orange, Vermont on June 3, 1830 at Cheshire, Vermont (vr p. 176). She was born in 1801/2 and died September 17, 1864, age 62, at a Vermont assylum with a Brattleboro, Vt. (vr).

He residedat New Haven, Vt. at time of marriage, and apparently moved back to Washington Co., N.Y.

Children of Nathan and Elizabeth (Stewart) Benjamin:

*4008. Russell W. Benjamin born in New York.

Resources: Vermont Vital Records.

2117. SHERMAN BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Elnathan[5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born September 21, 1800 at Derby, Conn.; the possible son of Samuel Benjamin; died March 3, 1895, age 94-5-10 (gs) at Bridgeport, Conn. and is buried in the Stratford, Conn. Cemetery, lot #6-556. He married Catherine Munson of E. Bridgeport, the dau. of William Munson. She was born December 1, 1806 at Huntington, Conn. and d. April 1, 1879 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Sherman was a blacksmith and wagon maker and in partnership with William Wheeler.

The Hist. of Conn. had a note which read.."His grandfather Samuel Benjamin, b. in Stratford, now Bridgeport, and was a blacksmith there."

Children of Sherman and Catherine (Munson) Benjamin:

4009. Sarah Ann Benjamin b. May 5, 1828 at Putney, Stratford Twp., Conn.; m. December 8, 1852 at Stratford Ira Beardsley. Mrs. Beardsley came to East

Bridgeport when it was first laid out in streets. She had a son Miles Beardsley b. December 20, 1834 at Huntington, Conn., m/1 Sarah A. Allis of Huntington, m/2 Sarah Morgan of Wallingford. He was a dock and bridge builder.

4010. Elizabeth Benjamin b. 1830; m. January 1, 1864 Franklin Wheeler. Another source says she m. David Hawley Wheeler, son of Franklin Wheeler. He was b. Nov. 10, 1798 and d. May 28, 1880. She d. 1880 and is buried at Stratford Cemetery , lot #6-553.

Resources: p. 1167 Vol. VII Gen. and Family Hist. of Conn. Cutler; p. 418 Hist. of Wheeler Fam. in Am., Wheeler, 1914 Wilson Papers.

2118. BENJAMIN BENJAMIN[7] (David Phippany[6], Elnathan[5], Samuel[4], John[3] Caleb[2], John[1]) born 1804 or 1807 at Stiff Knee, Vermont; the son of David Phippany Benjamin and Nancy (Snody); died March 20, 1882, age 77-6-9 (gs) and is buried in the Galick Family Cemetery at West Haven, Vermont. He m/1 Aurelia Talmage, who was born about 1808 or 1810 in Vermont and is buried in the Kock Farm Cemetery. He m/2 Mrs. Elizabeth Pratt, who was born about 1815 in New Hampshire.

In 1855 he said he had resided in Dresden, Washington Co., N.Y. for 23 years. In the 1850 census he was a farmer and worth $1000. and was Town Clerk of Whitehall, New York from 1838 to 1841.

Esther West was adopted to care for baby John. His second wife, Elizabeth Pratt, destroyed the adoption papers, and therefore John did not inherit the expected amount from his father. Benjamin was a "cousin" of Burr Benjamin of Dresden and also of Samuel Benjamin, who lived at the top of the Burt Hill on the road leading thru the French settlement. It was this statement that strengthens the belief of your compilier that David Phippany Benjamin is definitely related to the Elnathan Benjamin line!

Children of Benjamin Benjamin:

4011. Maria Benjamiin b. 1832 in New York; m. about 1855 Jeffery Colt; m/2 Nehemiah Collins.

*4012. John Breer Benjamin b. 1833; was adopted by Benjamin at the age of 18 months.

4013. Esther West Benjamin; was adopted to help care for the baby, John Breer.

Resources: Census records; Research of Mrs. Fred Stiles of Ft. Ann, N.Y.; records of Mrs. W. A. Blackmore of Schenectady, N.Y.

2119. ELNATHAN BENJAMIN[7] (David Phippany[6], Elnathan[5], Samuel[4], John[3] Caleb[2], John[1]) born in 1808 in Vermont; the son of Capt. David Phippany and Nancy (Snody) Benjamin; died August 28,

1882, age 73 yrs. 4 mos. (gs) and is buried in the Sciota Cemetery at North Whitehall, Washingtnn Co., New York. He married Emily Saunders, the dau. of Phineas Saunders. She was born in 1815/6 at South Bay, N.Y. and died July 31, 1884, age 68 yrs. 9 mos. (gs) and is buried with her husband. She is listed in the 1865 census as the mother of 7 children.

Elnathan was a farmerand in 1850 is worth $3000. He was on the list of contributors to the building of the Baptist Church in Dresden, N.Y. He was a Supervisor in Diresden in 1826, 28, 30; Town Clerk in 1827; and Justice of the Peace in 1828. His will is listed in Book R. p. 271 and was written in 1873 and recorded July 1882.

Children of Elnathan and Emily (Saunders) Benjamin:

*4014. Nancy E. Benjamin b. 1836.

*4015. Phineas S. Benjamin b. September 14, 1838.

4016. David P. Benjamin b. 1840; d. March 19, 1854, age 23 yrs. (gs) and buried in the same cemetery as his parents. He was a teacher.

4017. Sarah Emily Benjamin b. 1845; m. --- Adams.

4018. Harriet Benjamin b. 1851; d. 1926; m. Darwin W. Adams b. 1849 in Vt.; d. 1931; had son Edward D. Adams b. 1874.

Resources: Research ofMrs. Fred Stiles of Ft. Ann, N.Y.; Records of Mrs. W. A. Blackmore of Schenectady, N.Y.

2121. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[7] (David Phippany[6], Elnathan[5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born either 1819 or 1822 in West Haven, Vermont; the son of David Phippany and Nancy (Snody) Benjamin; died February 20, 1903, age 80 (gs) and is buried in the Boarman Cemetery at Whitehall, Washington Co., New York. He married Mary J. (?A.) Wilson, the dau. of Lemuel Wilson. She was born in 1820 in Washington Co., N.Y. and died April 27, 1893, age 73(gs) and is buried with her husband.

Samuel was on the list in 1850 as one of the contributors to the building fund of the Baptist Church at Dresden N.Y. He was a farmer.

Lemuel Wilson made a will on Feb. 19, 1865 at Whitehall, naming his wife and 3 children, one of whom was Mary A. Benjamin.

Samuel bought land from John and Betsey Billings, Samuel Wilson and wife Deborah,and F.D. Mecham. In 1852 he bought land in Dresden from George Burnett of Putnam Co., N.Y. for $190.

Children of Samuel and Mary (Wilson) Benjamin:

4019. Josephine A. Benjamin b. October 8, 1845 in Vt.; d. Oct. 6, 1906 (gs); buried in the same cem. as her parents; m/1 Cassious L. Landon; m/2 John W. Hall. She had children: Elmer and Frederick.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Fred Stiles of Ft. Ann, N.Y.; Records of Mrs. W. A. Blackmore of Schenectady, N.Y.; Records of Mrs. Gordon McEachron of Argyle, N.Y.

2125. ANNIS BENJAMIN[7] (David Phippany[6], Elnathan[5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born January 6, 1820 at West Haven, Vermont; the dau. of Capt. David Phipanny and Nancy (Snody) Benjamin. She married on December 15, 1842 to Harry Bartholomew, who was born April 25, 1818 at Whitehall, NY and died in 1903. Annis died December 8,1865.

He was a farmer and resided in the northeast portion of Whitehall, N.Y.

Children of Harry and Annis (Benjamin) Bartholomew:

4020. Alma Bartholomew b. October 17, 1846; m. March 18, 1868 Dwight Russell.

4021. Nancy Bartholomew b. December 16, 1848; m. September 17, 1868 John Shaw.

4022. Clara Bartholomew b. May 7, 1852; m. December 24, 1873 Edward Kilbourn.

4023. Laura Ann Bartholomew b. August 21, 1854; m. Feb. 13, 1877 Adelont Kelly.

4024. Flora Bartholomew b. July 8, 1857; m. July 8, 1879 Hiram L. Manchester.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Fred Stiles of Ft. Ann, N.Y.; p. 357 Bartholomew Fam., Bartholomew, 1885.

2126. JOSEPH BENJAMIN[7] (Elnathan[6-5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born August 19, 1813 at Dresden, Washington Co., New York; the son of Elnathan and Polly (Wiltsey) Benjamin; died March 7, 1890 at Delmar, Iowa. He married Loretta Brewster on January 19, 1843 at Dresden, N.Y. She was the dau of Nathaniel Brewster and she died April 1, 1899 at Delmar Iowa.

Children of Joseph and Loretta (Brewster) Benjamin:

4025. Fidelio G. Benjamin b. July 15, 1844 at Dresden, NY d. March 7, 1863 at Vicksburgh. He was unmarried and served and died in the Civil War with Co. F, 31st Iowa Volunteers.

*4026. Walter Benjamin b. July 8, 1847 at Dresden, N.Y.

*4027. Isaac E. Benjamin b. February 10, 1850 at Dresden.

Resources: p. 595 Brewster Gen. 1566-1907, Brewster, 1907.

2127. JESSE BENJAMIN[7] (Elnathan[6-5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1814 in Washington Co., New York; the son of Elnathan and Polly (Wiltsey) Benjamin. He married Jane -- who was born in 1829 in New York.

He was a farmer in the 1850 census at Dresden, N.Y.

Children of Jesse and Jane (---) Benjamin:

4028. Electa T. Benjamin b. 1846 in Washington Co., NY.

4029. Hannah M. Benjamin b. 1848 at Washington Co., N.Y.

Resource: Research of Mrs. Fred Stiles of Ft. Ann, N.Y.

2131. ALONZO or ALANSON BENJAMIN[7] (Elnathan[6-5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born in 1822 at Whitehall, Washington Co., New York; the son of Elnathan and Jane (Wiltsey) Benjamin. He married Lucinda ---, who was born in 1829 in New York.

He was a farmer. Apparently he moved away from this area about 1855.

Children of Alonzo and Lucinda (---) Benjamin:
4031. Harriet Benjamin b. 1848 in Washington Co., N.Y.
4032. Mary A. Benjamin b. 1849.
4033. Walter Benjamin b. 1851.
4034. Hiram Benjamin b. 1854 at Dresden, Washington Co.

Resources: 1950 &1855 Census Records; Research of Mrs. Fred Stiles of Ft. Ann, N.Y.

2138. CELESTE/CELESTIA BENJAMIN[7] (Abel[6], Elnathan[5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born in 1812 in Washington Co, New York; the dau. of Abel and Rachel (Hurlburt) Benjamin. She married Horace A. Holcomb in 1828. He was born in 1808 in New York and died December 8, 1860.

He was a trustee of the First Baptist Church at Miltown, Essex Co. (formerly Clinton), New York.

Children of Horace and Celeste (Benjamin) Holcomb:
4035. Benjamin Holcomb bc. 1832 at Washington Co., N.Y.
4036. Mariah M. Holcomb bc. 1835 in N.Y.; m. John J. McFarren.
4037. Colonette D. Holcomb b. 1844/5; m. Henry C. Sanborn
4038. Fred H. Holcomb b. 1858.

Resources: p. 199 Holcombs, The Nation Builders, McPherson 1947; Research of Mrs. Fred Stiles of Ft. Ann, N.Y.

2147. BURR BENJAMIN[7] (Walter[6], Elnathan[5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born February 29, 1820 at Dresden, Washington Co., New York; the son of Walter and Jane (Barrett) Benjamin; died April 10, 1897 (gs) at Dresden, N.Y. and is buried in the Clemons Cemetery. He married Lucy B. Jones, who was born March 27, 1822 in Mass. and died July 19, 1907 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

His will is on file in Washington Co., Book 2 p. 1.

He was a farmer and a Town of Whitehall Supervisor in 1855, 1857, and 1858. He was also on the list of contributors to the building fund of the Baptist Church of Dresden in 1850. He was named "cousin" to Samuel and Benjamin Benjamin.

Children of Burr and Lucy (Jones) Benjamin:
*4039. James K. Benjamin b. December 3, 1844 at Dresden.

4040. Martha Ann Benjamin b. December 29, 1847 at Dresden d. May 4, 1938 (gs) and is buried in the same cemetery as her parents; m. July 1, 1868 Charles Mellon. He was b. April 12, 1840 at Montreal, Canada, the son of Michael and Jane (Preston) Mellon. In the 1880 census he is called "disabled". Issue: Francelia Mellon b. 1870 and Elleta M. Mellon b. 1879.

4041. Cornelia Benjamin b. 1851 at Dresden, N.Y.

4042. Mary J. Benjamin b. 1859 at Dresden, N.Y.

Resources: 1850 and 1880 census records; Research of Mrs. Fred Stiles of Ft. Ann, N.Y.

2148. EDWARD SMITH BENJAMIN[7] (Walter[6], Elnathan[5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born February/March 24, 1824 at either Dresden, Washington Co., New York or West Haven, Vermont; the son of Walter and Jane (Barrett) Benjamin; died February 15, 1897 at Storm Lake, Buena Vista Co., Iowa. He m/1 Electa Wells, the dau. of William Wells. She was born June 11, 1823 at Hampton, New York and died June 6, 1866 at Whitehall, New York. He m/2 Mrs. Amy Marilla (Reynolds) Ray on July 22, 1868, the dau. of Jonathan and Harriet (Deland) Reynolds and the widow of George H. Ray, who died in 1866. She was born February 13, 1836 at Rutland, Vt. and died February 23, 1903 at Storm Lake or Vincent, Iowa.

In the 1875 census her son, Freddie H. Ray, b. 1858 in Vt. and Isabel Reynolds, age 61, b. England, resided with them.

Smith was a Methodist and a Republican. He lived on a farm in the town of Whitehall, N.Y. and in 1862 removed to the village of Whitehall, where he was a merchant. After his second marriage, he lived in Whitehall, then North Granville, N.Y., and in 1881 moved to Iowa.

Children of Edward S. and Electa (Wells) Benjamin:

4043. Marcella Ida Benjamin b. February 11, 1850 at Whitehall, N.Y.; m. February 19, 1866 James Henry Harrington and resided in Titusville, Penn. Issue: Bertha May; George Herbert; Helen Rose; Grace Dell; and Louise B. Harrington.

4044. Helen M. Benjamin b. October 11, 1851 at Whitehall; m. October 7, 1868 Thomas A. Paterson of Whitehall and resided at Whitehall.

Children of Edward S. and Amy (Reynolds Ray) Benjamin:

*4045. Edward Smith Benjamin b. March 16, 1874 at Whitehall, N.Y.

4046. Celia Ann (Annie) Benjamin b. August 13, 1875 at Granville, N.Y.; m. December 25, 1895 Henry W. Storla and resided in Sioux City, Iowa. Issue: Laura Amy; George Edward; and Doris Storla. He was a high school teacher.

Resources: p. 48 & 57 Wm. Wells and his Desc 1755-1909, Wells; p. 440 John Reynolds of Watertown, Lippier, 1934; 1850 Hampton, Washington Co., N.Y. census records.

2149. CHARLES BENJAMIN[7] (Walter[6], Elnathan[5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born November 24, 1825 at West Haven, Vermont; the son of Walter and Jane (Barrett) Benjamin; died September 26, 1901 (gs), age 75-10-2, and is buried in the Benson Street Cemetery of Benson Vermont. He married Mary A. Perry, the dau. of Calvin and Clarissa (Wilson) Perry. She was born April 11, 1848 at Benson, Vt. (vr) and died January 26, 1926 at Benson, Vt. (vr).

Charles was a Supervisor for the Town of Whitehall in 1861, 1862, 1869, and 1870. He is listed in the 1880 census of Benson, Rutland Co., Vermont.

Children of Charles and Mary (Perry) Benjamin:

4047. Myron R. Benjamin b. April 24, 1877 at Benson, Vt. (vr); d. 1953 (gs) and is buried in the same lot as his parents.

4048. Edith Benjamin b. July 8, 1886 at Benson, Vt. (vr).

Resources: Vermont Vital Records; Research of Mrs. Fred Stiles of Ft. Ann, N.Y.

2150. POLLY BENJAMIN[7] (Walter[6], Elnathan[5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born 1836 at West Haven, Vermont; the dau. of Walter and Jane (Barrett) Benjamin. She m/1 William F. Farnsworth, who was born in 1825 and died in the Civil War She m/2 Joel Noble, the son of Charles and Ann Wilson (Water) Noble, who was born in 1826.

Children of William and Polly (Benjamin) Farnsworth:

4049. Elias Farnsworth b. 1853.

4050. Delia Farnsworth b. 1856; m. George T. Brown.

4051. Philander Farnsworth b. 1858.

4052. Lucy Farnsworth b. 1862.

Children of Joel and Polly (Benjamin Farnsworth) Noble:

4053. William Noble b. 1864; m. Lucy Hunt.

4054. Hiram Noble b. 1867.

4055. Burr Noble b. 1869.

4056. Ella Noble b. 1872.

4057. Bertha Noble b. 1874.

Research of Mrs. Fred Stiles of Ft. Ann, N.Y.

2151. MARY BENJAMIN[7] (Duthan[6], Elnathan[5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born in 1822 in Whitehall, Washington Co., New York the dau. of Duthan and Delinda (Allen) Benjamin; died April 17, 1851 and is buried in the Tracy Cemetery at Dresden, New York. She married John Barber, the son of Ralph and Pamelia (Collins) Barber. He was born in 1818 in New York and died December 17, 1856. He m/2 widow

Adeline (---) Hopkins.

Children of John and Mary (Benjamin) Barber:
4058. George W. Barber b. 1840; m. Lucinda MacMore, the dau. of Eliezer and Harriet (Stevens) MacMore.
4059. John Barber b. 1841.
4060. Martha Barber b. 1842; m. 1861 Leander Bailey of Fort Ann.
4061. Belinda Barber b. 1845.

Children of John and his second wife:
Betsey Jane Barber.
Collins Barber.
Leverett Barber b. 1857.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Fred Stiles of Ft. Ann, N.Y.

2154. JULIO BUELL BENJAMIN[7] (Duthan[6], Elnathan[5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born April 22, 1838 in Washington Co., New York; the son of Duthan and Delinda (Allen) Benjamin; died October 4, 1919 in Whitehall, New York and buried in the Boardman Cemetery in Whitehall. He married in 1860 Alice Sophia Grant, dau. of Andrew Grant. She was born March 4, 1841 and died January 12, 1929 in Lake Village, Arkansas.

Julio fought in the Civil War and was a 2nd Lt. in Co. H., 169th Inf. Regt. He joined Sept. 14, 1862 and was discharged because of illness at Folly Island, S.C. on Nov. 10, 1863. Supposedly he was a friend of Abraham Lincoln's and used to go hunting with him. Mr. Lincoln gave Julio his powder horn with his initials on it. This horn was given by the family to Fred A. Young, a New York State Senator from the 35th District in 1939.

Julio was a boatman, laborer in a factory, and in 1905 to 1915 a pilot on Lake Champlain.

Children of Julio andAlice (Grant) Benjamin:
4062. Edwin J. Benjamin b. 1861; d. 1872.
*4063. Herbert Cleveland Benjamin b. December 3, 1873 in Whitehall, N.Y.

Records of Mrs. Elizabeth Roberson of Williamston, N.C.

2155. HARRY S. BENJAMIN[7] (Duthan[6], Elnathan[5], Samuel[4], John[3], Caleb John[1]) born September 22, 1843 at Dresden, Washington Co., New York; the son of Duthan and Delinda (Allen) Benjamin; died April 24, 1924 (gs) at Burlington, Vermont. He married Mary B. Nichols, the dau. of Truman and Maria (Mason) Nichols. She was born in 1844 at Whitehall, N.Y. and died June 17, 1912, age 68, at Burlington, Vt. (vr).

Children of Harry and Mary (Nichols) Benjamin:
4064. Eva Benjamin b. 1870/1.
4065. H. Allie (Annie) Benjamin b. 1879, d. 1906.
4066. Charlotte T. Benjamin b. 1866, d. 1870.

Resources: Vital Records of Vermont.

2160. WALTER BENJAMIN[7] (Allen[6], Caleb[5-4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born January 28, 1789 at Warehouse Point, Conn.; the son of Allen and Beulah (Osborn) Benjamin; died April 30, 1839 at age of 49 yrs. He married Nancy Skinner of Scantic, E. Windsor, Conn. on January 1812. She was the dau. of Samuel and Elizabeth (Hinds) Skinner and was born Jan. 6, 1791.

By tradition, Walter was the first male child born in Warehouse Point.

Children of Walter and Nancy (Skinner) Benjamin:

4067. Nancy Benjamin; died at age 18.
4068. Samuel Benjamin; married in Springfield, Mass. and had 2 sons.
4069. Walter Benjamin; went to Georgia; married; and had a family.
4070. Mary Benjamin; m. Harrison Smith of Springfield, Mass.; moved to Ohio.
4071. three more children, who died young.

Resources: p. 71 & 690 Hist. of Ancient Windsor, Conn., Vol. 2, Stiles; Hale's Collection of Marriage records from Conn. Newspapers;

2164. BEULAH BENJAMIN[7] (Allen[6], Caleb[5-4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born October 3, 1794 at Warehouse Point, Conn.; the dau. of Allen and Beulah (Osborn) Benjamin; died March 6, 1880 at Warehouse Point and buried in the North End Cemetery at Warehouse Point. She married February 22, 1818 Lemuel Woodworth, the son of Timothy and Eunice (Lyman) Woodworth. He had m/1 Elizabeth ---. He was born about 1788 at Royalton, Vermont and died in 1836.

He served in the War of 1812 in Capt. Erastus Strong's Company and was a farmer.

Children of Lemuel and Beulah (Benjamin) Woodworth:

4072. daughter bc. 1820 and died young.
4073. Harvey Woodworth bc. 1820, and died young.
4074. Malinda C. Woodworth bc. 1822; d. April 5, 1875; m. May 5, 1850 at Hartford, Conn. to Hugh Dunn of Hartford.
4075. Beulah Osborn Woodworth b. February 3, 1824 at Ware house Point, Conn.; d. April 24, 1905 at Hartford Conn.; m. September 10, 1846 at New Haven, Conn. to Humphrey Davis, the son of Michel (Meir) and Jane (Simcah) (Harris) Davis.
4076. Dorothy Delina Woodworth b. 1825; d. December 31, 1895; m. May 13, 1846 at Warehouse Point to James Kennedy and m/2 November 24, 1853 Quartus Parsons Terry, the son of Abial and Sabra (Hopkins) Terry.

4077. Elsie Maria Woodworth b. 1827; d. February 16, 1880 at Poquonock, Conn.; m. March 12, 1848 at Warehouse Point to Elisha Morton Day, the son of William and Roxanna (Knowlton) Day.

4078. Adelia/Adeliza Woodworth b. June 30, 1829 at Warehouse Point; d. April 7, 1913 at Beacon Valley, Naugatuck, Conn.; m. September 4, 1863 at Warehouse Point to Daniel Noble, the son of John and Jane (Hopkins) Noble.

4079. Emily Cecilia Woodworth b. 1832 at Warehouse Point; d. January 6, 1890 at Poquonock, Conn.; m. November 19, 1856 at Warehouse Point to Edward Blodgett Snow of Canada.

Resource: Records of Mr. Jon Stedman of Denton, Texas.

2166. CONRAD BENJAMIN[7] (Allen[6], Caleb[5-4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born February 10, 1799 at Warehouse Point, Conn.; the son of Allen and Beulah (Osborn) Benjamin; died 1880-5 at Short Tract, Albany Co., New York. He married February 1829 Emeline Wolcott of Springfield, Mass., who was born in 1810. A family source says he m. in 1820 at Sandisfield, Mass. to Hannah Emeline Cone, the dau. of Joseph and Hannah (---) Cone. Perhaps they are the same person, and a widow.

He is listed in the 1850 and 1860 census records of Belfast and Allen Twp., Allegany Co., New York.

Children of Conrad and Emeline (Cone?Wolcott) Benjamin:

4080. Amy Elmira/Elira/Adelira Benjamin bc. 1830; m. --- Cox.

4081. Alvira Benjamin bc. 1832.

4082. Milton Benjamin bc. 1838 in N.Y.

4083. Ithimar Benjamin bc. 1849 in N.Y.; m. Rose Robinson of Ithaca, N.Y.

Resources: p. 71 & 690 Hist. of Ancient Windsor, Conn., Stiles; Collection of marriage records in Conn. Newspapers by Hale; Boston Transcript Sept. 28, 1932; Census records.

2168. CALEB BENJAMIN[7] (Allen[6], Caleb[5-4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born February 8, 1807 at E. Windsor, Conn.; the son of Allen and Beulah (Osborn) Benjamin; died March 14, 1873, age 66, (gs), at East Windsor, Conn. and is buried in the South Windsor Cemetery, lot #7-90. He married Susan Marie Morton of Scantic and E. Windsor, Conn. on May 23, 1839 at E. Windsor, Conn. (vr 1-106). She was the dau. of John and Abigail (Calhoon) Morton and was born October 22, 1818 at E. Windsor, Conn. and died April 16, 1850 at E. Windsor at the age of 31 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Children of Caleb and Susan (Morton) Benjamin:

4084. Susan Marie Benjamin b. July 1, 1840 at E. Windsor, Conn.; d. November 6, 1912 at E. Windsor and is

buried in the E. Windsor Cemetery, lot #7-100. She m. John Hooker Bissell on November 8, 1877, the son of Hezibiah and Elizabeth (Ellsworth) Bissell OR the son of John and Elizabeth (McKnight) Bissell. He was b. April 16, 1822 and d. Jan. 3, 1915. They had no issue.

*4085. Caleb Morton Benjamin b. October 19, 1841 at East Windsor, Conn.

4086. son b. April 10, 1850 at S. Windsor. (vr 1A 10-11).

Resources: p. 60, 108, 163, and 183 William Morton of Windsor, Conn.; p. 71 & 89 Hist. of Ancient Windsor, Conn., Vol. 2, Stiles; p. 507 Early Records of E. Hampton, Mass.; Records of Jon Stedman of Denton, Texas.

2173. GEORGE BENJAMIN[7] (Edwin[6], Jonathan[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born in 1822 in E. Hartford, Conn.; the possible son of Edwin and Harriet (Case) Benjamin; died in 1906 (gs and is buried in the Hartford, Conn. Cemetery, lot #4-345. He married Elizabeth C. M.----, who was born in 1826 and died in 1902 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Children of George and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin:

4087. William H. Benjamin bc. 1848; m. March 28, 1870 (vr) at Hartford, Conn. to Nellie M. Roche/Roach

4087. George H. Benjamin bc. 1851; m. ElizaRoberts.

4087. Edson M. Benjamin bc. 1853; d. 1925 (gs); m. Sept. 20, 1874 (vr) at Hartford Sarah H. Barker b.1854.

4087. John W. Benjamin b. 1856 at Windsor Locks; m. Aug. 14, 1878 (vr) at Hartford Flora E. Goodrich.

Resources: Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records.

2176. COL. DAN HYDE (HIDE) BENJAMIN[7] (James[6], Gideon[5-4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born September 12, 1878 at East Hartford, Conn.; the son of James and Mary (Hyde) Benjamin; bapt. April 23, 1796 at East Hartford (cr 1-61); died May/July 4, 1867, age 80 years (gs) at St. Albens, Vermont, and is buried in the Bay Cemetery at St. Albens. He married Anna or Amy ---, who was born 1788/9 in Vermont and died November 13, 1951, age 63 (gs) at St. Albens (vr) and is buried with her husband.

D. H. Benjamin of Swanton, Vermont was the Post Master of W. Swanton in 1846 and 1850 and J. F. Benjamin was the same in 1848 and 1851. The job was abolished in 1851. D. H. Benjamin is listed in the 1850 census of St. Albens.

Children of Dan and Anna (---) Benjamin:

4088. James F. Benjamin bc. 1811; d. April 27, 1855, age 44 yrs. at St. Albens, Vt. (gs) and is buried in the Bay Cemetery.

4089. Sarah L. Benjamin bc. 1821; d. October 3, 1851, age 30 (gs) and buried in the Bay Cemetery.

4090. Manevera Benjamin bc. 1825; d. February 26, 1850, age 25 (gs) and buried in the Bay Cemetery.

4091. Eliza Ann Benjamin bc. 1830/1; d. December 20, 1853

age 23 (gs) and buried in t

4092. Julia E. Benjamin bc. 1833/4; d. November 22, 1907; m. William H. Abell, son of Orange and Endotia (Blake) Abel, b. Jan. 26, 1830 at E. Swanton, Vt. d. Oct. 11, 1908; resided at St. Albens and East Swanton, Vt. Issue: Josie Abel, m. Mr. Button and Henry Abel b. Aug. 2, 1861.

?4093. Susan Benjamin b. 1824; m. --- Glidden. (She was residing with Dan in the 1850 census.)

Resources: Vermont Census and Vital Records; p. 157 Abell Fam. in Am., Abell, 1940; Conn. Church Records by Hale.

2128. GIDEON BENJAMIN[7] (Gideon[6-5-4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born 1780/1 in Conn.; the son of Gideon Benjamin; died May 23, 1866 at Marshfield, Vermont, age 85 yrs. (gs). He is buried in the Eaton Cemetery at Marshfield. He m/1 Polly Fair (Fine) on December 3, 1812 at Woodbury, Vermont. (vr) She died September 15, 1821 at Marshfield, Vt. (vr & g.s.) and is buried in the same cemetery as her husband. He m/2 Deborah Buzzell on September 12, 1822 at Williamstown, Mas (vr), the dau. of Benjamin and Prudence (---) Bussell (Buswell/Buzzell). She was born about 1805/8 at Ramsey, New Hampshire and she m/2 May 27, 1871 Nathan Kenniston at Harwick, Vermont (vr), the son of Asa and Susan (---) Kenniston. He was age 66 at the time of his 3rd m.

In the 1830 and 1850 census Gideon was listed in the Marshfield, Washington Co., Vermont and in the 1860 Gideon and Debra were living with Benjamin D. Benjamin at Marshfield.

Children of Gideon and Polly (Fair) Benjamin:

4094. Maria Benjamin bc. 1819; d. April 11, 1901, age 81-11 mons. (gs) and buried in the Baton Cemetery at Mashfield. She m/1 Samuel Davis and m/2 August 31, 1863 Woodman Reed, son of Moses and Deborah (---) Reed. Her grave stone says "Maria T. Pratt wife of Samuel F. Davis"and has the grave next to Gideon Benjamin. She may possibly have been adopted by a Pratt family after her mother's death.

Children of Gideon and Deborah (Buzzell) Benjamin:

4095. Mary M. Benjamin b. 1822; m. February 22, 1854 Samuel W. Wells at Plainfield, Vt. (vr). She was "of Marshfield".

4096. Levi Benjamin bc. 1823/4.

*4097. Buzzell B. or Benjamin B. Benjamin b. May 22, 1825 at Marshfield, Vt.

4098. George Benjamin bc. 1820-25.

4099. David Benjamin b. 1830/1.

4100. Emma Benjamin b. 1837.

4101. Amy or Ann Benjamin b. January 18, 1838 at Marshfield, Vt.; d. June 3, 1893; m. September 5, 1855

Reuben Lamberton in Plainfield, Vt. (vr), the son of Nathaniel and Lucy (Cutting) Lamberton. She resided at Marshfield at time of m.

4102. R. or L. Plummer Benjamin b. 1839/40 at Marshfield; d. January 5, 1912, age 71-9-20 at Marshfield, Vt. (vr); m. May 12, 1861 Mary L. Brown at Calais Vermont (vr).

*4103. Joseph N. (S.M.) Benjamin b. December 31, 1841/5 at Marshfield, Vt.

Gideon settled at the foot and east of Lord's Hill, in what was then called the village of Jerusalem. A trace of that village still remains.

Resources: p. 110 Hist. of Marshfield, Vt., Pitkin; Vermont Vital Records.; Vermont Census Records.

2191. WILLIAM ABNER BENJAMIN[7] (Elisha[6-5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born September/November 27/29, 1790; the son of Elisha and Phoebe (-----) Benjamin; died May 29, 1858, age 67-8 (gs) at Woodbury, Washington Co., Vermont and is buried in the Woodbury Center Cemtery. He married November 30, 1813 Sally Whiting (or Mrs. Sarah Whiten/Whitchans/Whitehorn). She was born January/July 3/9, 1790 and died April 3, 1848, age 57-9 (gs) at Woodbury, Vt. (vr) and is buried with her husband.

He settled on a portion of the homestead, where he resided all of his life. He was listed in the 1850 census of Woodbury, Vermont.

Children of William and Sally (Whiting) Benjamin:

4104. Betsey Benjamin b. July 8, 1814 at Woodbury, Vt. (vr); m. January 1, 1841 Daniel Hill at Montpelier, Vt. (vr). They resided at Marshfield.

*4105. Samuel W. Benjamin b. March 7, 1816 at Woodbury, Vt. (vr).

4106. Phineas S. Benjamin b. July 31, 1818 at Woodbury, Vt. (vr); d. March 29, 1881, age 62 at Hardwick (Wolcott vr); m. July 2, 1844 at Wolcott, Vt. (vr) Esther S. Bundy of Wolcott. He settled in Wolcott and was a thorough business man. Was a merchant and dealer in country produce and "was on the road" much of the time. He represented Wolcott for several terms in the State Legislature.

4107. Sarah (Sally) Benjamin b. July 1, 1820 at Woodbury, Vt. (vr); d. January 8, 1877; m. May 18, 1843 Ephraim Ainsworth, the son of Benjamin Ainsworth. He was b. Dec. 4, 1805 and d. Dec. 4, 1882. He m/1 Melinda Nelson. Issue: Lewis Luellan b. 1845 Melvin J.; Francilia M., m. 1870 Richard Bailey; Alvin Phelas b. Jan. 26, 1858, m. Achsah Ainsworth.

*4108. Joseph Benjamin b. January 28, 1826 at Woodbury (vr)

4109. Elsey M. Benjamin b. September 20, 1827 at Woodbury Vt. (vr); m. January 18, 1852 Peter Wheeler at Woodbury (vr), the son of Paulus Wheeler of Calais, Vermont.

*4110. Thomas W. Benjamin b. August 25, 1829 at Woodbury, Vt. (vr).

4111. Martha Benjamin b. February 23, 1831; d. July 27, 1831 at Woodbury, Vt. (vr).

4112. Matilda Benjamin, a twin, b. February 23, 1831; d. May 13, 1831 at Woodbury, Vt. (vr).

4113. Cornelia Mariah Benjamin b. February 23, 1836 (some sources give her b. at 1826); d. January 25, 1860 m. May 14, 1855 Mark P. Bartlett at Plainfield, Vt. (vr)., the son of Chauncey Bartlett.

Resources: p. 521 Gazatter of Washington Co., Vt. 1783-1899, Hamilton Child, 1889; Vermont Census and Vital Records.

2197. CHAUNCEY BENJAMIN[7] (Elisha[6-5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born June 17, 1808 at Marshfield, Vermont (other sources give New Hampshire and Cabot, Vt. as birth place); the son of Elisha and Phoebe (---) Benjamin; died June 28, 1886, age 78 yrs. at Hardwick, Vermont (vr3-3). He married Sophia Brown, the dau.of Myron and Eunice (---) Brown. She was born in 1808 at Woodbury, Vt. and died April 26, 1881, age 74, at Woodbury, Vermont.

They are listed in the 1850 census of Woodbury, Vt. and had children listed in the town school records in 1844 and 1846.

Children of Chauncy and Sophia (Brown) Benjamin:

4114. Eli (Elisha) Benjamin b. 1845; d. April 7, 1866, age 21-6-16 (gs) and buried in the Maple Street Cemetery at Hardwick, Vt.

4115. Caroline Benjamin b. 1827/8.

4116. Rosetta Benjamin b. 1832/3; m. Charles Clark. Issue: Louisa Rosetta Clark b. at Hardwick April 7, 1856, d. Ryegate, Vt. March 27, 1825, m. at Hardwick Dec. 23, 1872 William Leavitt Folsom, b. 1852 at Ripon, Vt.

4117. Sybil (Cybel/Mabel) Benjamin b. 1840/1; m. Sept. 19, 1858 Lyman Barrett at Woodbury, Vt. (vr).

Resources: Vital Records of Vermont; p. 678 Folsom Gen. Folsom, 1938.

2199. JACOB RUSSELL BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born either 1793 or 1798 in Conn. or Vt.; the son of David and Esther (Russell) Benjamin; died December 23, 1885, age 87, at Tomah, Wisconsin. He m/1 Abigail Cahoon of Euclid, Ohio on January 28, 1821, possibly the dau. of Thomas Cahoon. She was born 1801-4. He

m/2 Mary Durrin, who was born about 1807 and was age 86 in 1892.

He was a witness to a deed in 1820. He purchased 30 acres of land in the Township #8 from Reynolds and Polly Cahoon of Euclid on November 13, 1822. One witness was Jerusha Benjamin of Euclid, Ohio (112, D:433). He and wife Abigail sold land to Aaron S. Bliss of Euclid for #380. on April 18, 1825. He is listed in the 1830 census of Euclid Twp., Cuyahoga Co., Ohio and in the 1840 and 1850 census of Warrensville, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio.

Children of Jacob Russell Benjamin:

*4118. Horace Russell Benjamin b. June 1, 1822 in Cuyuahoga Co., Ohio.

4119. Mary Benjamin bc. 1826 in Ohio; m. October 24, 1847 Henry S. Hanchett in Cuyahoga Co., Ohio (vr) Issue: Lewis S. Hanchett and Russell B. Hanchett.

4120. Abigail Benjamin bc. 1827 in Ohio.

4121. Louisa Benjamin bc. 1828 in Ohio.

4122. Levi S. Benjamin bc. 1829 in Ohio.; m. October 25, 1848 Louisa Lowell in Cuyahoga Co., Ohio. (vr). Listed in 1860 census at Chagrin Falls Twp., Cuyahoga Co., Ohio with dau. Alice W. Benjamin bc. 1853.

4123. Sarah A. Benjamin bc. 1833 in Ohio; m. Feb. 31, 1853 (Cuyahoga Co., Ohio vr) Loran S. Hanchett of LaGrange, Monroe Co., Wisconsin.

4124. Sheldon P. Benjamin bc. 1835 in Ohio; m. October 17, 1854 Melissa Hanchett at Lorain Co., Ohio (vr She b. Nov. 13, 1838 at Orange, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio, the dau. of Henry and Kesiah (Sawtell) Hanchett. They resided at Temple, Ohio.

4125. Ava D. Benjamin bc. 1837 in Ohio; m. Helen Thompson of Portage, Wisconsin. He was the Justice of the Peace in the city of Tomah, and was first elected in 1883. He came to Tomah in 1863 and was in the insurance business.

4126. Elizabeth Benjamin bc. 1840 in Cuyahoga Co., Ohio; m. Nicol Robertson and had 2 children.

4127. Priscilla A. Benjamin bc. 1844 in Cuyahoga Co., Ohio; m. Albert Calkins.

*4128. Alfred H. Benjamin bc. 1848 in Cuyahoga Co., Ohio.

4129. LaFayette Benjamin bc. 1848/9 in Cuyahoga Co., O.

Resources: Records of George Ely Russell of Bowie, Maryland; p. 779 Bio. Hist.of LaCrosse, Monroe, and Juneau Co. Wis., 1892; Research of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, Indiana.

2200. JERUSHA BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1802 in Vermont; the dau. of David and Esther (Russell) Benjamin; married Ephraim Gleason on October 16, 1823 at Warrensville, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio (vr).

He was the son of Enoch Gleason of New Marlboro and was born about 1802.

They settled in Wayland, Michigan and were listed in the 1830 census for Warrensville, Ohio. She was a witness to a deed in 1822 in Warrensville.

Children of Ephraim and Jerusha (Benjamin) Gleason:
4130. Levi Gleason.
4131. Lovina (Levirn) Gleason.
4132. Cynthia Gleason.
4133. Andrew Gleason.
4134. Eli Gleason.
4135. Henry Gleason.
4136. Isaac Gleason.
4137. Alonzo Gleason.
4138. Louisa (Levina) Gleason.

Resources: Records of George Ely Russell of Bowie, Maryland; Research of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, Ind.

2201. ESTHER BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born in 1804 near Montpelier, Vermont; the dau. of David and Esther (Russell) Benjamin; died February 1, 1879 at Thetford, Michigan. She married Ezra Cleveland on November 11, 1830 at Warrensville, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio, the son of Sereign and Catherine (Sherman) Cleveland. He was born August 14, 1806 at Green Co., New York and died 1890 in Thetford, Michigan.

Children of Ezra and Esther (Benjamin) Cleveland:
4139. Joseph Cleveland.
4140. Luther Cleveland.
4141. Ezra Cleveland.
4142. Jerusha Cleveland.
4143. Sophia Cleveland.

He sold land to David Benjamin in 1830 at Warrensville, Ohio. They lived in Warrensville until 1837, at Orange, Ohio until 1855, and then moved to Michigan. Supposedly their children and descendants are given in a Cleveland Gen.

Resources: Records of George Ely Russell of Bowie, Maryland; Research of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, Ind.

2202. DAVID BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], Joh born about 1805 in Vermont; the son of David and Esther (Russell) Benjamin; died in 1838 at Warrensville, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio of cholera. He m/1 Mary Ann Cahoon on May 1, 1826 at Cayahoga Co., Ohio (vr). He m/2 Emily P. Goodale of Bedford, Ohio on June 18, 1828. She was the dau. of Joseph and Eunice (---) Goodale and was born in 1811. She m/2 Asa Gaskill.

He was listed in the 1830 census at Warrensville, Cuy-

ahoga Co., Ohio with just wife and self listed. His will was proved March 5, 1838 with Joseph Goodell (?Goodale?) as executor. (Cuyahoga Co. Probate Rec. 108 Dock.A #555). He is also listed in several land records.

Children of David and Emily (Goodale) Benjamin:

*4144. Roxanna Benjamin b. September 20, 1830 at Bedford, Ohio.

4145. Melvina Benjamin b. December 4, 1833 at Warrensville, Ohio; m. Nathaniel Pettit.

4146. Clarinda Benjamin; m. Daniel Rummel.

Children of Asa and Emily (Goodale Benjamin) Gaskill:

Melvin Gaskill.

Emma Gaskill; m. Allen Fast.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Robert Kaminski of Jackson, Michigan.

2203. MABEL BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1806 in Vermont. She married Job Hand on December 13, 1827 at Cuyahoga Co., Ohio. (vr).

Children of Job and Mabel (Benjamin) Hand:

4147. Anna Hand.
4148. Esther Hand.
4149. Sally Hand.
4150. Jane Hand.
4151. Rachel Hand.
4142. David Hand.
4143. Julia Hand.
4144. John Hand.
4145. Alvin Hand.
4146. Albert Hand.
4147. Margaret Hand.
4148. Maria Hand.

Resources: Research of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, Indiana.

2204. ELISHA BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born June 21, 1808 at Marshfield, Vermont; the son of David and Esther (Russell) Benjamin; died March 7, 1890 at Steuben Co., Indiana and is buried in the Fremont Twp. of Steuben Co. He m/1 Emily Murray, the dau. of Capt Harvey and Emily (---) Murray. She was born May 10, 1812 and died 1850/1 at Northfield, Ohio. He m/2 September 4, 1851 Sally Day Rogers, the dau. of Elisha Milton and Elizabeth (Paddleford) Rogers. She was born September 2, 1816 in New York and died November 1897 in Ohio. They were divorced in 1861. He m/3 Martha Filinie Hunt on May 27, 1864 at Cuyahoga Co., Ohio.She was born September 12, 1847 in Wood Co., Ohio and died September 2, 1928 at Steuben Co Indiana. She m/2 December 9, 1892 Wilson Smith.

He was listed in the 1840 census at Solon Twp., Cuyahoga Co., Ohio and in the 1830 census of Walnut Twp., Fairfield Co., Ohio and in the 1850 census of Solon Twp.

Children of Elisha and Emily (Murray) Benjamin:

*4149. David Eli Benjamin b. April 25, 1831 in Ohio.

4150. Hester Eliza Benjamin b. June 25, 1833; d. March 10, 1853.

4151. Cordelia Teresa Benjamin b. August 10, 1835; d. March 15, 1872.

4152. Lyman E. Benjamin b. September 1, 1837; d. April 14, 1922 at Cleveland, Ohio; m. Julia Tuthill, b. 1838, the dau. of Jesse and Miranda (Burroughs) Tuthill. They are buried at Bedford, Ohio. Issue: Carlas, Lori, and Charles Benjamin.

4153. Emily Martha Benjamin b. September 7, 1839; d. 1863

4154. Bianca R. Benjamin b. November 22, 1842.

4155. Ensign Enoch Benjamin b. December 7, 1844; d. April 6, 1865.

4156. Francis Maxmillen Benjamin b. April 2, 1847; d. August 13, 1872.

4157. Synthia Melissa Benjamin b. August 7, 1849; d. September 19, 1852.

Children of Elisha and Sally (Rogers) Benjamin:

4158. Alonzo Roger Benjamin b. February 27, 1853; d. March 22, 1931; m. Annett Sweetland.

4159. Lois Elizabeth (Lizzie) Benjamin b. October 15, 1856; m. Norman Brown.

4160. Charles W. H. Benjamin b. March 14, 1859; d. April 12, 1918.

Children of Elisha and Martha (Hunt) Benjamin:

4161. Rosetta Elizabeth Benjamin b. July 31, 1865; d. 1948; m/1 Frank Smith; m/2 ?

4162. Truman E. Benjamin b. July 9, 1867; d. July 20, 1867.

4163. Jerome E. Benjamin b. June 11, 1868; d. September 6, 1868.

4164. Maggie May Benjamin b. April 19, 1870; d. December 23, 1934; m. George Bennett on Feb. 16, 1890.

4165. David Allen Benjamin b. August 22, 1872; d. 1952; m/1 Corrie McElhene; m/2 Connie ---; m/3 Mary Schaeffer; m/4 ?

4166. William Wesley Benjamin b. May 15, 1875; m. Jennie Monn.

4167. Linnie Bell Benjamin b. May 17, 1877; d. August 29, 1958; m/1 Frederick Tropp; m/2 Allen Blackmer; m/3 John Monn.

4168. Mabel Jane Benjamin b. August 12, 1879; d. January 23, 1881.

4169. Mary Ellen Benjamin b. May 10, 1882; m. William Monn.

Resources: Records of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven,

Indiana; Records of George Ely Russell of Bowie, Md.; p. 255 James Rogers of New London, Conn., Rogers, 1902; Tuttle-Tithill Line, Tuttle, 1968.

2211. GEORGE BENJAMIN[7] (Guy[6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John born about 1808 in either Conn. or Vermont; the son of Guy Benjamin. He married Lavinia Van Horn, who was born about 1814 in Conn.

They were listed in the 1850 census of Malta Twp., Morgan Co., Ohio.

Children of George and Lavinia (VanHorn) Benjamin:

*4170. James Benjamin b. January 26, 1833 in Ohio.
*4171. Alfred M. Benjamin bc. 1835 in Ohio.
4172. Elizabeth A. Benjamin bc. 1837 in Ohio.
*4173. Levi Benjamin bc. 1842 at Watertown, Ohio.
*4174. William V. Benjamin bc. 1843 in Ohio.
*4175. John W. Benjamin bc. 1849 in Ohio.

Resources: Research of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, Indiana.

2212. HORACE L. BENJAMIN[7] (Guy[6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1811 in Vermont; the son of Guy Benjamin

He is listed in the 1840 and 1850 census records at Malta Twp., Morgan Co., Ohio. He married Sarah Van Horn, who was born about 1825 in Ohio. (This might be a second marriage. She seems a little young to have a child b. in 1836!)

Children of Horace L. Benjamin:

*4176. William H. Benjamin bc. 1836 in Ohio.
4177. Sarah E. Benjamin bc. 1838 in Ohio; m. Henson Spurrier.
*4178. Harmon S./O. Benjamin. bc. 1841 in Ohio.
4179. George Benjamin bc. 1843 in Ohio.
*4180. James L. (Lum) Benjamin b. October 8, 1845 in Malta, Morgan Co., Ohio.
*4181. Winchester-Chester Benjamin bc. 1840 in Ohio.
4182. Milford Benjamin.

Resources: Research of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, Indiana.

?2213. ELISHA BENJAMIN[7] (Guy[6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1812 in Ohio; a possible son of Guy Benjamin. He married Polly ---, who was born about 1813 in Ohio.

He is listed in the 1850 census at Dover Twp., Athens Co., Ohio and is placed in this line because of his name. William Wilson, age 32 or 22 b. Ohio resided with him in the 1850 census.

Children of Elisha and Polly (---) Benjamin:

4183. Amy Benjamin bc. 1833 in Ohio.
4184. Mary Benjamin bc. 1840 in Ohio.

Resource: Research of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, In

2214. LAURA JANE BENJAMIN[7] (Guy[6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born between 1804-10 in Ohio, the dau, of Guy Benjamin. She married William Pettit of New York on November 26, 1823 in Morgan Co., Ohio.
They resided at Van Buren Co., Iowa in 1850.

Children of William and Laura (Benjamin) Pettit:
4185. Levi W. Pettit ; m. in Iowa Mary Clark.
4186. John Pettit b. September 27, 1832 at Malta, Ohio; m 1851 in Ohio to Deborah Steele, dau. of Henry and Elizabeth (---) Steele.
4187. Ruth Pettit; m. in Iowa Frank Steele.
4188. Sarah Pettit; m. in Iowa to Ambrose Dodson.
4189. Thomas J. Pettit; m. in Iowa to Ella Stewart.
4190. William Benjamin Pettit; m. in Iowa to Sarah Davis.
4191. Henry Grinnel (Grimmell) Pettit; m. in Iowa to Louisianna Robertson.

Resources: Hartford Times Sept. 20, 1952, Aug. 24, 1957.

2237. DAVID WEBSTER BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Samuel[5], David[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) bonr July 14, 1798 at New Hartford, Conn.; the son of David and Hannah (Steele) Benjamin; bapt. in 1808 at New Hartford, Conn. (vr 3-7); died September 27, 1845/6, age 48, at New Hartford, Conn. (cr 4-41) and is buried in the New Hartford, Conn. Cemetery, lot #1-15. He married Fidelia Woodruff, who was born in 1803 and died August 13, 1863, age 59 (ga) and is buried in the same lot as her husband.
Fidelia became a memberof the New Hartford Second Society Church on September 3,1860 (cr p. 48).

Children of David and Fidelia (Woodruff) Benjamin:
4192. Ruth Benjamin b. 1834 at New Hartford; died in 1880 in Georgia; m. 1859 Edwin E. Clark; resided in Georgia and had no issue.

Resources: Records of Ronald K. Branch of Rutherford, N.J. Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery and Church records.

2238. WOOSTER B. BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Samuel[5], David[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born in 1800 at New Hartford, Conn.; the son of David and Hannah (Steele) Benjamin; died in 1835, when he drowned in his own mill race. He married Loretta Johnson on June 10, 1824 at Ashtabula Co., Ohio (vr). She was born in 1803 and died in 1891.
Wooster was located in the 1830 census and Loretta was in the 1840 census of Cherry Valley, Ashtabula Co., Ohio.

Children of Wooster and Loretta (Johnson) Benjamin:
4193. Alma Benjamin b. 1825; d. 1899; m. Thomas T. Yates, b. 1826, d. 1900. Issue: Edyth Yates, m. W. H. Lewis; Clarence Yates, m. Jennie Carpenter; Fannie Yates b. 1862, d. 1947, unm.; John T. Yate b. 1864, d. 1940, m. Sophia Fitts.
*4194. William C. Benjamin b. 1830. in Ohio.
4195. Lucy Benjamin b. 1832; unm.
*4196. Wooster Benjamin b. 1836 in Ohio.

Resources: Records of Ronald K. Branch of Rutherford, N.J.

2239. SELA (SILAS) MERRELL BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Samuel[5], David[4], John Caleb[2], John[1]) (Silas on bp. rec.); born in 1803 in New Hartford, Conn.; the son of David and Hannah (Steele) Benjamin; bapt. in 1808 in New Hartford, Conn. (cr 3-7). He married Olive Pomeroy, the dau. of Epaphras and Mercy (Allen) Pomeroy. She was born May 10, 1802 at Suffield, Conn. and died in 1855 in Brockton, Mass.

He was a farmer and lived on the farm now owned by his son, David, and died there in Fredonia, Chautaqua Co., New York.

Children of Sela and Olive (Pomeroy) Benjamin:
*4197. David Pomeroy Benjamin b. 1828 at Brockton, Mass.
4198. Alice Benjamin; d. in child hood.

Resources: Records of Ronald K. Branch of Rutherford, N.J. Family Group Sheet of Later Day Saints Library in Salt Lake City, Utah.

2242. HERMAN BRINSMADE BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Samuel[5], David[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born June 10, 1812, a twin, at New Hartford Conn.; the son of David and Hannah (Steele) Benjamin; bapt in 1813 at New Hartford, Conn. (cr 3-9); and was murdered in Louisiana. The name of his wife is unknown, though it might have been Lucinda Adelia ---. He is supposed to have had one son and one daughter. The son's name might have been Horatio Benjamin and the dau. might have been twin girls named Naomi and Hannah Benjamin.

Resources: Records of Ronald K. Branch of Rutherford, N.J. Records from the Louisiana Public Library.

2243. HENRY BADGER BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Samuel[5], David[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born June 10, 1812, a twin, at New Hartford Conn.; the son of David and Hannah (Steele) Benjamin; bapt in 1813 at New Hartford, Conn. (cr 3-9); died September 26, 1886 at New Orleans, Louisiana. He married Orylla Hynes. She was born in 1815 and died in 1881.

Children of Henry Badger and Orylla (Hynes) Benjamin:
4199. Cornelia Benjamin b. 1836; d. 1842.
4200. Fannie Benjamin b. 1840; d. 1912; m. --- Tyrell.

4201. Henry A. Benjamin b. 1844; d. 1863 in the Civil War
4202. Herman Brisbane Benjamin b. 1846; killed in Indiana in 1925; m. Cora --- who was b. in 1860 and d. 1942. Had dau. Flora Benjamin b. 1891; m. Roscoe C. White.
4202. William T. Benjamin b. 1849; d. 1936; m. Louise --- who was b. 1851 and d. 1936. Their only surviving child in 1936 was Mabel Benjamin; m. --- Neeve.
4203. Jessie Benjamin b. 1858; d. 1942; m. Joseph D. Wilder.

Resources: Records of Ronald K. Branch of Rutherford,N.J.

2244. HORATIO NELSON (on bp. rec.) NELSON H. (on m. rec.) BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Samuel[5], David[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born December 11, 1814 at New Hartford, Conn.; the son of David and Hannah (Steele) Benjamin; bapt. August 27, 1815 at New Hartford, Conn. (cr 4-2); died December 18, 1882 at Kingville, Ashtabula Co., Ohio. He married Fanny F. Johnson on June 8, 1837 at Ashtabula Co., Ohio (vr). She was born April 25, 1812 in Conn. and died September 14, 1881.

He grew up in Fredonia, New York and while a young man followed an older brother to Ashtabula Co., Ohio and settled in Cherry Valley Twp. In 1848 he moved to Kingsville Township. For a few years, during the late 1860's and early 1870's, he lived in Sharon, Mercer Co., Penn., but returned to Kingsville before 1880.

He is listed in the 1840 and 1850 census as Nelson.

Children of Nelson H. and Fanny (Johnson) Benjamin:
*4204. Rice E. Benjamin b. 1838 in Ashtabula Co., Ohio.
*4205. Sarah L. Benjamin b. 1840 in Ashtabula Co., Ohio.
4206. Lovirture J. Benjamin b. 1842; d. October 14, 1877 of T.B. at Kingsville, Ohio.
4207. Allen Benjamin b. 1844; d. March 24, 1866 of T.B. at Kingsville, Ohio.
*4208. Flora Lovisa Benjamin b. December 6, 1856 at Ashtabula Co., Ohio.

Resources: Records of Ronald K. Branch (his direct line) of Rutherford, N.J.; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church Records.

2245. NAOMI HANNAH BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Samuel[5], David[4], John[3], Caleb John[1]) born December 11, 1814 at New Hartford, Conn.; the dau. of David and Hannah (Steele) Benjamin; bapt. August 27, 1815 at New Hartford, Conn. (cr 4-2); died 1897. She married Jacob Tinkham.

Children of Jacob and Naomi (Benjamin) Tinkham:
4209. Albert Tinkham b. 1840; d. 1900.
4210. Howard C. Tinkham b. 1842.
4211. Lydia Tinkham b. 1843; m. --- Walter.

4212. Luella Tinkham b. 1851; d. 1931; m. --- Moran.

Resources: Records of Ronald K. Branch of Rutherford, N.J.

2249. STEPHEN BENJAMIN[7] (David[6-5], John[4], Joshua[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born March 22, 1817 at Exeter, Rhode Island; the son of David and Colinda (Lawton) Benjamin; died January 3, 1900 at the age of 83 (gs) and buried in the Chestnut Hill Baptist Church Cemetery at Exeter. He married Mary Jane Lawton of Exeter on December 14, 1840. She was born at Exeter and died August 22, 1903 and is buried with her husband.

They were members of the Baptist Church in Exeter on February 1850 and she was dismissed December 5, 1897.

Children of Stephen and Mary (Lawton) Benjamin:

4213. Mary Louise Benjamin b. March 22, 1842 at Exeter; m. March 22, 1864 Waterman Allen.

4214. Stephen Arnold Benjamin b. November 7, 1843; d. January 16, 1896; m. October 1870 Annis F. Joslin

4215. Harriet Frances Benjamin b. November 22, 1845 at Exeter; d. September 26, 1847, age 1-9-27 (gs); buried with parents.

*4216. Alfred Judson Benjamin b. February 7, 1851 at Exeter, R.I.

4217. Charles Lawton Benjamin b. January 31, 1853 at Exeter, R.I.

4218. William Edwin Benjamin b. April 6, 1858; d. July 5, 1860, age 1-2-29; buried with parents.

4219. John Elmer Gould Benjamin b. May 6, 1860 at Exeter.

4220. Joseph Orrin Benjamin b. February 16, 1864 at Exeter, R.I.

Resources: Records of the 2nd Baptist Church of Exeter, R.I.; Records taken from Salt Lake City, Utah Libary Microfilm.

2252. GEORGE OSCAR BENJAMIN[7] (George[6], Thomas[5], John[4], Joshua[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born 1832/3 or 1838 in Brookfield, Madison Co., New York; the son of George and Laura (---) Benjamin; died in 1903/4 at Preston, Chenango Co., New York. He married Maryetta Bathsheba Rogers on February 15, 1860. She was the dau. of Nathan and Harriet Sophia (Clark) Rogers and was born June 6, 1839 at Preston, New York.

Children of George and Maryetta (Rogers) Benjamin:

4221. Flora Viola Benjamin b. July 2, 1861 at Sangerfield Oneida Co., N.Y.; m. Charles S. Roe and had a dau Irma Roe, who m. Hiram Adams of Oxford, N.Y.

4222. Mary Emeline Benjamin b. September 23, 1863; m. December 31, 1885 Calvin Westover and died young.

422 3. Willard Oscar Benjamin b. October 5, 1866 at Preston, New York; m/1 February 5, 1890 Jennie Bell

Wilcox; m/2 Sarah Southard.

4224. Fred Rogers Benjamin b. May 15, 1869 at Preston, N.Y.; m. Georgia A. Race on June 24, 1891 He died in 1950.

4225. Alice Adelia Benjamin b. January 17, 1871; m. January 27, 1897 Herbert Westover.

4226. Minette Eugenia Benjamin b. May 15, 1878 at Preston N.Y.; m. Walter Coles and had no issue.

Resources: p. 270 & 367 James Rogers of New London, Conn., Rogers, 1902; Records from Mrs. John Keller of Lititz, Pa.

2253. DELOS BENJAMIN[7] (Jonathan[6], Thomas[5], John[4], Joshua[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born about 1828/9 at Brookfield, Madison Co., New York; the son of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Nye) Benjamin; died in 1877, probably in Allegany Co., New York. He married in 1849 Caroline Houghton of Caneadea, N.Y., the dau. of Warren Houghton. She was born about 1833 in Allegany Co., New York.

He was a farmer and resided in Hume, Allegany Co., New York. On his farm, the noted Indian Chief Mohawk was buried. He was excise commissioner, elected on the Republican ticket, and served six years.

Children of Delos and Caroline (Houghton) Benjamin:

4227. Mortimer Benjamin bc. 1850 at Hume, N.Y.

4228. Oscar Benjamin bc. 1852.

4229. Lucretia Benjamin bc. 1853; m. Michael Sowles and had dau. Blanche Sowles.

4230. Cora Benjamin bc. 1858; m. Alfred Arnold and had: Grace, Bertha, and Grover Arnold.

4231. John Benjamin bc. 1856; married and moved to Iowa.

4232. Hattie Benjamin bc. 1860; m. Edwin Ayers and had: George, Fred, and Carrie Ayers.

4233. Mary Benjamin bc. 1859.

4234. George Benjamin bc. 1862.

4235. Delia Benjamin bc. 1865.

4236. Frederick Benjamin bc. 1868 in Hume, New York.

Resources: Census records; p. 726 Allegany Co. and It's People 1795-1895.

2255. JOHN I./J. BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Thomas[5], John[4], Joshua[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born about 1839 at Brookfield, Madison Co., New York; the son of David and Sarah (Ingersoll) Benjamin; died April 21, 1920. He m/1 Hattie L. --- who was born in 1844 and died January 14, 1869 (gs) age 22, probably in childbirth and is buried in the North Brookfield Cemetery. He m/2 Ella (Etta) A. Joslin of Eaton Village on January 18, 1872 at Easton. She was born May 2, 1842 and died February 29, 1911 (gs) and is buried in the Eaton Cemetery in Madison Co., New York.

He was in the Civil War in the 26th New York Calvary.

Children of John and Hattie (---) Benjamin:
4237. Willie Benjamin bc.1869; d. March 7, 1874, age 5 yrs. (gs); buried in the North Brookfield Cem.

Children of John and Ella (Joslin) Benjamin:
4238. David L. Benjamin; resided in New York City.
4239. Kirk J. Benjamin; resided in Columbus, Ohio.
4240. Emma J. Benjamin; m. --- Fraser; resided in Waverly New York.
4241. Elbert Benjamin ; died April 8, 1880, age 11 mos.
4242. Elbert B. Benjamin; resided in Brookfield, N.Y.

Resources: p. 30 Vol. 180 Madison Co. Cemetery Records; p. 196 Births, Deaths, and Marriages from Madison Co. Newspapers 1818-1886; p. 34-5 Vol. 169 Madison Co. Cem. Records.

2264. WILLIAM M. BENJAMIN[7] (Charles[6], Silas[5], John[4], Joshua[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born about 1823/4 in Allegany Co., New York; the son of Charles Benjamin. He married Louisa M. ---, who was born about 1834. William died about 1875, since letters of administration of his estate were filed (Box 111 in 3:93) on April 12, 1875 in Allegany Co., N.Y.
He was listed in the 1860 and 1870 census records of Scio, Allegany Co., N.Y.

Children of William and Louisa (---) Benjamin:
4243. Emory/Emery W. Benjamin bc. 1855 in Allegany Co., N.Y.; dc. 1907; letters of administration were filed Nov. 19, 1907 in Allegany Co. (7:444) but no one was mentioned; perhaps unm.
4244. William F. Benjamin bc. 1857/8; bc. 1888; letters of administration filed June 25, 1888 (4:404) in Allegany Co., N.Y.; apparently unm. since only his mother is mentioned; he was "of Wellsville".
4245. Edwin Benjamin bc. 1859/60 in Allegany Co., N.Y.

Resource: Census and probate records.

Chapter 9.

GENERATION VIII - JOHN LINE

2273. ALVIN BENJAMIN[8] (Jonathan[7-6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born December 11, 1808 at Reading, Windsor Co., Vermont; the son of Jonathan and Hannah (Swinerton) Benjamin; died December 16, 1895, age 87 yrs. 5 days. (gs) at Hartland, Vermont (vr 7-250). He is buried in the Hartland Village Cemetery. He married Sarah (Sally) Cady on April 3, 1836 at Woodstock, Vt. (vr). She was the dau. of Joseph and Polly (Parker) Cady and was born about 1809 at Reading, Vermont and died April 2, 1881 (gs), age 72-7-5 at Hartland, Vt. (vr 6-247) and is buried with her husband.

He was a farmer.

Children of Alvin and Sarah (Cady) Benjamin:

4246. George William Benjamin b. July 21, 1846 at Hartland Vermont (vr 37-422); d. November 13, 1883 at Hartland; m. October 30, 1879 Charlotte Alice Larabee, dau. of Benjamin F. and Charlotte (Ayers) Larabee. She was b. June 8, 1851; d. July 24, 1900. They had a dau. Ellen Benjamin b. December 5, 1880; m. June 27, 1904 Richard A. Gibson and had Richard Gibson and Naomi Gibson.

4247. Fillmore Benjamin b. June 3, 1848 at Hartland, Vt.; d. 1933 at Quechee, Vermont; m. January 1875 Mary Elizabeth Spaulding. She was the dau. of Daniel and Eleanor (Evans) Spaulding and was born December 2, 1847. They had dau. Mary Idella Benjamin b. Dec. 6, 1885; m. Sept. 1, 1909 James T. Seaver b. 1875, and had 2 children.

4248. Harvey Pierce Benjamin b. July 22, 1850 at Hartland Vermont (vr); resided in Claremont, N.H. and played in a band.

Resources: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of N. Carver, Mass.; p. 367 Spaulding Memorial, Spaulding, 1897; Hartland, Vt. Vital Records.

?2274. JOHN H./B. BENJAMIN[8] (Jno.[7-6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born about 1812/3 in Vermont; a possible son of Jonathan and Hannah (Swinterton) Benjamin; died March 5, 1855 at the age of 42 (gs) at West Windsor, Vermont (vr). He is buried in the Sheddsville Cemetery. He married Clarissa Leavens (Levans/Evans) of Hartland, Vermont on April 28, 1840 at Hartland, Vt. (vr).

(Note: His vital records tend to indicate this parent-

age.) He was located in the 1850 census at W. Windsor (Reading), Vt.

Children of John and Clarissa (Leavens) Benjamin:

4249. Elmer F. (Frederick E.) Benjamin b. February 9, 1841 at W. Windsor, Vt.; d. September 14, 1863, age 22-7-5 (gs) in the Civil War; unm.; buried in the Shedsville Cemetery at W. Windsor.

4250. Huldah A. Benjamin b. October 1848; d. February 6, 1853, age 4 yrs. 4 mos. (gs) and buried in the Shedsville Cemetery.

4251. Clara J. (Idella) Benjamin. She was the sole heir in 1881.

Resources: Vital Records of Vermont.

2275. HOSEA L. BENJAMIN[8] (Jno.[7-6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born August 24, 1815 at Reading, Windsor Co., Vermont; the son of Jonathan and Hannah (Swinerton) Benjamin; died May 14, 1872, age 65-8-20 (gs) at Reading, Vermont and is buried in the Abel Amsdem Cemetery. He m/1 Ann Wardner, dau. of Calvin and Sarah (Fay) Wardner. She was born January 29, 1819 and died February 21, 1854 at Reading, Vt. (vr). She, too, is buried in the Abel Amsden Cemetery. He m/2 Marietta W.(Willard/Wardner) Hale on November 6, 1854 at Woodstock, Vermont. (vr). She was the dau. of Luther and Cloe (Leavens) Wardner and was born November 6, 1823 at Windsor, Vt. and died November 25, 1885 at West Windsor, Vermont, age 62 yrs. 19 days. (Note: The marriage record gives her last name as Willard and Romeo's birth record gives her name as Wardner.) She is also buried with her husband.

Hosea was a carpenter and joiner.

Children of Hosea and Ann (Wardner) Benjamin:

4252. Sarah Luella Benjamin; died 1938 at Claremont, New Hampshire; m. Feb. 15, 1868 at Woodstock, Vt. (vr George Hawkins, son of Ferdinand and Charlotte (Annsden) Hawkins b. May 28, 1840, d. June 25, 1896 in Chicago, Illinois. They had one son, Ray Hawkins, who did not marry and resided in Denver, Colorado.

4253. Calvin Wardner Benjamin; died in Denver, Colorado; m. Luella Merril. Had a son George W. Benjamin.

Children of Hosea and Marietta (Wardner) Benjamin:

4254. Romeo Eldon Benjamin b. January 18, 1859 at Reading Vt. (vr); d. July 30, 1860, age 1-6-12; buried with parents.

4255. Elton Albert Benjamin b. July 16, 1861 at Reading, Vt. (vr); d. September 2, 1925 at Claremont, N.H. (vr); m. at W. Windsor, Vt. (vr) September 6, 1883 Blanche A. Quimby b. February 2, 1865. They had:

Mildred Benjamin b. July 23, 1844 at Windsor, Vt.; m. Herbert Bartlett and had: Richard, Marian, Colin, and Blanche Bartlett.
Elsie Benjamin b. Sept. 18, 1885; m. Roy Burke and had dau. Eleanor Burke m. Roy Parmelee Clarmont.
Ethel M. Benjamin b. Jan. 1, 1887; m. Fred Prince and had Clyde and Ruth Prince.
Earle E. Benjamin b. 1890; m. Augusta Ruth Bullard of Burlington, Vt. b. Apr. 29, 1889, dau. of Vernon Alvord and Fluella Ruth (Stowe) Bulland and had dau. Fluella Benjamin m. --- Cornelius.
Burton Benjamin b. 1894; d. unm. in service in World War I in 1919.
Wardner Benjamin b. Dec. 30, 1896; m. Mary Renshaw and had William Burton Benjamin and Mary Louise Benjamin who m. --- Campbell.

Resources: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of N. Carver, Mas Records of Mrs. E. E. Rogers; Vermont State Vital Records; p. 7 Other Bullards, Bullard, 1929.

2287. LORENZO DOW BENJAMIN[8] (Lemuel[7], Jno.[6], Wm.[5], Jno[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born January 29, 1806 at South Woodstock, Vermont the son of Lemuel and Abigail (Lake) Benjamin; died October 15, 1881 or 1887 at Wautoma, Wisconsin. He married Eliza Eveline Edson on June 11, 1837 at Woodstock, Vt. (vr She was the dau.of Luther and Hannah (Rice) Edson and was born in 1818 at Woodstock and died October 21, 1876 at Waushara County, Wisconsin.

They moved from Woodstock, Vt. to Waushara Co., Wis. about 1848-50. They were located in the Township of Dakota, Waushara Co., Wis. in the 1870 census.

Children of Lorenzo and Eliza (Edson) Benjamin:

4256. Augusta Benjamin bc. 1838 at Woodstock, Vt.; m. John Hodge.

4257. Lucy Benjamin bc. 1840 in Woodstock, Vt.; d. January 8, 1911 at Lee's Summitt, Missouri; m. Bradner Whiting. She was listed in the 1850 census of Middleton, Wis. residing with Joseph Tuttle. Joseph b. Jan. 2, 1786 at Claremont, N.H. and m/1 Rhoda Rockwell and m/2 Susanna Mack.

4258. Edson Lorenzo Benjamin b. December 18, 1842 at Woodstock, Vermont; d. June 18, 1918 at Wautoma, Wisconsin; m. June 6, 1867 Clarissa Arminta Porter, who d. 1940 in California. Their issue:
Eliza Ellen Benjamin b. July 1869; m. Herbert L. Post and had son Edson Post.
Lucy Augusta Benjamin.
Adaline Belle Benjamin; unm.

Mabel Claire Benjamin; m. 1866; lived at Bald win Park, Colorado.

Resources: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of N. Carver, Mas Records of Mabel Claire Benjamin; Bible records belonging to Mrs. Arnold Halberg (Esther Clark); p. 931-2 Edson Fam. Hist. Vol. 2, Edson; Tuttle-Tuthill Lines, Tuttle, 1968.

2289. ROSAMOND W. BENJAMIN[8] (Lemuel[7], Jno.[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born August 2, 1808 at South Woodstock, Vermont; the dau. of Lemuel and Abigail (Lake) Benjamin; died June 7, 1830. She married James Volney W. Hill on October 5, 1828.

Children of James and Rosamond (Benjamin) Hill:
4259. Hiram Hill; was "out West" when grandfather died.

Resources: Bible records belonging to Mrs. Arnold Halbert; Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of N. Carver, Mass.; Records of Miss Mary Fullerton of Woodstock, Vt.

2290. BEULAH F. BENJAMIN[8] (Lemuel[7], Jno[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John 2-1) born May 12, 1813 at South Woodstock, Vermont; the dau. of Lemuel and Beulah (Fullerton) Benjamin; died March 19, 1849 at South Woodstock and is buried in the Methodist Cemetery. She married Silas Perry on October 13, 1836 at Woodstock, Vt. (vr). He was probably the son of Silas and Mary (---) Perry and was born about 1802 and died May 18, 1878, age 76 yrs.

Children of Silas and Beulah (Benjamin) Perry:
4260. Jacob Fullum Perry b. August 9, 1838; d. April 16, 1862 in Virginia in the Civil War, age 23. He is buried in the Methodist Cem. at Woodstock.
4261. Edward A. Perry b. June 17, 1841; d. Oct. 13, 1910; m. Emma Thayer.
4262. Watson Perry b. Dec. 21, 1844; d. August 18, 1878. (Bible rec. say he d. 1857.)
4263. Beulah Estella Perry b. Sept. 18, 1846; d. Aug. 18, 1907 at Worcester, Mass.; m. Alex Foulds.

Resources: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of N. Carver, Mass. and records of Miss Mary Fullerton of Woodstock, Vt.

2291. MARIETTA D. BENJAMIN[8] (Lemuel[7], Jno.[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born May 1, 1815 at South Woodstock, Vermont; the dau. of Lemuel and Beulah (Fullerton) Benjamin; died March 1, 1847. She married Charles Dunham Perkins on December 10, 1834 at Woodstock, Vt. (vr), the son of Gains D. Perkins. He was born March 23, 1813 at South Woodstock, Vt.

Children of Charles and Marietta (Benjamin) Perkins:
4264. Ellen Perkins b. September 9, 1835; d. January 18, 1904 at Woodstock, Vt.; m. Friend P. Fletcher.

They had one child: Alice L Fletcher, who d. unm.

4265. Marietta Perkins b. September 27, 1843; m. Orlando Clark and resided in Mystic, Conn. Their issue:

Edward Perkins Clark; m/1 June 1897 Christine Violet Whipple, who d. June 1912. He m/2 Dec. 1915 Minnie (Jennings) Kipp. There was no issue of the 2nd m. He had: Ida Whipple Clark b. May 1898; May Eloise Clark b & d. 1899; Lucy Ransom Clark b. Aug. 1900, m. 1920 Clifton C. West; Edward Perkins Clark Jr. b & d. 1903, Esther Christine Clark b. Nov. 1904, m.1923 Arnold Hallburg.

Frederick Benjamin Clark b. July 26, 1874; m. Aug. 8, 1903 Catherine Mary Brown. They had: George Francis Brown Clark b. Nov. 1906; Frederick Benjamin Clark Jr. b. Apr 1909; Hannah Cecilia Clark b. July 1913; Alice Dorothy Clark b. Apr. 1916.

Ambrose Clark. He was a soldier and served in the Phillipines.

Charles D. Clark; remained in Woodstock, Vt.

Marietta C. Clark; unmarried.

Resources: Research of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of N. Carver, Mass. which includes records from a Bible owned by Mrs. Arnold Halberg (Esther West), who has Lemuel Benjamin"s Bible.

2292. CHARLES FREDERICK BENJAMIN[8] (Lemuel[7], Jno.[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan John[2-1]) born May 6, 1822 at South Woodstock, Vermont; the son of Lemuel and Beulah (Fullerton) Benjamin; died May 22 1883, age 61-2-15 (gs) at South Woodstock, Vermont (vr) of cancer. He is buried in the Kendall (Ransom) Cemetery. He married Caroline Ruth Ellis on December 14, 1845, the dau. of William and Sarah (Stowe) Ellis. She was born in 1821 at South Woodstock and died May 21, 1905, age 83 yrs. 19 days. (gs) at South Woodstock, Vermont. She is buried with her husband.

He was the last Benjamin in South Woodstock, and was a music teacher and taught violin.

Children of Charles and Caroline (Ellis) Benjamin:

4266. Caroline Luela (Lucilla) Benjamin b. January 28, 1852; d. March 25, 1853, age 1 yrs. 2 mos. (gs); buried with her parents.

4267. Charles Park Benjamin b. July 19, 1854; d. November 22, 1860.

Resources: Research of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass. and Bible Records from Lemuel Benjamin's Bible.

2293. LAVINIA ABIGAIL or ABIGAIL LAVINIA or ALLA L,on m. rec. BEN-

JAMIN[8] (Lemuel[7], Jno.[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Daniel[3], John[2-1]) born August 23, 1826 at South Woodstock, Vermont; the dau. of Lemuel and Beulah (Fullerton) Benjamin; died March 16, 1888. She married Franklin Benjamin Standish of Pembroke, Mass. on August 20, 1848/9 at Woodstock, Vermont. (vr). He was the son of John W. Standish and died August 10, 1910.

Children of Benjamin and Abigail (Benjamin) Standish:

4268. Ella Marie Standish b. May 28, 1855; m. Charles K. Mitchell, who died Feb. 8, 1927. They resided at Malden, Mass. Issue: Lillian Mitchell b. May 21, 1882, m. George Pattee; Florence Mitchell b. Feb. 24, 1884, unm.; Ruth Mitchell b. Jan. 21, 1889, unm.

4269. Edward Miles Standish b. May 23, 1860 at Woodstock, Vermont; d. June 9, 1895; unmarried.

4270. Clarence Francis Standish b. January 2, 1859; d. November 18, 1860

Resources: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of N.Carver, Mass

2294. JOHN QUINCY AUGUSTUS BENJAMIN[8] (Lemuel[7], Jno.[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born April 22, 1829 at South Woodstock, Vermont; the son of Lemuel and Beulah (Fullerton) Benjamin; died January 20, 1883 in Indiana. He married Susan D. Farnsworth of Duttonville, Vermont on October 28, 1850 at Cavendish, Vermont (vr). She was the dau. of J. Brewer and Sarah (Slayton) Farnsworth and was born July 3, 1830. He resided at LeRoy, Indiana in 1853.

Children of John and Susan (Farnsworth) Benjamin:

4271. Otto Farnsworth Benjamin b. September 1, 1852 at LaPort, Indiana; d. March 16, 1871.

4272. Charles Brewer Benjamin b. September 21, 1864 at Porter Co., Indiana; d. May 20, 1918; buried in Crown Point, Indiana; m. September 24, 1891 to Anna Patton, the dau. of Joseph and Sarah (---) Patton, who came from Ireland shortly before she was born November 4, 1872 at Hebron, Indiana. Issue:

1. Charles Roger Benjamin b. August 1, 1892 at Lake Co., Ind.; m. June 1917 Winnie M. Kendall.
2. Harriet Farnsworth Benjamin b. August 23, 1895; m. June 1922 John Wilson Van Ness.
3. Edna Elizabeth Benjamin b. May 15, 1900 at Lake Co., Ind.; m. Henry E. Jackson.
4. Joseph Quincy Benjamin b. June 6, 1904; in LeRoy, Ind.; m. May 1933 Theresa Yassick.
5. Mary Margaret Benjamin b. October 16,1913 at LeRoy, Ind.; m. Jan. 1939 Harry V. Wenger.
6. Helen Virginia Benjamin b. August 20,1915

m. June 1939 Jack Williams.

Resources: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of N. Carver, Ma. and Records of Mrs. Harriet F. Benjamin VanNess of Valparaiso, Indiana.

2295. LEMUEL ORLANDO BENJAMIN[8] (Lemuel[7], Jno.[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born July 3, 1830 at Woodstock, Vermont; the son of Lemuel and Beulah (Fullberton) Benjamin; died February 17, 1913 at Rochester, Olmstead Co., Minnesota (vr 208-45). He married Helen/Ellen Cassandra Farnsworth on October 9, 1855 at Weathersfield, Vermont (vr). She was the dau. of J. Brewer and Sarah (Slayton) Farnsworth. She died Aug. 23, 1899 at Olmstead Co., Minn. (vr D13-12). He and his brother John married sisters.

He moved to Indiana in 1854 and in 1856 came to Minn. In 1857 he returned to bring his family to Rochester. He located on a farm in Rochester Township, and in 1862 he moved into that city. He was appointed coroner to fill a vacancy and then ran for that office at the next election. He was deputy sheriff for 8 years and city marshall for 2 years. In 1882 he was elected City Justice of Rochester and held that office 12 years. He was Superintendent of Schools for several years after that.

Children of Lemuel and Helen (Farnsworth) Benjamin:

4273. William F. Benjamin b. September 9, 1857; m. October 27, 1880 at Rochester, Minn. to Christina A. Dietrich. They had a son William Orlando Benjamin., b. Aug. 1881, d. Oct. 1881. (Note: There is a m. rec. for Walter F. Benjamin on Oct. 4, 1888 at St. Paul, Minn. to Mattie M. Cook. This MIGHT be a 2nd m. for the above William.)

4274. Harriet Florence Benjamin b. December 31, 1862; d. March 3, 1936 at Rochester, Minn. She was an excellent organist.

4275. Arline Mary Benjamin b. July 14, 1871 at Rochester.

Resources: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of N. Carver, Ma. p. 100 Hist. of Olmstead Co., Minn.

2297. LUCINDA K. BENJAMIN[8] (Lemuel[7], Jno.[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born February 20, 1835 at South Woodstock, Vermont; the dau. of Lemuel and Beulah (Fullerton) Benjamin; died August 22, 1861. She married John S. Angeli on December 24, 1857.

Children of John and Lucinda (Benjamin) Angeli:

4276. Sarah Estelle Angeli b. October 1860.

Resources: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of N. Carver, Ma.

2316. LUCY BENJAMIN[8] Jesse[7], Jonas[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born in 1816 in Hounsville, Jefferson Co., New York; the

dau. of Jesse and Elizabeth (Livermore) Benjamin; died April 17, 1851 at E. Hounsville, New York. She married Daniel Conklin, son of Ezekiel and Hannah (Ackler) Conklin He was born in 1804 at Warren, N.Y. and died May 14, 1869 in Jefferson Co., New York.

Children of Daniel and Lucy (Benjamin) Conklin:

4277. Andrew S. Conklin b. 1834; d. February 7, 1906, and buried in the Brownsville Cemetery; m. Angeline Ostertout (she was called Betsey). Their only child was: Nettie B. Conklin bc. 1866, d. Nov. 20 1885, age 18-1-7.

4278. Levi Conklin; died young; drowned.

4279. Charles B. Conklin; died young of a fever.

4280. Theodore C. Conklin b. November 19, 1844; d. March 17, 1891; m. Roxy Lorentine Wallace b. 1839, d. Jan. 21, 1894, age 55. Issue:
   1. Mary Conklin; who probably died young.
   2. Herbert Daniel Conklin b. April 10, 1869 d. 1937, m. Minnie A. Gladwyn who d. 1954
   3. William Conklin, d. 1919, m. Carrie Chapman, who m/2 John Allen.

4281. Franklin R. Conklin; m. Eva Ball, adopted dau. of Farnum and Caroline (---) Ball. Issue:
   1. Ellie Conklin, d. 1865
   2. Matie Conklin; died young.
   3. Roy Conklin; m. Pearl Comstock.

4282. John T. Conklin b. 1863; d. May 28, 1918, age 55; m. Sarah Edwards, dau. of Othaniel and Mary S. (---) Edwards; resided and are buried in Brownsville. Issue:
   1. Fred J. Conklin, who d. 1885, age 19.
   2. Eddie Conklin, who d. 1875, age 1-7-0.

Resources: Research of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of N. Carver, Ma which included an article from the Jefferson Co. Gazetter pub. in 1880 and records from The Conklin Family.

2317. SILVESTER BENJAMIN[8] (Jesse[7], Jonas[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born in 1819 at E. Hounsville, Jefferson Co., New York; the son of Jesse and Elizabeth (Livermore) Benjamin; died November 18, 1886 at E. Hounsville, New York and is buried in the Muskelounge Cemetery. He m/1 Jeanette Spaulding b. 1826/7 in New York and died July 2, 1873, age 46 (gs). He m/2 Mary (Maryette) --- born about 1856 and died December 21, 1880, age 24. They are both buried in the same cemetery as their husband.

Silvester signed his name with an "i" but in printed documents, it was spelled with a "y". His will was dated Sept. 7, 1886 and proved December 16, 1886. He left money for the education of his grand nephews, William and Bert Conklin, sons of Theodore Conklin; and for the education of Mamie E. Wilder, dau. of Byron Wilder. (Mrs. B. Wilder

was an illegitmate child of Silvester, according to Mrs. Jock.) He left $300. to the Trustees of the Muskelounge Cemetery and the home and the rest of his estate to his granddau., Grace Nott.

Children of Silvester and Jeanette (Spaulding) Benjamin:
4283. Georgianna Benjamin b. 1848/9 at Hounsfield, N.Y.; d. June 13, 1872 at the age of 23; m. James Wallace Nott. She had two daus.; Grace Nott who did not marry and Clara Nott.

Children of Silvester and Mary (---) Benjamin:
4284. Mary Benjamin b. 1881; d. March 20, 1882, age 1 yr.

Resources: p. 385 Vol. 46 DAR Lineage Book; Research of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of N. Carver, Mass.

2322. ELVIRA BENJAMIN[8] (Jonas[7-6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born November 19, 1818 at E. Hounsfield, Jefferson Co., New York; the dau. of Jonas and Amy (Webb) Benjamin. She was still alive in 1891 at Adam's Center, New York. She married William Bailey Green of Hounsfield, N.Y. He was the son of Rev. William and Mercy (Sheldon) Green and was born January 20, 1815 and died at Adams, Jefferson Co., New York.

Children of William and Elvira (Benjamin) Green:
4285. Florence Celestine Green.
4286. Celestine A. Green.
4287. Amy F. Green b. October 22, --- at Hounsfield, N.Y. m. December 22, 1869 Malone S. Babcock; the son of Samuel Malone Babcock. He was b. June 1849 and resided at Adams and Northville, N.Y. Issue: Orester M. Babcock; Florence A. Babcock; Ralph W. Babcock; Sheldon G. Babcock; and Marry M. Babcock
4288. Elbert H. Green.

Resources: p. 40 & 104-5 Desc. of Joseph Green of R.I., Green, 1894; p. 374 Babcock Gen., Babcock, 1903; p. 248 Desc.of Robert Burdick of L.I., John son, 1937.

2324. CHARLES A. BENJAMIN[8] (Jonas[7-6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born about 1820 at E. Hounsfield, Jefferson Co., New York; the son of Jonas and Amy (Webb) Benjamin; died December 29, 1879, age 59 (gs) at Smithfield, N.Y. and buried in the Smithfield Cemetery. He m/1 Deborah Green, perhaps the dau. of Rev. William and Mercy (Sheldon) Green. She was born in 1819 and died April 10, 1866, age 47. He m/2 Harriet E. Stickney, dau. of Thomas and Mary (Hardy) Stick ney, born in 1837 and died January 14, 1903, age 66, at North Adams, New York.

Charles held some county offices in Jefferson County and owned considerable property. He served two terms in the New York State Senate. He owned a cheese factory and

a grist mill. He kept a large picture of his first wife hanging in the home and often told his daus. that his first wife was a "lovely person". Harriet, his second wife, moved into the town of Adams after the death of her husband and the property at Smithville was sold about 1881

Children of Charles and Deborah (Green) Benjamin:

4289. Frank D. Benjamin b. at Smithville Center, New York d. February 16, 1888, in a mine accident, at Golden, Colorado, where he went into mining about 1884. He married Gertrude Robbins, who d. January 4, 1936 at Pueblo, Colo. and had a son Carl Benjamin who d. unm, age 40, at Pueblo, Colo.

4290. Henry Lionel Benjamin b. at Smithville Center, N.Y. d. at Topeka, Kansas; went to Colorado Springs about 1884, was a foreman of a large lumber wagon m. in N.Y. Jennie Lind Cooley, dau. of Dwight and Abigail (Aldrich) Cooley. Issue:
    1. Charles Dwight Benjamin b. 1873 in N.Y.; m. 1908 Ellie Louise Wallace.
    2. Florence Benjamin b.1876 in N.Y.; m. Otto Elliott and resided in Topeka, Kansas.
    3. Henry Aldrich Benjamin b. May 18, 1880 in N.Y.; m. Nellie G. Fisher.

4291. Charles E. Benjamin; remained in Smithville; m. Lillian Wallace, who remarried after his death. He was a carpenter and boat builder by trade. There is a "Ben's Cove" on the lakeshore at Smith ville Center that is named for Charles E., who built many cottages there. Issue: May Benjamin m. --- Jennings and had dau. Betty Jennings who m. --- Dickson.

4292. Edwin C. Benjamin d. September 5, 1880, age 21 year by drowning.

4293. Bertie Benjamin d. May 4, 1872, age 8 years.

Children of Charles and Harriet (Stickney) Benjamin:

4294. Amy M. Benjamin b. 1871; m. Frank D. Wilmot.

4295. Gertrude E. Benjamin b. 1874; m. Ora Bert Reed, resided in Watertown, New York.

Resources: Research of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of N. Carver, MA

2325. MARY BENJAMIN[8] (Jonas[7-6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born June 1823 at E. Hounsfield, Jefferson Co., New York; the dau. of Jonas and Amy (Webb) Benjamin; died February 5, 1884, age 60-8-24 (gs) and is buried at the Smithfield Cemetery in Jefferson Co., New York. She married A. Darwin Stanley, the son of Daniel and Esther (---) Stanley. He was born July 1826 and died June 30, 1895, age 88-11-25 (gs).

Children of A. Darwin and Mary (Benjamin) Stanley:

4296. DeForest Stanley b. June 29, 1847; d. March 31,

1909; m. Florence A. Bullard b. March 30, 1852, d. Dec. 30, 1935. They had a son Frank Stanley b. Nov. 28, 1875, d. May 18, 1892.

4297. Charles B. Stanley b. August 19, 1852; d. December 27, 1925; m. Jennie Howard b. May 6, 1859, d. May 30, 1954. They had dau. Blanche Stanley b. Oct. 15, 1886, d. Feb. 12, 1899.

4298. Eva Stanley b. 1825; d. 1907; m. Albert A. Robins.

4299. Howard Stanley b. 1859; d. 1928; m. ---.

Resources: Research of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of N. Carver, Ma Smithville Cemetery records.

2330. LYMAN ALONZO BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Jonas[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born July 18, 1829 at E. Hounsfield, Jefferson Co., New York; the son of William and Charlotte (Welch) Benjamin; died August 12, 1897 at Danforth, Illinois, and is buried in the Flesher Cemetery. He married Phebe Ann Webb on January 28, 1854. She was born April 23, 1834 at Washington Co., New York and died February 3, 1908 at Danforth, Illinois.

He moved from Hounsfield to DuPage County, Illinois in 1855 and then to Danforth, Illinois.

Children of Lyman and Phebe (Webb) Benjamin:

4300. Fred Benjamin b. January 27, 1855 at Hounsfield, NY d. July 12, 1933 at Watseka, Illinois; m. Dec. 27 1877 Melissa J. Parker of Iraquois Co., Ill, who d. Jan. 14, 1950. Issue: James L. Benjamin of Paris, Ill.; Fred P. Benjamin of Watseka, Ill.; and Madge Benjamin of Watseka.

4301. Ella J. Benjamin b. April 12, 1856 at York Center, Illinois; d. Jan. 21, 1874 at Iraquois, Ill.

4302. William Darius Benjamin b. October 29, 1857 at York Center, Illinois; d. May 9, 1941 at Watseka, Ill. m. Aug. 18, 1886 Rose Cloke of Ashbum, Iraquois Co., Ill., dau. of Richard and Mary Anne (Staples) Cloke bc. 1844, d. Dec. 16, 1929 at Watseka, Ill.

4303. Edwin Nelson Benjamin b. October 20, 1860 at York Center, Ill.; d. Jan. 31, 1935 at Witchita, Kans. m. May 26, 1887 Kate Cutzer of McCoot, Red Wilton Co., Nebraska.

4304. Ida C. Benjamin b. November 8, 1856 at York Center, Ill.; d. May 28, 1918; m. Henry Lander and had no children.

4305. Nettie May Benjamin b. April 28, 1868 at Danforth, Ill.; d. January 14, 1870.

4306. Charles Wright Benjamin b. July 9, 1870 at Danforth Ill.; d. May 5, 1943 at Gilman, Ill.; m. Jan. 31, 1900 Lydia Mitchell and had no children.

Resources: Records of Madge and Fred P. Benjamin of Watseka, Ill.; Cem. and Vital Records of Iraquois Co., Ill.; Research of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of N. Carver, Mass.

2331. CHARLES WILLIAM BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Jonas[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born July 12, 1831 at E. Hounsfield, Jefferson Co., New York; the son of William and Charlotte (Welsh) Benjamin; died June 11, 1895 at Maywood, Illinois and is buried in the Forest Home Cemetery in section I. He marmired Jane Evans of Hounsfield, N.Y. She was born August 22, 1829 at Hounsfield and died October 11, 1913 at Maywood, Illinois.

Charles' speciality, according to his grandson, was to spit tobacco skillfully. He was in the New York State Assembly in 1862 from Smithville, N.Y.

Children of Charles and Jane (Evans) Benjamin:

4307. Annie Benjamin.

4308. Will Charles Benjamin b. April 21, 1859; d. June 27 1910; m. Katherine Schulz of Evanston, Ill. b. June 21, 1868 and d. Dec. 9, 1921. Her father was born in Prussia and her mother was b. in Luxenburgh. They are buried in Oak Ridge Cemetery in Evenston, Ill. Issue:
  1. Edward Peter Benjamin b. March 16, 1888; m/1 Dec. 1916 Florence Mirrol; m/2 Dec. 1966 Elva McLellan; resided in Melrose Park, Ill.
  2. Lyman Benjamin.

4309. Emma Jane Benjamin b. 1861; d. 1918; m. James Johnstone, son of James B. and Mary (Halero) Johnstone b. 1856, d. 1934. He was a wagon maker in Oak Park, Ill. and had a carriage shop. Issue:
  1. Cecil Johnstone; m. Clyde Rhodes.
  2. Evelyn Johnstone; m. Bruce Hamilton.

4310. Maggie Benjamin b. 1864; d. 1902; m. Henry Schieborn b. June 24, 1863, d. Nov. 27, 1929. He was born in Franklin Grove and his parents came from Germany. Issue:
  1. Benjamin Borton Schierborn b. Dec. 1898; m. Martha Shaeffer.
  2. Roger Harold Schierborn b. Jan. 1900; m. Florence Kleinow.

4311. May Adelaide Benjamin b. 1874; d. 1902; m. --- Harris; was later divorced; resided in Maywood, Illinois; no children.

4312. Eddie Benjamin b. 1876; d. March 26, 1892, age 16.

Resources: Records of Madge Benjamin of Watseka, Ill.; Records of Edward Benjamin of Melrose Park, Ill.; Court and Cemetery Records; Research of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of N. Carver, Mass.

2332. ANSON D. BENJAMIN[8] (Wm[7], Jonas[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born June 23, 1834 at Brownsville, Jefferson Co., New York the son of William and Charlotte (Welsh) Benjamin; died in 1905 at Smith Center, Smith Co., Kansas and is buried in the Smith Center Cemetery. He married Minnie E. Colon

?(Collins) of Brownsville, N.Y. on March 1865 at Adams, NY She was born September 30, 1836 and died December 9, 1921 at Gelatin, Missouri. She is buried with her husband.

Children of Anson and Minnie (Colon) Benjamin:

4313. Margaret (Maggie) Belle Benjamin b. March 1866; d. in Sophia, Bulgaria and is buried there; m. Rev. Lucius C. Markham, son of Rev. Reuben Foller and Louise (Ferris) Markham b. May 1, 1855, d. Feb. 5, 1918 in Wisconsin. Issue:
   1. Maude Markham b. Nov. 1844, d. 1959 at Witchita, Kansas; m. Guy Gabhardt; no children.
   2. Lucius Alonzo (Lonnie) Markham; m. Ruth Davis of St. Louis and resided in Beloit, Wis.
   3. Reuben Henry Markham b. 1887, d. 1949; became a minister; m. Mary --- and had children: Margaret Helena and Eleanor Louise who were born in Sophia, Bulgaria, and had son Jordan Markham, who became a college professor. Reuben went to Bulgaria in 1912 as a missionary from the Congregationalist Church. Then he went to France and in 1920 returned to Bulgaria. In 1927 he joined the staff of the Christian Science Monitor as writer and authority on the Balkens. In 1942 he served as Deputy Director of USA Office of War on Balkens in charge of information and propaganda to the Baken countries.
   4. Harriet Markham; m. and resided in Rogers, Arkansas.
   5. Ruth Markham; m. Arthur H. Cornwall of Ill. and had 2 daus.

4314. Charlotte Elizabeth Benjamin b. June 25, 1867; d. February 28, 1951 at Cameron, Missouri ; m. John R. Stewart, son of William McClelland and Anne (Murray) Stewart, b. Dec. 25, 1854, d. April 23, 1953 at Cameron, Missour. Issue:
   1. Frank William Stewart b. Sept. 1887 at Twelve Mile Creek, Kansas; d. Apr. 1953 Smith Co., Kansas; m. March 12, 1913 Zelma Florea.
   2. infant son b. and d. 1890.
   3. Minnie Anna Stewart b. Dec. 30, 1891; unm.; resided Winston, Missouri.
   4. Susan Eleanor Stewart b. Nov. 23, 1894; d. April 1953; m. James Estes; no issue.
   5. George Howard Stewart b. Jan. 28, 1898; d. Sept. 1935; m. Katherine Froman of Cameron, Missouri.
   6. son b. and d. 1900.
   7. Everett Delors Stewart b. Nov. 1903; m. May 1950 Alberta Fris; resided Winston, Mo.
   8. Mabel Evelyn Stewart b. Mar. 15, 1907; m. Hobart Lynch; resided Kansas City, Mo.; no issue.

4315. George Anson Benjamin b. 1870; m. Bertha Waters and had dau. Cecil Benjamin, who m. Wilfred Talley an had three daus.: Jean, Lenora, and Gail Talley.

Resources: Records from Miss Minnie Stewart and Mr. Fred Gedbell of Osborne Co., Missouri; Research of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of N. Carver, Mass.

2334. CHARLOTTE ADALAIDE BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Jonas[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3] John[2-1]) born April 25, 1844 at E. Hounsfield, Jefferson Co., New York; the dau. of William and Charlotte (Welsh) Benjamin; died February10, 1888 at Hounsfield, N.Y. She perhaps maried first John W. Parker and married/2 William Hart.

For a time she resided in Darlington, Wisconsin.

Children of John and Charlotte (Benjamin) Parker:

4315. Fred Clarence Parker Benjamin b. November 1, 1860 in E. Hounsfield, New York. He was adopted by his grandfather, William Benjamin. For his carry down, see #2336.

Children of William and Charlotte (Benjamin) Hart:

4316. Maude Adalaide Hart b. 1868 in Chicago, Illinois; m. 1887 in Darlington, Wis. to Lewis Alvin Williams b. 1887.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Betty Williams Strube of Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

2335. EUNICE ELIZABETH BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Jonas[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born August 17, 1848 at E. Hounsfield, Jefferson Co., New York; the dau. of William and Charlotte (Welsh) Benjamin; died 1959 in Florida. She married Byron G. Penny in Jefferson Co., New York. They had three children

Children of Eunice (Benjamin) and Byron Penny:

4317. Bertha Penny; m. --- Newland.

Resources: Records of Miss Madge Benjamin of Watseka, Ill.

2336. FRED CLARENCE PARKER BENJAMIN[9] (Charlotte[8], Wm.[7], Jonas[6], Wm.[5] Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born November 1, 1860 at E. Hounsfield, Jefferson Co., New York; the son of John W. and Charlotte (Benjamin) Parker and adopted by his grandfather William Benjamin; died in 1910 and buried in a rural cemetery in Adams, Jefferson Co., New York. He married Lovina Towle, who was born in 1860 and died in 1933 and is buried with her husband.

Children of Fred and Lovina (Towle) Benjamin:

4318. Roy Benjamin b. April 26, 1884; d. August 14, 1963; m. Mabel Fitsgerald; resided in Pulaski, N.Y.
Issue:
1. Clarence Benjamin; m. Matha Ward of Pulaski

and had 3 children.
2. Carl Benjamin; m. Edith Archibee of Ellis burg, N.Y.
3. Lavinia Benjamin; m. Guy Eldred.
4. Harold Benjamin d. 1960; unm.
5. Richard Benjamin; m. Particia Brown of Belfast, N.Y.

4319. Ray Benjamin b. January 1, 1886; unm.; d. Oct. 1963 at St. Petersburg, Florida.

4320. Minnie Benjamin b. October 29, 1887; d. April. 20, 1962 at St. Petersburg, Fla.; m. Perry Moore of Lorraine, N.Y.; had no children.

4321. Harrison (Harry) Benjamin b. April 21, 1889; m. ?; Issue:
1. Robert L. Benjamin; m. Adella Werskwinski.
2. Frank R. Benjamin; m/1 Hilda Ketcham; m/2 Jeanne Farrell at Mexico, N.Y.
3. Mary Benjamin; m. Winifred Towsley of Adams.
4. Nellie M. Benjamin; m. Milton R. Borets of Lorraine,N.Y.
5. Charles A. Benjamin; m. Joyce Cooley; d. July1964 in auto accident.

4322. Carl Benjamin b. January 16, 1891; d. October 1, 1964; m. Olive Berry of Adams, N.Y.; had 9 children, 5 of their 6 sons were in service at the same time in W.W. II. Issue:
1. Harry Benjamin; in Coast Guard for 20 years.
2. Ross Benjamin; unm.
3. Elwyn Benjamin; unm.
4. Fern Benjamin; m. H. Vanepps.
5. Gordon Benjamin.
6. Bernice Benjamin; m. Larry Willis.
7. Earl Benjamin.
8. Howard Benjamin.
9. Audrey Benjamin; m. Garry Morrow and resided at Port Chester, Ohio.

4323. Lynn Benjamin b. June 23, 1892; d. January 7, 1911; unm.

4324. Florence Benjamin b. October 16, 1894; m. Fred Chauncey, who d. April 23, 1923; m/2 Wesley F. Chauncey. Issue:
1. Martin E. Chauncey b. May 1919; m. Sarah Lejeune.
2. Jane E. Chauncey b. Dec. 1920; m. 1945 John Vollersten.
3. Nelina Chauncey b. March 1924; m. Richard Nevneau of Fredonia, N.Y.

4325. Gladys Benjamin b. April 2, 1899; m. Harold Remming ton of Lorraine, N.Y. Issue:
1. Donald Remmington; m. Jean Harrington.
2. Ruth Remmington; m. William Holden.
3. Florence Remmington; m. and had 4 boys.
4. Helen Remmington; m. Lloyd Weaver.

5. Lawrence Remmington; unm.

Resources: Records of F. L. Chauncey of Rochester, N.Y.; Records of Mrs. Harry Benjamin of Pulaski, N.Y.; Research of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of N. Carver, Mass. (Note: Fred shared in his grandfather's estate as a child, not as a grandchild!)

2343. WILLIAM OLIVER BENJAMIN[8] (William[7-6-5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born April 7, 1821 at Lincoln, Mass.; the son of William and Hannah (Estabrook) Benjamin; died April 19, 1899 at Lincoln, and is buried in the Lexington Street Cemetery at Lincoln, Mass. He married Susan Caroline Watts of Malden, Mass. on June 14, 1846 at Lincoln, Mass. (vr). She was the dau. of William and Susan (---) Watts and was born in 1827 and died in 1909 and is buried with her husband.

He was a farmer and she a seamstress at the time of their marriage, but at the time of the birth of his first child, he was a miller.

Children of William and Susan (Watts) Benjamin:

4326. Charles William Benjamin b. September 3/5, 1848 at Malden, Mass.; d. 1850 at Lincoln, Mass. and is buried with his parents.

4327. William Wallace Benjamin b. January 4, 1851 at Lincoln, Mass.;d. June 1917 at Lincoln; m. November 10, 1875 Sarah Russell Wells of Arlington, Mass. He is buried in the Medford St. Cemetery at Arlington, Mass. Issue:

1. May Caroline Benjamin b. Sept. 8, 1876; d. Dec. 4, 1883.
2. Wallace Lincoln Benjamin b. April 13, 1878; d. Jan. 31, 1962 at Middleboro, Mass.; m. Jul 14, 1898 Lillian E. Berton, dau. of Wm. Henry and Clara (Fullerton) Berton b. Apr. 25, 1877 at Germantown Lake, New Brunswick, Canada, d. July 5, 1859 at Middleboro, Mass. Both are buried at Arlington Mt. Pleasant Cem. He was a commission merchant of wholesale fruit and produce and established the firm of W. W. Ben jamin, Inc. of Boston and owned large cranberry bogs at S. Carver, Mass. They had:
   a. William Wallace Benjamin b. Oct. 16, 1899 m. 1924 Murial F. Ward.
   b. Berton Benjamin b. Feb. 6, 1902; m. 1929 Jane Frances Drinkwater.
   c. Lilian Claribel Benjamin b. Sept. 1, 1905 m. 1941 Roger A. Chauvin of New Bedford, Mass. and had no children. She is the one that has done much Benjamin family research and collected many records.
   d. Edith Grace Benjamin b. Jan. 23, 1917; m. 1937 Clarence L. Norton.

e. Robert Esterbrook Benjamin b. May 27, 1922; d. unm. in W.W. II.

3. William Wells Benjamin b. November 8, 1880; d. December 12, 1887.
4. Edith Grace Benjamin b. Jan. 15, 1885; d. Apr 29, 1901.
5. Percy Howard Benjamin b. Feb. 4, 1888; m. Nov 22, 1911 Florence Chesborough b. Dec. 7, 1889 dau. of Frederick D. and Fanny Ella (Manchester) Chesborough from Conn. Issue:
   a. Virginia Benjamin d. in infancy.
   b. Russell Howard Benjamin b. June 28, 1916; m. Dorothy Milton.
   c. Frederick Delmont Benjamin b. Aug. 18, 1917; unm.
   d. Ruth Mildred Benjamin b. Dec. 15, 1922; m. Ernest A. Corbett.
6. Chester Wells Benjamin m/2 Oct. 15, 1922 Irene Cosgrove.

4328. George Oliver Benjamin b. January 9, 1852; d. July 30, 1871, age 19-1-0; buried at Arbor Vitae Cemetery at Lincoln, Mass.

4329. Hannah Amiosta Benjamin b. November 7, 1856; d. May 22, 1952, age 95-6-15; buried with parents; unm.

4330. Quincy Watts Benjamin b. July 14, 1858 at Lincoln, Mass.; d. August 6, 1935 at Arlington, Mass.; m. April 7, 1880 Lucy Sherman, dau.of Albert A. and Sarah D. (Spaulding) Sherman b. June 6, 1859, d. June 6, 1900; both buried at Monroe Cemetery at Arllington, Mass. Issue:
   1. Effie Benjamin b. April 1800; m. 1900 Clifton Stearns; she d. 1968 at Newton, Mass.
   2. Maude Benjamin b. Dec. 18, 1881; d. 1959 at E. Hartford, Conn.; m. Clarence Eugene Foss.

Resources: Hist. of Lincoln, Mass.; p. 563 William Ward Gen. 1638-1925, Martyn; Lexinton, Mass. Vital Records to 1898; Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass. Family Group Sheet from the Library of the Latter Day Saints in Salt Lake City, Utah.

2344. DANIEL STONE BENJAMIN[8] (William[7-6-5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born March 30, 1823 at Lincoln, Mass.; (vr); the son of William and Hannah (Estabrook) Benjamin; died January 5, 1895 at Lexington, Mass. He married Frances C. Ingall on January 20, 1847 at Cambridge, Mass. (vr). She was the dau. of John R. Ingall and was born in 1830 at Charlestown, Mass. and died May 23, 1886 at Lexington, Mass. They are both buried in lot #341 of the Munroe St. Cemetery at Lexington.

Children of Daniel and Frances (Ingall) Benjamin:

4331. Daniel Frances Benjamin b. January 5, 1849 at Lexinton, Mass; d. Dec. 8, 1865 at Somerville, Mass.

4332. Edward Stone Benjamin b. August 7, 1850; d. Sept. 6, 1852 at Lexington, Mass.

4333. Ann Eliza Benjamin b. October 14, 1851; d. March 6, 1904; m. Leman J. Kimball of Malden, Mass. b. 1851, d. Jan. 3, 1929, age 78. They had a son: Fred L. Kimball, who d. Oct. 8, 1889 and dau. Lillian Kimball and one other dau.

4334. Mary Etta (Elizabeth) Benjamin b. June 28, 1853; d. October 4, 1854 at Lexington, Mass.

4335. Louise M. Benjamin b. April 1859; d. Dec. 24, 1861.

4336. Francis L. (Frank) Benjamin b. 1864; d. Jan. 1, 1902 at Malden, Mass.; m. Dec. 31, 1892 Mamie Spencer of Bangor, Maine. He operated a milk business with his father in Malden, Mass.

4337. Lillian Benjamin; m. Roland Swan (?Stone) at Malden Mass. (This MAY have been the dau. of Ann Eliza Benjamin.)

Resources: Hist. of Lexington, Mass. Vol. 7 p. 373; p. 410 Lexington, Mass. Vital Records to 1898; Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.

2347. ANN MARIA BENJAMIN[8] (Thom[7], Wm.[6-5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born September 14/21, 1819 at Lincoln, Mass.; (Concord, Mass. vr); the dau. of Thomas E. and Anna (Hunt) Benjamin; bapt. November 21, 1819 at Lincoln; died July 6, 1850 at the age of 30 at Wolburn, Mass. She married William F. Briggs of Wolburn on January 1, 1839 at Concord, Mass. He m/2 Elizabeth ---.

Children of William and Ann (Benjamin) Briggs:

4338. William P. Briggs b. August 20, 1840; d. October 15 1965; unm.

4339. Rosanna M. Briggs b. Jan. 31, 1843; m. Mr. Coolidge

4340. George Francis Briggs b. February 28, 1845.

4341. Ann Catherine Briggs b. November 21, 1848.

Children of William and Elizabeth (---) Briggs:
twins b. July 15, 1858; d. in infancy.

Resources: Records of Mrs. R.A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass

2351. THOMAS EVERETT BENJAMIN[8] (Thom.[7], Wm.[6-5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John 2-1) born in 1827 at Wolburn, Mass.; the son of Thomas E. and Catherine (Hunt) Benjamin. He married Amelia Hills Ball of Alstead, New Hampshire on February 4, 1852 at Wolburn, Mass. (vr). She was the dau. of Samuel Alonzo and Amelia (Lawrence) Ball and was born July 20, 1831 at Alstead, N.H. and died January 30, 1890 and is buried in the Alstead, N.H. Cemetery. She m/2, her cousin, Alonzo H. Hills on April 2, 1863 at Alstead, N.H.

In 1855 Thomas was in Minnesota "looking for work as a mechanic and a place that would be healthy", from a letter he wrote his wife, who with 2 sons, was living with her

parents in Alstead, N.H. The family story has it that she was left a widow, when the older son was about age 9 (1861 She had children with her second husband.

Children of Thomas and Amelia (Ball) Benjamin:

4342. George Wright Benjamin b. November 12, 1852 at Wolburn, Mass.; d. 1915 at Peacham, Vermont; m. Oct. 15, 1878 Ida J. Colstone of Lebanon, N.H., dau. of Edward and Lucy (Kilburn) Colstone of Stratford, Vt. Issue: Ethel C. Benjamin b. April 12, 1881 and Edna Benjamin b. July 26, 1883. George was a tinsmith and traveled over northern Vermont and N.H. and sometimes south. His home was in Hartford, Vt., but upon the death of his wife,he removed to Peachem, Vt., where Ethel lived with her second husband, Daniel Farrell.

4343. Frank Everett Benjamin b. February 5, 1855 at Alstead, N.H.; d. November 7, 1929 at Manchester, N.H., age 75, buried in Alstead. He graduated from Phillips Academy in Exeter, N.H. and taught in New Hampshire. In 1883 he taught at the high school in Warwick, R.I.

Resources: Desc.of John Ball of Watertown, Mass., Warren; Wolburn, Mass. Vital Records 1640-1873, Johnson, 1890; Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.

2354. WILLIAM HENRY BENJAMIN[8] (Cyrus[7], Wm.[6-5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born August 19, 1841 at Concord, Mass.; the son of Cyrus and Emeline (Heywood) Benjamin; died October 28, 1923 at Concord and buried in the Sleepy Hollow Cemetery, in his father's plot. He married Jennie Victoria Masters (?Meisters) of Nov Scotia, Canada on April 28, 1861 at Concord, Mass. She was born in 1837 and died in 1920 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He saw service in the Civil War.

Children of William and Jennie (Masters) Benjamin:

4344. Charles W. Benjamin b. January 20, 1865; m. 1889 Gertrude Chemary at Watertown, Mass. Had son Harold Benjamin b. at Watertown.

4345. Fred A. Benjamin b. 1867; d. 1938; m. Lulu Hathaway at Los Angles, Calif.; had no issue.

4346. Edith Maude Benjamin b. December 16, 1869; m. William F. Bigelow b. 1866, d. 1924. They had son W. Edward Bigelow b. 1898, d. 1914 (gs).

4347. George William Benjamin b. August 22, 1872; d. June 30, 1944; m. Edna Peters at Melrose, Wisconsin. They had 2 daus. and son Clarence Benjamin.

4348. Cyrus H. Benjamin b. February 19, 1874; d. 1932; buried in Sleepy Hollow Cemetery.

4349. Clara Belle Benjamin b. October 6, 1876; d. April 10, 1960; m. George Pearsons b. 1877, d. 1931.

4350. Bertha E. Benjamin b. March 28, 1878; m. 1899 Wil-

liam A. Howard. They had 2 sons and 2 daus.

4351. William Henry Benjamin Jr. b. September 18, 1882; d. November 26, 1949; m. March 7, 1911 Bertha Prescott of Westford. She was b. March 7, 1880, d. Apr. 5, 1967. They had a son Walter Prescott Benjamin b. April 9, 1912; m. 1942 Dorothy Weeden

Resources: Records of Walter P. Benjamin of Lunenburg, MA; Research of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, MA.

2386. CHAUNCEY EDWARD BENJAMIN[8] (Josiah[7-6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born February 1, 1829 at Berlin, Vermont (vr); the son of Josiah and Rebecca (Emerson) Benjamin; died April 15, 1892 at Malden, Mass. He married Lucy J. Stanwood of Bostnn, Mass. on January 22, 1856 at Malden, Mass. She was born February 20, 1835 and died May 2, 1912.

Children of Chauncey and Lucy (Stanwood) Benjamin:

4352. Caroline Stanwood (Carrie) Benjamin b. January 22, 1857; d. August 15, 1876; unm. (?d. 1896).

4353. Georgianna Benjamin b. February 12, 1858; d. December 20, 1943, a teacher at Malden, Mass.; unm.

4354. Philip Chauncey Benjamin b. December 9, 1875 at Berlin, Vt.; d. June 22, 1922; m. October 18, 1905 Mary Ida Hodge of Upper Alton, b. Oct. 10, 1882, d. Oct. 19, 1905. Issue:

1. Philip Stanwood Benjamin b. June 10, 1908 at Malden, Mass.; m. June 8, 1935 Helen Mather of Melrose b. Apr. 23, 1908.
2. Allen Hodge Benjamin b. July 4, 1909; m. Feb. 18, 1938 Alice Martyn of Beverly, Mass. b. Aug. 27, 1911.

Resources: Records of Miss Georgianna Benjamin(above) and Alfred Benjamin of Montplier, Vt.; Wilson Papers.

2387. LUCY ANN BENJAMIN[8] (Josiah[7-6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born April 2, 1831 at Berlin, Vermont (vr); the dau of Josiah and Rebecca (Emerson) Benjamin; died September 10, 1890. She married Edmund Andrews of Malden, Mass. on September 14, 1852. He was the son of Asa and Margaret (Strong) Andres and was born June 17, 1823 and died September 10, 1890.

He was a Deacon in the Baptist Church in Berlin, Vermont and was one of the organizers of that church.

Children of Edmund and Lucy (Benjamin) Andrews:

4355. Irving Andrews b. Dec. 17, 1853 at Malden, Mass.; d. April 4, 1855.

4356. William Andrews b. July 12, 1855 at Malden; d. July 13, 1855.

4357. Herbert Judson Andrews b. May 28, 1860; m. July 23, 1882 Susan Perry of Gaysville, Vt.

4358. Grace Lillian Andrews b. June 28, 1864; d. Feb. 8,

1960; m. April 9, 1887 Charles Turner Crandall; resided in Philadelphia, Penn.

4359. Freda Belle Andrews b. June 28, 1868; m. October 26 1894 James Madden; residedin New Jersey.

4360. Frank F. Andres b. September 19, 1872; d. Nov. 10, 1911; m. 1895 Mary Hutchinson of Malden, Mass.

4361. Benjamin Carrol or Carrol Benjamin Andrews b. Oct. 7, 1878; m/1 1904 Grace Dolan, who d. May 18, 1910; m/2 Oct. 17, 1918 Gertrude Massuyer; resided in Philadelphia, Penn.

Resources: Records of Georgianna Benjamin of Malden, Mass. and Alfred Benjamin of Montpelier, Vt.

2388. JOHN EMERSON BENJAMIN[8] (Josiah[7-6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born July 19, 1833 at Berlin, Vermont (vr); the son of Josiah and Rebecca (Emerson) Benjamin; died October 2, 1904, age 71-2-13, at Berlin, Washington Co., Vermont (vr) and is buried in the Berlin Four Corners Cemetery. He married Sarah F. Perrin of Barre, Vt. on November/December 5/8, 1857 at Berlin, Vt. (vr), the dau. of William and Ann N. (Kinney) Perrin. She was born November 13, 1838 at Plainfield, Vermont and died November 14, 1900.

He was a farmer and was listed as one of the prominent and influential citizens of Berlin, Vt.

Children of John and Sarah (Perrin) Benjamin:

4362. Forest E. Benjamin b. August 11, 1861 at Berlin, Vt (vr); m. October 21, 1891 Mabel Knapp of Malden, Mass., b. Jan.10, 1867 at Chelsea, Mass. They had no issue.

4363. Myrtle Sarah Benjamin b. December 10, 1866 at Berlin, Vt.; d. 1930 in California; m. Frank E. Burns.

Resources: Vol. 1 p. 588-9 Vermont, published by Lewis Pub. Co.; p. 86 Vermont Marriage Records; Records of Alfred Benjamin of Montpelier, Vt.

2389. CHARLES KENDALL BENJAMIN[8] (Josiah[7-6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born November 20, 1836 at Berlin, Vermont; the son of Josiah and Rebecca (Emerson) Benjamin; died January 10, 1892, age 54-1-20 (gs) at Barre, Vermont (vr). of pneumonia. He married Emmaline S. Goodhue of March 19, 1861 at Berlin, Vermont. (vr). She was born May 19, 1840 at Berlin and died January 4, 1896.

He was an oil dealer. His cousin, Charles H. Benjamin m. Eveline Goodhue, perhaps a sister?

Children of Charles and Emmaline (Goodhue) Benjamin:

4364. Emma J. Benjamin b. June 29, 1866 at Barre, Vt. (vr); d. Sept. 26,1911, age 45-3-0 at Berlin, Vt.; unm.

Resources: Records of Alfred Benjamin of Montpelier, Vt.; p. 88 Vermont Marriage Rec.

2390. PHILENA R. BENJAMIN[8] (Josiah[7-6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born July 18, 1839 at Berlin, Vermont; (vr); the dau. of Josiah and Rebecca (Emerson) Benjamin; died November 30, 1919. She married Eleazer (Eleser) H. House on December 20, 1859 at Berlin, Vt. (vr). He was born January 16, 1833 at Williamstown, Mass. and died May 31, 1911.

Children of Eleazer and Philena (Benjamin) House:

4365. Washington Irving House b. January 28, 1861; d. February 29, 1864.

4366. Eber Benjamin House b. June 30, 1866; m. April 22, 1891 Emma Winslow at Halifax, Vermont. Issue: Gertrude May Houseb. May 1, 1895, m. John Frank Benjamin and had 4 children; Phillip Eleazer House b. 1898; Mildred House b. 1892; m. Brooks O'Neil and had 2 children.

4367. Addie House b. July 30, 1868; d. Feb. 26, 1891; m. George H. Selma of Berlin, Vt.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Records of Alfred Benjamin of Monpelier, Vt.

2392. WEBSTER/SAMUEL WEBSTER BENJAMIN[8] (Josiah[7-6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan John[2-1]) born May 1, 1842 at Berlin, Vermont (vr); the son of Josiah and Rebecca (Emerson) Benjamin; died May 29, 1918 at Berlin, Vermont. He is buried in the New Cemetery at Berlin. He married Edna L. Downing of Barre on March 2, 1865 at Barre, Vermont (vr). She was the dau. of Friend N. and Phiolomia (Payne) Downing and was born Nov./ Oct. 2, 1845 at Washington, Vermont and died December 28, 1927 at Berlin, Vermont.

He enlisted in the Civil War on August 25, 1862 and was wounded in the Battle of Gettysburgh July 3, 1863. He lived in Berlin on his father's farm and his dau. Alice continued to live there until it was sold in 1904.

Children of Samul W. and Edna (Downing) Benjamin:

4368. Edna P. Benjamin b. May 1, 1871 at Berlint, Vt. (vr d. July 9, 1874 and buried with her parents.

4369. Alice Eva Benjamin b. June 15, 1883 at Berlin, Vt. (vr); m. Sept. 9, 1905 at Montpelier, Vt. (vr) to Karl Eugene Keith b. March 22, 1882, d. August 18 1960; resided at Montpelier, Vt.

Resources: Records of Alfred Benjamin of Montpelier, Vt.; research of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.

2393. IRA ARTHUR BENJAMIN[8] (Josiah[7-6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born January 26, 1845 at Berlin, Vermont (vr); the son of Josiah and Rebecca (Emerson) Benjamin; died February 2,

1923 at Berlin, Vermont (vr) and buried in the Four Corners Cemetery at Berlin. He married Emma (Emily) F. Dodge of Grover, Vermont on September 22, 1867 at Berlin, Vermont (vr), the dau. of Nathaniel B. and Elizabeth E. (Smith) Dodge. She was born September 30, 1847 at Barre, Vermont and died November 14, 1922 at Berlin, and is buried with her husband.

Children of Ira and Emma (Dodge) Benjamin:

4370. Milo (Mylo) Brown Benjamin b. December 10, 1870 at Berlin, Vt. (vr); d. July 12, 1874 at Berlin.

4371. Myron Josiah Benjamin, a twin, b. December 10, 1870 at Berlin, Vt. (vr); d. January 31, 1922 at Malden, Mass.; m. Syrenia Maude Huntington at Malden She was b. Oct. 14, 1876 at Malden and was a professional elocutionist. He was in the cigar business. They had no children.

4372. Charles Wilbur Benjamin b. July 27, 1874 at Berlin, Vt.; d. November 29, 1917 at Montpelier, Vt.; m. Charlotte Shipman at Montpelier, Vt. She b. Nov. 25, 1880 at Montpelier and d. Oct. 24, 1911.

4373. Clifton (Clinton) Emerson Benjamin b. March 2, 1880 at Berlin, Vt.; d. March 9, 1947; m. January 25, 1911 Alberta Perkins b. April 16, 1880 at Berlin, Vt., d. August 15, 1930 at Montpelier, Vt., the dau. of Hara and Mary (Reed) Perkins. Issue:

1. Eleanor Josephine Benjamin b. Nov. 26, 1911 at Berlin, Vt.; m. Dec. 1941 Glen Franklin Larson b. Sept. 4, 1908, d. Dec. 22, 1960 at Fort Dodge, Iowa.
2. Ruth Benjamin b. Dec. 31, 1912 at Berlin; d. Jan. 1, 1913.
3. Alfred Charles Benjamin b. July 7, 1916; a librarian at Montpelier, Vt.
4. Roland Myron Benjamin b. April 22, 1919 at Berlin, Vt.; m. Dec. 5, 1940 Arlene J. Parker of Chicago.

Resources: Records of Alfred Benjamin (above) of Montpelier, Vt.; p. 759 Huntington Memoirs, by Fam. Assc., 1915; Gen. of Dodge Fam.of Essex Co., Mass, Dodge, 1898; p. 90 Vermont Marriage Rec.

2407. JAMES G. BENJAMIN[8] (Eliab[7], Levi[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born May 22, 1838 at Allegany Co., New York; the son of Eliab and Maria (Gordon) Benjamin; died in 1917. He m/1 Frances Hammond in 1862 and she died October 12, 1864, in child birth. He m/2 Imogene Kingsbury on December 23, 1868, the dau. of John and Emoline (---) Kingsbury. She was born in 1848 and died in 1918.

He was located in the 1870 census at Rushford, Allegany Co., New York, with his mother living with him at that time.

Children of James and Frances (Hammond) Benjamin:
4374. William F. Benjamin b. October 7, 1864; d. 1935; m. April 29, 1886 Cora L. Chase b. 1863, d. 1945; they had no children.

Children of James and Imogene (Kingsbury) Benjamin:
4375. John A. Benjamin b. July 4, 1877; d. 1940; m. November 10, 1895 Margaret D. Reese b. Dec. 31, 1877, d. 1967. Their only child was Catherine Benjamin b. 1908, m. Oliver James Williams b. 1812. They lived in the home of John A. Benjamin, and with the death of Mrs. John Benjamin, no Benjamins resided in Rushford. (See # 4400 for Oliver's connection to the Benjamin family.)
4376. George W. Benjamin b. May 4, 1880 at Rushford, N.Y. d. 1923; m. Gertrude Shultz. He was a veternarian and lived in Hamilton, Canada. Had son George L. Benjamin b. 1922 and dau. Agnes Benjamin, m. --- Simonson.
4377. Abram P. Benjamin; d. 1917; m. August 18, 1907 Marie Lewis. She remarried.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Guy Norris of Rushford, N.Y.

2411. FRANCIS A. BENJAMIN[8] (Alnion[7], Levi[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born in 1837/8 at Rushford, Allegany Co., New York; the son of Alnion and Eliza Ann (McCall) Benjamin; died May 2, 1907 at Rushford, New York. He was killed by a train. He married first an unknown woman, who died a few months after the birth of their first child. He m/2 Mary Poor of Illinois, who died in 1868.

He resided for a time in Erie Co., New York, but returned to Rushford. He was a Civil War veteran.

Children ofFrancis and first wife:
4378. daughter, who died in infancy.

Children of Francis and Mary (Poor) Benjamin:
4379. Frederick Frank Benjamin; married and lived in Derby; d. May 2, 1907; was killed by the train with his father.
4380. Alnion (Almon) Benjamin; resided in North Dayton, N.Y.; had one dau.
4381. Roy Benjamin; resided in Waukesha, Wisconsin.
4382. Francis Benjamin.
4383. Earl Benjamin.
?4384. Sophia Benjamin.
?4385. Mary Benjamin.
?4386. Chloe Benjamin.

Resources: Recourds of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, MA

2412. SOPHIA BENJAMIN[8] (Alnion[7], Levi[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born in 1839/40 at Rushford, Allegany Co., New York; the

dau. of Alnion and Eliza Ann (McCall) Benjamin. She married Ansel Miner Taylor on October 1, 1861 at Rushford, N. York.

Children of Ansel and Sophia (Benjamin) Taylor:

4387. Frank Lyman Taylor; m/1 1892 Florence Doty of Olean N.Y. She d. in 1900. He m/2 1901 Alice V. Smith of Geneva, N.Y. Issue: Helen M. Taylor b. March 1894 and Miner McCall Taylor b. February 1896.

Resources: Research of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, MA

2415. ROMAINE W. BENJAMIN[8] (Chas.[7], Levi[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John 2-1) born August 20, 1840 at Rushford, Allegany Co., New York; the son of Charles and Huldah (Lamberson) Benjamin; died September 20, 1918 at Rushford, New York. He married Ellen Williams of Freedom, N.Y. in 1863. She was the dau. of William E. Williams and was born March 7, 1844 and died November 9, 1910 at Rushford. Her father was born in Wales.

Romaine was educated at the Rushford Acadamy and taught school 1860-1874. He enlisted in 1861 in Co. I 27th N.Y. Volunteers and was in the Battle of Bull Run. He was discharged Aug. 1861 due to a rupture. He was Justice of the Peace from 1866-1894 and special agent for the SPCEA. He left the farm of 136 acres and settled in Rushford in 1892 He was "Marshall" for parades and a picture of him on a horse leading a parade was in the Rushford Centenial Book.

Children of Raomaine and Ellen (Williams) Benjamin:

4388. Charles E. Benjamin b. August 16, 1866 at Rushford, N.Y.; m. Ella Michael (Mitchell) of Hamburgh. Issue:
1. Howard Benjamin; a W. W. I veteran.
2. Charlotte Benjamin; m. --- Season and resided in Covina, Calif.
3. Marie Benjamin; m. --- Patterson and resided in Warren, Penn.
4. Phillip Benjamin; resided in Meadville, Penn.
5. Lois Benjamin; m. --- Knapp and resided in Gibbon, Nebraska.

4389. Lucien Benjamin b. July 18, 1868 at Rushford, N.Y.; unm.; famed as a church singer.

Resources: p. 68 Allegany Co. Hist.; p. 804 Allegany Co. and It's People 1795-1895; Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass.

2416. ARCELIA ABIGAIL BENJAMIN[8] (Chas.[7], Levi[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born in 1842 at Rushford, Allegany Co., New York; the dau. of Charles E. and Huldah (Lamberson) Benjamin; died in 1910. She married George Hall, who was born in 1842 and died in 1911.

Children of George and Acelia (Benjamin) Hall:

4390. Ralph Sherman Hall b. July 4, 1865; d. 1955; m. Georgiana Thomas of Farmersville, where they resided, on the Hall farm at Hardscrabble. She was born in 1868 and died 1964. Issue: Harvey George Hall, m. 1883 Bessie Bond of Libertyville, Ill.; Agnes May Hall b. 1900, m. 1919 Guy C. Norris; Frances Hall b. 1911, m. Ralph Schrader b. 1910.

4391. Fred Hall b. 1867; d. 1956 in Calif.; m/1 Bessie Hubbard who d. 1908; m/2 Laura Miller. Issue: Bessie Hall, m. --- Hubbard; Laura Hall m. --- Miller.

4392. Carleton G. Hall b. 1869; d. 1886; a teacher; unm.

4393. Lena Mae Hall b. 1874; d. 1894; unm.

4394. Charles B. Hall b. 1871; d. 1948; m. Jennie Barras. Issue: Harold Hall b. 1899, m/1 Bernice Kellogg in 1923, m/2 1945 Violet Brown; Donald Hall b. 1902, m. Doris Cunningham; George Hall b. 1907, m. Effie Greer.

4395. Grover Budd Hall b. 1877; d. 1958 at Kalamazoo, Mich.; m. Jennie Hartley b. 1875, d. 1942. Issue Grover Budd Hiram Hall b. 1900, m. Mary Farmer b. 1903; Leland Hall b. 1902, m. Ethel Leslie; Marguerite Hall, unm.; Maxine Hall b. 1909, m. Kenneth Fletcher.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Guy Norris of Rushford, N.Y.

2418. SYLVIA ELMYRA BENJAMIN[8] (Oliver[7], Asa[6], Wm.[5], Jno.[4], Dan.[3], John[2-1]) born October 5, 1834 at Rushford, Allegany Co., New York; the dau. of Oliver Davis and Lucia (Woods) Benjamin; died September 8, 1915. She married Thomas P. Williams, born in 1836 and died in 1925.

Oliver Davis inherited Asa Benjamin's homestead and farm. The original home is used for the hired man's home, as Oliver built himself a larger home near the original one. Sylvia inherited it from her father and she left it to her son Daniel H. Williams. Thomas Williams used to go to Coudersport after coal. The plank road thru Olean was dry and he used to stop at Cuba Lake to watch the hose and cutter races. (from his Diary).

Children of Thomas and Sylvia (Benjamin) Williams:

4396. Adelbert D. Williams b. 1863; d. 1865.

4397. Benjamin B. Williams b. December 25, 1869; d. 1953; m. Jennie Williams b. 1863, d. 1934 and had issue Williard; Walter; Clark P., Gerald; Lloyd, and Cleo Williams.

4398. Adda Williams b. August 20, 1873; m. --- Morris.

4399. Harriet Williams b. July 18, 1873; m. --- White.

4400. Daniel Hayes Williams b. May 14, 1877; d. 1959; m. Eleanor May James b. 1883, dau. of E. T. James. Issue: Gertrude Williams b. 1900; Bertha William;

Oliver James Williams b. June 30, 1912, m. Cather ine Benjamin, dau. of John Benjamin and a desc. of Levi Benjamin (see #4375); Arthur Williams and Eleanor Williams.

4401. Bertha Williams b. February 14, 1875.

Resources: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, MA.

2441. STEPHEN P. BENJAMIN[8] (Isaac[7], Abiezer[6], Joshua[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born November 23,1820 at Moscow, Maine; the son of Isaac and Rachel (Annis) Benjamin; death date unknown; married July 15, 1853 at Fon du Lac, Wisconsin (vr 1-230) to Mary Ann Taylor of Springvale, Wisconsin. She was born in 1834/5 in England.

Stephen was alive in 1876 in Melrose, Minnesota, where he witnessed the wedding of their dau., Emma.

On Feb. 25, 1860, for $3.25, Stephen bought a cemetery lot in Wasioja, Minn. and years later his brother, Sylvest er was buried there. There is a stone telling of Sylvester's birth and death and a marker labeled "Father" but no other markers.

Stephen was listed in the 1860 census of Mankato, Blue Earth Co., Minn. and in the 1875 census of Getty, Stearns Co., Minn.

Children of Stephen and Mary (Taylor) Benjamin:

4402. Albert E. Benjamin b. 1854 in Wisconsin.

4403. Emma Benjamin b. 1856 in Minnesota; m. August 20, 1876 to Francis Moore at Melrose, Minn.

4404. Charles Benjamin b. 1859 in Minn.

4405. Itta M. Benjamin b. 1863 in Minn.

4406. Robert Francis (Frank) Benjamin b. June 1866/7 in Minn.; m. May 29, 1892 Addie Mabel Doty at Melrose, Minn. Issue:

1. Ruth Benjamin; m. 1918 Frederick Winsor.
2. Alfred Benjamin b. 1897; d. 1912.
3. Ralph Raymond Benjamin b. 1899.
4. Helen Evangeline Benjamin b. July 16, 1901 at Stearns Co., Minn.

4407. Minnie Rachel Benjamin b. June 3, 1871 at Melrose.

4408. Stephen Alphonso Benjamin b. October 1, 1874 at Getty Twp., Stearns Co., Minn.; d. Dec. 9, 1942 at Cass Lake, Minn.; m/1 Feb. 20, 1902 Lulu Winsor at Melrose, Minn. She was b. 1886 at White Rock, Minn. He m/2 March 9, 1930 Ada May Kind at Cass Lake, Minn., b. 1887 in Iowa. Issue:

1. Violet May Benjamin b. Nov. 16, 1903.
2. William Stephen Benjamin b. 1906, d. 1908.
3. George Stillman b. 1814 at Abercrombie, N.D.
4. Frederick William Benjamin b. 1917 at Muscatine, Iowa.
5. Stephen Stillman Benjamin b. June 4, 1933 at Pike Bay, Minn.

4409. Stillman A. Benjamin, a twin, b. October 1, 1874 at Getty, Minn.

Resources: Research of Helen (Benjamin) Brown of Oak Park, Ill.

2442. CALVIN SELDEN BENJAMIN[8] (Isaac[7], Abiezer[6], Joshua[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born June 4, 1822 at Moscow, Maine; the son of Isaac and Rachel (Annis) Benjamin; died March 24, 1910 at the age of 89 at North Anson, Maine. He married Tryphena Gamage of Embden, Maine on September 16, 1851 at Embden. She was the dau. of Stephen and Lydia (---) Gamage and was born in 1827 and died June 18, 1881, age 54 years. He m/2 on July 22, 1883 at Embden Mrs. John (Amy McKay) Carl. She was born in 1842 and died September 14, 1906.

He was known as Selden in North Anson, where he lived from 1861 on. He lived next to his cousin William, on the road going past Sunset Cemetery. He was named for Squire Calvin Selden of Norridgewock, who gave his namesake a heifer when he was married. He was a farmer and spent 40 winters in the woods lumbering. About 1895/6 he lost a hand while logging.

Children of Calvin Selden and Tryphena (Gamage) Benjamin:

4410. Waitfield Scott Benjamin b. 1852; d. April 28, 1853

4411. Eugene Willard Benjamin b. 1854; d. in Caracas, Venzuela; m. Essie Freeman in Caracas. When he was a youngman he went to South America and there changed his name from Benjamin to Maynard, married under that name, and had a son Charles Maynard, who was born in 1890 and died in New York City.

4412. George Meford Benjamin b. 1856; d. December 13, 1864, age 8-8-26.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Homer (Helen Benjamin) Brown of Oak Park, Illinois.

2444. ANNE S. BENJAMIN[8] (Isaac[7], Abiezer[6], Joshua[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born January 7, 1826 at Moscow, Maine; the dau. of Isaac and Rachel (Annis) Benjamin; married January 3, 1850 at Moscow, Maine to Webster G. Andrews. He was the son of Luke and Hannah (Gamage) Andrews and was born 1825 at Moscow, Maine and died September 15, 1892 at Mt. Tabor Villa, Oregon. He m/2 June 16, 1892 Katie Russell. It was her second marriage, also.

Anne's name is given as Serrena Ann Benjamin on her marriage record. They are listed in the 1880 census at Salina, Ellis Co., Kansas and in the 1860 census at Omro, Winnebago Co., Wisconsin. Webster received pension #SC 345564 for his service in the Civil War. He enlisted March 29, 1864 at Eyota, Minn., was wounded at Spanish

Fort and mustered out Sept. 26, 1865 at St. Paul, Minn. In 1880 he lived in Hays Co., Kansas.

Children of Webster and Anne (Benjamin) Andrews:

4413. Georgianna Webster Andrews b. 1850 in Maine; m. Dec 8, 1868 Thomas McCormick, of Mower Co., Minn.
4414. Alurlda Andrewsb. 1853/4 in Wisconsin.
4415. Emogen Andrews b. 1854/5 in Wis.
4416. Frank Andrews b. 1856/7 in Wis.
4417. Willie Andrews b. 1859 in Wis.
4418. Cora R. Andrews; m. March 9, 1880 James H. Patterson of Mower Co., Minn.
4419. Alice Andrews; m. March 14, 1883 H. C. Waldecker.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Homer (Helen Benjamin) Brown of Oak Park, Illinois; Mar. 15, 1942 Gen. and Hist., pub. in Washington, DC.

2445. SOPHINA TEMPLE (SOPHRONIA) BENJAMIN[8] (Isaac[7], Abiezer[6], Joshua[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born January 22, 1828 at Moscow, Maine; the dau. of Isaac and Rachel (Annis) Benjamin; died February 24, 1908 at Clintonville, Waupaca Co., Wisconsin. She married Ambrose Howe Jr. on July 25, 1857 at Utica, Wisconsin. He was born January 27, 1829 at Chester Warren Co., New York and died April 13, 1893 at Clintonville.

They are listed in the 1860 census of Hortonia, Outagamie Co., Wis. and in the 1870 census at Belle Plaine, Shawano Co., Wis. Ambrose enlisted as a private in Co. D 37th Regt. of Wis. Infantry on March 10, 1864 for three years. He had gray eyes, auburn hair, and a sandy complexion and was 5'11" tall. He was mustered out on April 12, 1864 at Madison, Wis. He received pension #548292 for his service.

Children of Ambrose and Sophina (Benjamin) Howe:

4420. Emmeretta Howe b. May 7, 1859; d. March 14, 1876; m. --- Carpenter.
4421. Clarenetta (Clarietta) Howe b. Feb. 10, 1962 in Waushara Co., Wis.; m. July 1879 Richard Marion Thornton at Marion, Wis.
4422. Nathan Milton Howe b. Sept. 24, 1866 at Belle Plain Wis.; d. October 28, 1955 at Shawano, Wis.; m. Nov. 22, 1892 Elizabeth A. Gould at New London, Wis. She was the dau. of Robert and Jane (Livingston) Gould b. July 26, 1867 at Haley Station, Canada and d. April 12, 1963 at Clintonville, Wis
4423. Lucy Caroline Howe b. December 9, 1981 at Shawano, Wis.; d. Nov. 23, 1949 at Clintonville, Wis.; m. November 25, 1893 at Belle Plaine, Wis. to Henry Charles Lamberton, son of Solomon and Susan (Inquire) Lamberton. He was born Oct. 25, 1826 at Oswago, Penn. and d. March 7, 1906 at Clintonville, Wis. She m/2 July 4, 1908 Peter Johnson

of Bear Creek, Wis. He was b. Nov. 11, 1844 in Denmark and d. Jan. 19, 1919 at Clintonville.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Homer (Helen Benjamin) Brown of Oak Park, Illinois.

2446. CYRUS BENJAMIN[8] (Isaac[7], Abiezer[6], Joshua[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born November 22, 1829 at Moscow, Maine; the son of Isaac and Rachel (Annis) Benjamin; died June 17, 1901 at Racine, Minnesota. He married Harriet Amanda Duntley on July 7, 1857 at Omro, Wisconsin. She was born February 16, 1840 in New York and died May 22, 1917 at Rochester, Minnestoa.

After their marriage they lived at Metomen, Wisconsin. During the Civil War, Cyrus was stationed at Mantorville, Minn. for some time, so Harriet moved to Minn. They traveled from Wis. by covered wagon, and enroute to Matorville their dau. Emma became very ill, so they stayed at Pine Island, Minn. until she recovered. Cyrus enlisted May 30, 1862 at Dakota, Washara Co., Wis. for the duration of the Civil War. He served in Co. G., 30th Wis. Inf. Regt. under Captain A. B. Swain. He was discharged Aug. 5, 1865 with a disability that said he was 3/4 disabled from chronic hepatitis and haemorrhordes fluentis contracted in the line of duty.

Children of Cyrus and Harriet (Duntley) Benjamin:

4424. Sidney Latin Benjamin b. July 15, 1869 at Netomen, Wis. (vr 1-24); d. March 16, 1949 at Spring Valley, Minn.; m. Catherine Julia Ferrie on February 28, 1885 at Pleasant Valley, Minn. She was the dau. of Robert and Mary (---) Ferrie and was born August 3, 1868 and died February 2, 1948. He was one of the first farmers in southern Minn. to own a steam threshing machine. Issue:
   1. Elmer S. Benjamin b. Nov. 10, 1885; d. May 12 1887.
   2. Chesly Cyrus Benjamin d. April 7, 1887, young
   3. Harvey P. Benjamin b. May 29, 1891; d. June 23, 1949 at Toledo, Ohio; m. Mrs. Mildred Aurorick; had no issue.
   4. Mabel Ann Benjamin; died in infancy.
   5. Dewey Latin Benjamin b. Nov. 25, 1898 at Spring Valley, Minn.; m. Nov. 27, 1923 Violet (Brooks) Karrow; had no issue.
   6. Ralph Benjamin b. July 1, 1902; d. unm. June 26, 1932.
   7. Laura Benjamin b. Aug. 12, 1899; m. April 29, 1921 Wilbert McHenry and had dau. Marion Allie b. Nov. 20, 1922 and adopted dau. Audrey Fern b. Nov. 7, 1920.
   8. Milford Latin Benjamin, who changed his name to Milford Franklin b, March 22, 1904.

m. August 10, 1924 Lillian Bertha Papke at Rochester, Minn. They had 1 child: Betty Jane Benjamin b. April 1, 1925.

9. Clarence Amos Benjamin b. May 15, 1912; killed in a motorcycle accident at Farmington, Minn. June 6, 1964; m. July 5, 1934 Mary McAlister. Had 4 children.
10. Sarah Ada Benjamin b. Aug. 11, 1913 at Racine Minn.; d. Jan. 19, 1962 at Rochester, Minn.; m. Nov. 19, 1930 Peter Zierath of Stewartvill Minn. They had 3 daus. and one son.

4425. Emma F. Benjamin b. July 16, 1861 at Fon du Lac, Wis.; d. Sept. 25, 1881 at Fillmore Co., Minn.; unmarried.

4426. Alice V. Benjamin b. August 16, 1869 at Montcaille, Dodge Co., Minn.; d. March 6, 1893, age 23 years 6 mos.; m/1 Jan. 1, 1886 Horace Odell, who d. Apr 22, 1889. She m/2 1890 W. J. Bly. She had son: Loren Odell b. Jan. 8, 1887 at Spring Valley, Min Cyrus and Harriet Benjamin took Loren and raised him, his grandparents.

4427. Aleta V. Benjamin b. October 2, 1872; died in Canada; m/1 Orrin Braley b. in Ohio in 1868 and were later divorced. She m/2 William Benjamin, a cousin, son of Herbert Benjamin. b. 1867/8. Issue

1. Myrtle Braley b. Aug. 1895.
2. Pearl Braley b. Feb. 1897.
3. Cecil Braley b. April 1900.
4. Alton Eugene Braley b. Dec. 1904.
5. Leslie L. Braley b. April 1907; unm.
6. Orden Lyle Benjamin.
7. Elmer Leon Benjamin.
8. Earl Richard Benjamin.

4428. Venice G./L. Benjamin b. November 23, 1877; d. May 29, 1800; buried in Hamilton Cemetery in Racine, Minn.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Homer (Helen Benjamin) Brown of Oak Park, Illinois.

2447. SYLVESTER BENJAMIN[8] (Isaac[7], Abiezer[6], Joshua[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born November 11, 1831 at Moscow, Maine; the son of Isaac and Rachel (Annis) Benjamin; died October 27, 1898 at Wasioja, Minnesota. He married September 9, 1856 Sarah Ann Libby, the dau. of Amos and Martha (Parker) Libby. She was born January 10, 1841 at Avon and died July 1, 1933 in Los Angles, California.

Sylvester served in the Civil War and there is a GAR marker on his grave in Wasioja, Minn. Shortly after they were married, they left for Omro, Wisconsin in 1856. They went to Canada, then down the St. Lawrence River, through the Great Lakes. The Benjamins were loggers on Moosehead Lake, Maine, so they went to the timberlands of Wisconsin.

Sarah Ann lived with her parents in Dwight, Ill. while Sylvester was in the Army. He was stationed at Camp Douglas and while there contracted typhoid fever. The doctors used so much calomel in treating it, that it settled in the bones of the legs, and with his two legs drawn up so that he had to get along with crutches, he was sent home to die. Sarah nursed him back to reasonable health, and he lived until 1898, although he had running sores on one leg as long as he lived. After the war he moved to Grand Meadow, Minn. After 2 years of unbelievable hardship, they moved about 20 miles east, and after some years they moved to Wasioja, Minn. so their children could received an education.

Children of Sylvester and Sarah (Libby) Benjamin:

4429. Flora May Benjamin b. August 14, 1857 at Omro, Wis.; d. May 29, 1858 at Omro.

4430. Amos Libby Benjamin b. August 20, 1859 at Omro, Wis d. 1931 at Bloomington, Ill.; m. Jan. 24, 1885 Ella Downey, who d. June 4, 1959 at Joliet, Ill. They had no children. He was an engineer with the Chicago and Alton Railroad for 49 years. Amos told his niece that his boyhood was so filled with hardship that he never wanted any children. He said that when as a child, no matter what time he awoke, it seemed to him that his mother's spin ning wheel was always going.

4431. Silas Bunker/Bethoven Benjamin b. November 15, 1861 at Dwight, Illinois; d. 1941; m/1 May 18, 1889 at Milwaukee, Wis. (vr 53-381) Olive Dermody b. 1865 at Bloomington, Ill., dau. of David and Elizabeth (McMaster) Dermody.; m/2 Zoie Doan in Chicago, Ill. With his first wife he had a son Roy Benjam in, who lived in 1930 in Bloomington, Ill. He had no children with his second wife.

4432. Melvin Adelbert Benjamin b. May 18, 1865 at Spring Valley, Minn.; d. April 24, 1871 of Spinal Meningitis and buried in Hamilton Cemetery near Racine

4433. Amber May Benjamin b. November 18, 1867 at Spring Valley, Minn.; d. May 24, 1948 at Pasadena, Calif m/1 Charles Riley and lived in Henricks, South Dakota; m/2 Frank Crooks; m/3 T. Jefferson Wilen. She had no children.

4434. Ernest Chesley Benjamin b. June 23, 1870 at Spring Valley, Minn.; d. March 19, 1871 of spinal mening itis; buried in Hamilton Cemetery near Racine.

4435. Elwin Richard Benjamin b. January 8, 1873 at Spring Valley, Minn.; d. April 1959 at Long Beach, Calif m/1 Bertha Russell about 1807 in Wasioja, Minn. He was married 4 times, but left no children. He was an engineer. He and Bertha were divorced about 1916 in Chicago and she d. in N.Y. about 1920.

4436. Martha Libby Benjamin b. June 1, 1875 at Spring Valley, Minn.; d. July28, 1954 at Long Beach, Calif.; m/1 March 27, 1868 John B. Kundson, son of Baltasar Knutsen b. May 17, 1868 and d. Nov. 1957 at Los Angles. Issue:
1. Lucille Knudson b. May 15, 1896 at Wasioja, Minn.
2. Caroll Benjamin Knudson b. Feb. 23, 1903 in Chicago, Ill.

4437. Ernest Eugene Benjamin b. June 16, 1877 at Spring Valley, Minn.; d. July 27, 1935 at Seattle, Washington; m/1 Selma Saunders at Chicago, Ill.; m/2 Patty Seweyn. There were no childrnn of the 2nd marriage. Issue:
1. Arline Benjamin; d. unm.
2. Edward Corwin Benjamin; resided in Huston, Texas.

Resource: Records and research of Mrs. Homer (Helen Benjamin) Brown of Oak Park, Illinois.

2448. ALBERT BENJAMIN[8] (Isaac[7], Abiezer[6], Joshua[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born August 2, 1833 at Moscow, Maine; the son of Isaac and Rachel (Annis) Benjamin; died October 6, 1897 at Spring Valley, Minn. He married first about 1852/3 Marcia H. Savage, the dau. of John and Fanny (Colby) Savage. She was born about September 18, 1831 and died August 22, 1876 at Dedham, Mass. She is buried in the Sunset Cemetery, in the lot of her father, John Gray Savage. Albert m/2 Mary E. Booth on October 17, 1877 at Boston, Mass. She was the dau. of William and Sophia (---) Booth and was born in 1853 in New Hampshire.

Albert came west with his parents, but when the Civil War broke out, in 1860 he took his family back to his wife's parents in North Anson, Maine. In 1870 he had a farm in Dedham, Mass. They lived in Ashby, Mass. for one year and then on to Groveland, Mass. He went to Minn. in 1983 to try and regain his health.

Children of Albert and Marcia (Savage) Benjamin:

4438. Edith M. Benjamin b. 1855/6 in Wisconsin.

4439. Eliza Benjamin b. 1858/9 in Wis.; dc. 1878.

4440. Albert Benjamin Jr. b. September 4, 1860 at N. Anson, Maine; d. October 4, 1907 at Portland, Maine and buried in the Mt. View Cemetery at Claremnnt, N.H.; m/1 c. 1882 Ida F. --- at Claremont, N.H.; m/2 April 29, 1896 at Claremont, N.H. to Etta Melissa Wolcott, dau. of George and Josephine Welch) Wolcott b. Sept. 26, 1863 at Claremont, N.H. and died July 21, 1944 at Claremont. She m/2 Nov. 1, 1910 Hira D.Beckwith b. Sept. 28, 1852 and d. Jan. 13, 1947 at Claremont, N.H. Albert left home at an early age following the

remarriage of his father. He was a salesman for the drug firm of Hans Bros. and White of Portland Maine. There was no issue of the first marriage. Issue:

1. Etta Wolcott Benjamin b. Jan. 23, 1897 at Portland, ME.; d. May 23, 1973 at Claremont, N.H.; m. Oct. 3, 1917 at Claremont George Homer Beard, son of Fredrick G. and Clara (Lord) Beard b. May 12, 1890; d. July 27, 1944 at Elliot, Maine. Issue:
   a. Helen Beard b. Nov. 7, 1918; m. 1941 Robert W. Vincent.
   b. Berenice Beard b. July 5, 1922; m. 1943 Byron Whitefield Candage.
   c. Richard Beard b. July 8, 1924; m. 1950 Joan Lovely.
   d. Frederick Leroy Beard b. July 8, 1924; d. Feb. 1974; m. 1973 Glen Coney; he was an Ephiscopal priest.
2. Helen Benjamin b. Nov. 14, 1898 at Portland; d. Jan. 26, 1972 at Oak Park, Ill.; m. Sept. 1, 1925 at Claremont, N.H. Homer Speer Brown, son of Dr. Curtis H. & Minnie (Speer) Brown b. Dec. 20, 1897 at Iowa City, Iowa. She collected much of the data on her own line and is co-compilier of this genealogy.
   a. Sarah Lee Brown b. Apr. 27, 1928 at Oak Park, Ill.; m. 1950 William H. Robie.
   b. Nancy Wolcott Brown b. May 22, 1932; d. Nov. 4, 1974; unm.
3. Albert Benjamin III b. June 14, 1904 at Dorchester, Mass.; m. May 25, 1929 in Washington, D.C. Alice Moorhead Jackson, dau. of Stephen & Jessie (Moorhead) Jackson. His biography is in the 1976 issue of "Who's Who in Am."
   a. Albert Jackson Benjamin b. Sept. 13, 1934 at Mineola,NY; m. 1961 Claire Pfingsten.

Children of Albert and Mary (Booth) Benjamin:

4441. Mabel Eliza Benjamin b. March 9, 1979 at Medfield, Mass.; d. May 8, 1944 at Groveland, Mass.; unm.

4442. Harry Lester Benjamin b. April 17, 1886 at N. Anson, Maine. Had a dau. Beatrice Benjamin who m. --- Carter and lived in Liconia, N.H.

4443. Susie May Benjamin b. Jan. 9, 1890 at N. Anson; d. Aug. 28, 1958 at Groveland, Mass.; unm.

Resources: Research and records of Mrs. Homer (Helen Benjamin) Brown of Oak Park, Illinois.

2449. HERBERT BENJAMIN[8] (Isaac[7], Abiezer[6], Joshua[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born June 1, 1835 at Moscow, Maine; the son of Isaac and Rachel (Annis) Benjamin; died Feb. 4, 1899 at LaMoure Co., North Dakota. He married Emily A. Carpenter on April 7, 1860 at Outagamie Co., Wisconsin. She was

the dau. of Chauncey and Ann (---) Carpenter and was born in 1844 in Penn.

Herbert migrated West with his parents in 1852/3. He enlisted in the Civil War as a private in the 37th Inf. Regt., Co. D at Dakota, Wisconsin. He was wounded June 18, 1864 in the Battle of Petersburg and was mustered out July 27, 1865. On July 26, 1880 he applied for and received a pension, #406882, while living at Hortonville, Wis. Herbert was dark complexioned, 5'7", with dark hair and eyes. He was a farmer and partly disabled.

Children of Herbert and Emily (Carpenter) Benjamin:

4444. Ella M. Benjamin b. 1861; m. May10, 1882 Elmer E. Bailey, son of Jerome and Catherine (---) Bailey at New London, Wis. He was b. in Neenah, Wis.

4445. Chaunsey Benjamin b. 1863/4.

4446. William S. Benjamin b. 1867/8 in Wisconsin; m/1 Surrena Dandson; m/2 Aleta (Benjamin) Braley, a cousin. (see # 4427). Issue:
1. Orden Lyle Benjamin.
2. Elmer Leon Benjamin.
3. Earl Richard Benjamin.

4447. Marshall B. Benjamin b. 1869/70.

4448. Wesley A. Benjamin b. 1873/4.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Homer (Helen Benjamin) Brown of Oak Park, Ill.

2450. STELLMAN BENJAMIN[8] (Isaac[7], Abiezer[6], Joshua[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born November 26, 1837 at Moscow, Maine; the son of Isaac and Rachel (Annis) Benjamin; died September 19, 1910 at Greenwood, Clark Co., Wisconsin. He married Sarah L. Dunbar on December 12, 1862 at Wautoma, Wisconsin. She was the dau. of Stephen and Elvira (---) Dunbar and was born September 3, 1843 in New York and died August 20, 1927 at Greenwood, Wisconsin.

He migrated West with his parents in 1852/3 and in 1860 was living with his sister Francis Benjamin Lunt in Winnebago Co., Wis. After he married, he lived in Dakota for a short time. He enlisted December 7, 1863 at Oshkosh Wis. for 3 years in Co. G, 32nd Regt. of Wis. Volunteers. He transferred to Co. D 16th Regt. and was mustered out at Louisville, Kentucky on July 12, 1865. He filed for a pension several time and finally received one, #339637 and #711843. On Oct. 17, 1910 Sarah applied for a widow's pension. In 1890 he was living in Hamilton, Fillmore Co., Minn. when he applied for one penison., and was also there for the 1880 census. In 1860 he was located at Algoma, Winnebago Co., Wis.

Children of Stellman and Sarah (Dunbar) Benjamin:

4449. Oren Albert Benjamin b. September 3, 1863 at Omro, Wisconsin; d. April 7, 1944 at Cass Lake, Minn.; m/1 1887 Winnie Glover, who d. July 2, 1888 in

childbirth. He m/2 Oct. 14, 1890 Ida Anna Knoblough at Spring Valley, Minn., the dau. of Herman Knoblough. She was b. Oct. 21, 1874 in Germany and d. Sept. 25, 1943 at Cass Co., Minn. Issue:

1. Myrtle Benjamin b. Dec. 13, 1891; m. Joseph Seeley.
2. Ernest Edmund Benjamin b. March 26, 1894; m. 1932 Margaret Helen Molash.
3. Earl Oren Benjamin b. May 8, 1896; m/1 1919 Mae Wintman; m/2 1936 Natalie Olson.
4. Victor H. Benjamin b. April 18, 1898, d. Jan. 1963; unm.
5. Ralph b. Nov. 23, 1901; m. 1936 Mabel May Molash.
6. Walter L. Benjamin b. Sept. 21, 1905; m. 1945 Helen Eva Hopeland.
7. Violet Benjamin b. April 11, 1910; m. 1930 Lynn Zothman.
8. Harold Lyle Benjamin b. Dec. 13, 1912; m. 1951 Carolyn Marie Drumbetter.
9. Floyd Benjamin b. July 30, 1915 at Cass Lake, Minn.; m/1 1935 Irina Jennie; m/2 1958 Lucy Irene Morris.

4450. William Granton Benjamin b. April 12, 1866 at Omro, Wisconsin; d. June 3, 1946 at Omro; m. October 15 1888 Ida Mae Goodwin at Rochester, Minn. (a cousin) b. Nov. 26, 1870 at Omro and d. April 27, 1940 at Omro. He moved to Spring Valley, Minn. in his youth and lived there until 1893 after he was married, when he moved to Omro, Wis. In 1903 they moved to Greenwood, Minn. and farmed there until 1919, when they moved back to Omro. They brought up a niece, Helen Benjamin, dau. of Stellman Benjamin Jr. Issue:

1. Earl Benjamin b. July 14, 1889 at Rochester, Minn., died young.
2. Vernon Winslow Benjamin b. Sept. 19, 1900 at Rushford, Wis.; d. Mar. 11, 1958 at Oshkosh, Wis.; m/1 1922 Esther Stienert at Zion, Ill.; m/2 1941 Rose Lechner at Omro.

4451. Arvilla Benjamin b. January 20, 1868 at Omro, Wis.; d. April 8, 1936 at Tacoma, Washington; m. October 31, 1887 Oscar Orr at Rochester, Minn., b. May 19, 1867 at Nealsville, Wis.; d. 1940 at Los Angles, Calif. Issue:

1. Omar Leslie Orr b. May 31, 1889 at Liberty, Nebraska; d. Dec. 23, 1955 at Los Angles, Calif.; m/1 Dec. 19, 1914 Ida Marie Johnson; m/2 1919 Esther E. Anderson. No issue.
2. Earl Jay Orr b. Oct. 27, 1893 at Spring Valley, Minn.; d. Oct. 15, 1918 at Rugby, North Dakota; m. July 11, 1916 Nora Ferguson.

4452. Stellman Benjamin Jr. b. 1869/70; d. June 11, 1953

at Port Arthur, Canada and buried in the Riverside Cemetery; m/1 August 13, 1893 Flora McKee at Spring Valley, Minn. She d. 1905 at Napoleon, ND and he m/2 Dec. 14, 1908 Johanna Dinler at Napoleon, N.D. and m/3 Dec. 16, 1925 Amelia Olson b. April 18, 1879 at Hastings, Minn. and d. Nov. 20, 1955 at International Falls and buried in Ontario Canada. Issue:

1. Frank Benjamin, who d. at age 6 yrs.
2. Elsie Benjamin b. April 8, 1899 at Tiaopa, S. D.; m/1 Joseph Grenner who d. 1921 in Winnipeg, Canada; m/2 June 1922 Thomas Pollard b. March 29, 1890 at LeRoy, N.D.; d. June 25, 1957 at Seattle, Wash.
3. Nettie Benjamin d. 1927/8 at Straton, Canada; m. 1918 Joseph Pollard at Stratton.
4. David Benjamin b. Dec. 15, 1900 at Taopi, S.D m. 1926 Matilda Williamson. He d. Sept. 13, 1953.
5. Arvilla Violetta Benjamin b. July 3, 1902 at Taopi. S.D.; m. Jan. 1922 Nicholas Lombardi at Spokan, Washington. He b. April 4, 1901 at St. Paul, Minn., d. June 1962 at Las Vegas
6. Harry Milford Benjamin b. 1909 at Napoleon, N.D.,;m. Nov. 1931 Katie Olida Olson at International Falls, Minn. She b. 1916.

4453. Zina Benjamin b. August 1872 at Summer, Minn.; d. February 12, 1879, age 6 yrs. 6 mos. at Fillimore Co., Minn.

4454. Alfred (Alford) Benjamin b. March 4, 1876; d. 1911 at Napoleon, N.D.; m. Jessie Skyhawk at Stewartsville, Minn. b. Nov. 9, 1881, d. Dec. 7, 1940 at Napoleon. She m/2 Herbert Johnson. Had son Cecil Benjamin b. 1906 at Napoleon, m. April 1931 Daisie Craigh at Napoleon, N.D.

4455. Clara Belle Benjamin b. June 10, 1879 at Hamilton, Minn.; m/1 September 25, 1895 Clement Timothy Conlon at Spring Valley, Minn., b. Nov. 25, 1875. She m/2 Jan. 17, 1940 Clarence Nutting at Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Issue:

1. SadieConlon m/1 Charles Laws; m/2 Sterling Mikeselle.
2. Lola Conlon b. Aug. 13, 1898 at Warren, Minn. m. May 4, 1921 Albin Leonard Christenson b. July 21, 1895, d. Oct. 1960 at Little Falls, Minn.
3. Gladys Opal Conlon b. 1900/1; m. Ludwig Evenson.
4. William Patrick Conlon b. May 14, 1903 at Spring Valley, Minn.; d. Oct. 12, 1950 at Devil's Lake, Minn.; m. Eleanor ---.
5. Harry Milford Conlon bc. 1907 at Rugby, N.D. (called Bud); m. Leonora ---.

4456. Cora Benjamin b. December 12, 1881 at Hamilton, Minn m. July 2, 1901 John Ferrie at Spring Valley, Min He d. Sept. 18, 1964 at Bagley, Minn. They lived at Clearwater Co., Minn. from 1932 nn. Issue:

1. Gardner John Ferrie b. Nov. 6, 1902 at Racine Minn., d. Mar. 3, 1963 at Tuscon, Arizona; m. June 10, 1924 Anna Marie Vigoreu at Thompson, N.D.
2. Roxie Ferrie b. Nov. 21, 1904 at Spring Valley, Minn.; m. Oct. 1925 Glen Hulick at Orr, N.D.; resided at Orr.
3. Kenneth A. Ferrie b. June 28, 1912 at Wadena Co., Minn.; m. May 1939 Elsie Nelson at Bagley, Minn.; resided at Bagley.
4. Raymond W. Ferrie b. Nov. 1, 1914 at Larimore N.D.; m. Aug. 1944 Lillian Gunch of Elgin, N.D.; resided at Larimore and Hillsboro, Ore.
5. Dorothy Ione Ferrie b. July 18, 1923 at McCanna, N.D.; m. June 1950 at Bagley, Minn. to Robert O. Tjolsen; resided at Bagley.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Homer (Helen Benjamin) Brown of Oak Park, Illinois.

2451. EPHRAIM G. BENJAMIN[8] (Isaac[7], Abiezer[6], Joshua[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born April 19, 1840 at Moscow, Maine; the son of Isaac and Rachel (Annis) Benjamin; died June 4, 1912 at Belfield, North Dakota. He m/1 November 1, 1862 Mina Sawyer at Wautoma, Wisconsin. She was the dau. of Mrs. M. A. Duntley and she died August 2, 1907. He m/2 March 8, 1909 at Dickinson, North Dakota to Mrs. Elizabeth Mitchell She was born in 1850. She had m/1 --- Mitchell who d. Oct 26, 1900.

Ephraim went to Minn. with his brother Stephen. He enlisted in the Civil War from Mankato, Minn. on July 7, 1861 in Co. H. 2nd Regt. of Minn. Volunteers. He received a medical discharge on Oct. 6, 1862 and returned to Omro, Wis. where his parents resided. He was 5'7" tall, light complexion, light hair, and gray eyes. He was a farmer. On Dec. 7, 1863 he again enlisted at Oshkosh, Wis. and was mustered out July 1, 1865. He collected a pension on his first streach of service. He was listed in the 1880 census of Matteson, Waupaca Co., Wisconsin.

Elizabeth filed an application at Fryberg, North Dakota on August 10, 1912.

Children of Ephraim and Mina (Sawyer) Benjamin

4457. Ada M. Benjamin b. December 1863; d. November 30, 1943 at Cour d'Alene, Idaho; m. September 29, 1883 at Birnamwood, Wis. Alvin H. Williams b. in Winnebago Co., Wis. He was a telegraph operator. Issue:

1. Lucy Williams b. 1884 in Birmanwood, Wis., d.

1911 at Belfied, N.D.; ?unm.
2. Leo Emory Williams b. Sept. 1, 1890 at Birnam wood, Wis.; d. Jan. 21, 1937 at Cour d'Alene, Idaho.
3. Harvey Williams b. June 1892 at Birnamwood, Wis.; d. 1910, age 18 yrs.
4. Mina Williams b. atBirnamwood, Wis.; d. April 22, 1915 at Belfield, N.D.
5. Oliver John Williams b. Aug. 1, 1898 at Birnamwood, Wis.

4458. Addie M. Benjamin b. June 1865; m. May 7, 1883 at Birnamwood, Wis. to George W. Madson b. in Europe He was the son of Hans and Mary (---) Madson. They resided at Fryberg, N.D. She m/2 Fred Safford and had a son Evelyn Safford who resided in Long Beach, Calif.

4459. Lillian Belle Benjamin b. November 1, 1868 at Berlin, Wis.; d. Jan. 8, 1930 at Couer d'Alene, Idaho; m. July 17, 1885 at Birnamwood, Wis. to Nelson Madson, son of Larson and Mary (---) Madson b. Aug. 10, 1864 in Denmark and d. Nov. 27, 1951 in Couer d'Alene, Idaho. Issue:
1. Richard Nels Madson b. Oct. 11, 1888 at Birnamwood, Wis.; d. July 23, 1955 at Montana.
2. Mabel Almira Madson b. May 1, 1890 at Birnamwood; m. --- Richel; resided Spokane, Wash.
3. Ethel Sophia Madson b. Sept. 10, 1891 at Birnamwood, Wis.; m. --- Mitchell; resided in Tensed, Idaho.
4. James Anderson Madson b. March 4, 1893; d. May 25, 1958.
5. Chester Arthur Madson b. Aug. 7, 1894 at Birnamwood, Wis.
6. Earl Edgar Madson b. Aug. 16, 1896 at Birnamwood, Wis.; res. Riverside, Calif.
7. Lee Madson b. March 9, 1898; d. Feb. 3, 1904.
8. Hazel Angeline Madson b. July 8, 1899; m. Ted Horn and resided at Wenatchee, Wash.
9. Marvel Mae Madson b. Aug. 10, 1901; m. B. P. Steer and resided in Spokan, Wash.
10. Muriel Irene Madson b. June 29, 1903, d. 1921 at Harrison, Idaho.
11. Marletta Isabelle Madson b. April 17, 1905 at Belfield, N.D.; m. --- Work.
12. Arlene Madson b. July 23,1907 at Belfield, N.D.; m. Sid Stewart and resided at Spokane, Wash.

4460. Edgar M. Benjamin b. 1871; d. before 1898, age 18.

4461. Lucian Ulysses Benjamin b. March 16, 1873 at Clintonville or Hortonville, Wis.; d. December 1949 at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho; m. Ida Emma Kellback on July 28, 1894 in Wis. She was the dau. of Carl Kellback and Agusta (Moenke) b. July 28, 1877.

1. Rosie Nell Benjamin b. Feb. 14, 1895 at Birnamwood, Wis.; d. June 8, 1918/9 at Rosscommon, Wis.; m. John Kainz.
2. Elsie Martha Benjamin b. Dec. 22, 1896; d. May 19, 1972 at Anacortes, Wash.; m. Patrick Lambert Rydberg.
3. Ephraim Gilman Benjamin b. Mar. 13, 1898 at Aniwa, Wis.; m. Henriette Dyer on Feb. 25, 1929.
4. Edgar Gilman Benjamin b. Aug. 15, 1901 at Birnamwood, Wis.; m. Apr. 10, 1926 Alma Alberta Bawn.
5. Lucian Ulysses Benjamin b.July16, 1903; m. April 17, 1926 Lola Belle Thorne.
6. Addie Almina Benjamin b. Nov. 23, 1905 at Birnamwood, Wis.; m. Dec. 23, 1923 Claude Edwin Doty.
7. Raymond Richard Benjamin b. May 26, 1907 at Belfield, N.D.; d. Oct. 15, 1907 at Harrison, Idaho.
8. Marvin Guy Benjamin b. Aug. 20, 1909 at Belfield; m. Aug. 10, 1929 Juanita Flicklin.
9. Orville Lavern Benjamin b. Sept. 12, 1911; m. July 3, 1934 Martha Niemann.
10. Roy Robert Benjamin b. Aug. 14, 1913 at Fryberg, N.D.; d. Sept. 29, 1916 at Wausau, Wis.
11. Lee Lambert Benjamin b. June 30, 1916; m/1 June 6, 1939 Mildred Marie Paul; m/2 1959 Glenda Mae Montee.
12. Lloyd Lyle Benjamin b. Dec. 8, 1918 at Roscommon, Mich.; d. Mar. 17, 1932 at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.
13. Vernon Grant Benjamin b. Oct. 25, 1920 at Roscommon; d. April. 28, 1946 at Coeur d'Alene; m. Marie Cooper.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Homer (Helen Benjamin) Brown of Oak Park, Illinois; records of Pat Ramsey of Weippe, Idaho.

2452. ANGELINE F. BENJAMIN[8] (Isaac[7], Abiezer[6], Joshua[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born June 15, 1843 at Moscow, Maine; the dau. of Isaac and Rachel (Annis) Benjamin; married July 30, 1858 to William A. Lunt of Omro, Wisconsin. He was born in 1838 and died 1909/10.

They lived in Algoma Twp., Winnebago Co., Wis. in 1860 and were in Grand Meadow, Minn. in 1870 and 1872, and were in Clearfield, Iowa in 1882 and 1898. He was a farmer and carpenter and was in the Civil War, with pension #229816.

Children of William and Angeline (Benjamin) Lunt:
4462. Carlton Lunt b. 1861; d. before 1898.
4463. George W. Lunt b. 1863; d. before 1898.

4464. Clarence L. Lunt b. Dec. 5, 1866.
4465. Ziona Lunt b. April 3, 1870 at Grand Meadow, Minn.; m. --- Fisher.
4466. Mary Lunt b. Dec. 9, 1872; d. before 1898.
4467. Chesly Lunt b. Oct. 28, 1878.
4468. Preston Lunt b. March 30, 1884 at Clearfield, Iowa.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Homer (Helen Benjamin) Brown of Oak Park, Ill.

2453. WILLIAM BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Abiezer[6], Joshua[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born January 12, 1818 at Bingham, Maine; the son of John and Esther (Spaulding) Benjamin; died April 30, 1900 at the age of 82 years at North Anson, Maine. He m/1 Mary Chase, the dau. of Roger and Polly (Benjamin) Chase b. August 23, 1822 and died August 1, 1852. He m/2 April 8, 1856 Susanna Gamage, the dau. of Josephus Gamage. She was born July 14, 1830 and died May 10, 1909 (vr) at N. Anson, Maine.

William was "of Bingham, Maine" in 1853 when he was appointed guardian of his sister, Cordelia, who was under 21 years of age and lived in Boston. He was a member of the Militia in Bingham. He farmed at Embden, Maine, and later moved to N. Anson. On August 26, 1864 William Benjamin and Stephen Gamage of Anson sold for $290. to Samuel Bunker of Anson land in Embden, Maine. William lived just beyond the Sunset Cemetery, next to his cousin Selden Benjamin.

Children of William and Mary (Chase) Benjamin:
4469. infant son d. Feb. 28, 1849 and buried in the Village Cemetery in Bingham, Maine.
4470. Adelia Benjamin b. March 28, 1850 at Bingham; d. October 20, 1865 at N. Anson, Maine.

Children of William and Susanna (Gamage) Benjamin:
4471. George William Benjamin b. May 31, 1859; d. November 10, 1872.
4472. John D. Benjamin b. November 1860; d. September 19, 1930 at Waterville, Maine; m. Jamisetta Brown b. 1864 at Albion, Maine and d. February 12, 1929 at North Anson. They are buried in the Collins Addition of the Sunset Cemetery. Etta was a skilled tailoress and John was a farmer and in his older years a toll gate operator. Issue:
    1. Susan Benjamin b. Nov. 13, 1889 at N. Anson; d. April 23, 1958 at Waterville, Maine; m. June 1, 1910 Percy T. Grant b. 1882 and d. 1959. They had a son John Benjamin Grant b. March 21, 1911.
4473. Augusta Benjamin b. October 5, 1862; d. May 28, 1885; she taught school in the Embden #3 District
4474. Eva M. Benjamin b. Mar. 21, 1865; d. Oct. 20, 1885 (or 1865?).

4475. William Benjamin Jr. b. May 1870; d. Feb. 15, 1920; m. July 22, 1894 to E. Gretrude Davis, who d. Oct 15, 1946. Issue: Edith Davis Benjamin, d. March 13, 1914, m. --- Burgess. They are all buried in the Sunset Cemetery at N. Anson, Maine.

4476. Frank S. Benjamin b. April 28, 1872; d. April 4/5, 1910 at N. Anson; m/1 Jennie H. Williams b. June 15, 1868, d. April 15, 1900; m/2 Catherine E. Wheeler b. August 26, 1882. Issue: William Benjamin b. Jan. 16, 1896, d. July 10, 1896. They are all buried in the Sunset Cemetery at N. Anson

Resources: Records of Mrs. Homer (Helen Benjamin) Brown of Oak Park, Ill.

2456. HIRAM BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Abiezer[6], Joshua[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John 2-1) born 1823; the son of John and Esther (Spaulding) Benjamin; died before 1870. He married February 19, 1859 Mary Judkins of Embden, Maine. She was born in 1823 in Athens, Maine. She m/2 May 31, 1874 George Royal.

In the 1870 census of Bingham, Maine Mary Judkins Benjamin was residing with the family of Barney McCollor, age 47 yrs., and was listed as an invalid.

Children of Hiram and Mary (Judkins) Benjamin:

4477. Collamore Benjamin b. April 3, 1862. In the 1870 census of Bingham, Maine he was living with his grandfather's sister--Sarah Benjamin Fletcher.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Homer (Helen Benjamin) Brown of Oak Park, Ill.

2466. GEORGE WASHINGTON BENJAMIN[8] (Stephen[7], Andrew[6], Jno.[5-4], Abel John[2-1]) born September 10, 1810 at Keene, New Hampshire; the son of Stephen and Sarah (Carter) Benjamin; bapt. September 24, 1810 at Wayland, Mass. (vr); died April 11, 1822 age 71-11 at New Ipswich, New Hampshire (vr). He married Abigail Farwell of Washington, N.H. on December 7, 1827 at Washington, N.H. (vr). She was born in 1811 at Washington N.H. and died August 4, 1865, age 53, at Jaffrey, New Hampshire. (vr).

He was a tanner and farmer and was listed in the 1850 census of Fitzwilliam, N.H.

Children of George and Abigail (Farwell) Benjamin:

4478. Harriet A. Benjamin b. 1840.

4479. Walter Benjamin b. 1843; d. October 4, 1865 at Jaffrey, N.H. (vr), age 26; unm.

4480. George A. Benjamin b. January 31, 1846 at Washington, N.H.; d. May 25, 1935 at Concord, N.H. (vr); m. Sept. 26, 1871 at Hancock, N.H. (vr) Sarah J. (Jennie) Morse, the dau. of Elijah and Pamelia (French) Morse, b. Oct. 19, 1852, d. Sept. 3, 1936. Issue:

1. Wallace R. Benjamin b. July 1872; m. Aug. 31, 1892 at Concord, N.H. (vr) Valeria A. French, b. 1870 at Concord, N.H.
2. child b. March 1883 at New Ipswich, N.H. (vr)
3. child b. Nov. 1885 at New Ipswich, N.H. (vr).

4481. Mary C. Benjamin b. 1848.

Resources: Vital Records of New Hampshire.

2471. HARRIET BENJAMIN[8] (Amos[7], Andrew[6], Jno.[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born July 5, 1806 at Oneida Co., New York; the dau. of Amos Pierce and Hannah (Mygate) Benjamin. She married Capt. Ira Austin on February 1831. He was the son of Levi and Hannah (Mack) Austin and was born May 30, 1807 at Bristol, Ontario Co., New York.

They migrated first to LeRoy, Ohio, then to DesPlains, Ill. in 1838 and in 1849 to California. He returned from California to Will Co., Illinois and then went to Gilpin Co., Colorado. His family joined him there in 1864. In 1870 they moved to Boulder, Colorado.

Children of Ira and Harriet (Benjamin) Austin:

4482. Schuyler Austin.
4483. Julia Austin.
4484. Helen Austin.

Resources: p. 153, 234 Desc. of Richard Austin, Moore,1970

2474. WILLIAM C. BENJAMIN[8] (Amos[7], Andrew[6], Jno.[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born about 1814 in Madison Co., New York; the son of Amos Pierce and Sarah (Bacon) Benjamin. He married Mary B. --- who was born about 1816 in Oneida Co., New York.

He was a stage owner and tavern keeper in Sangerfield, New York. He was listed in the 1850 census, apparently with no children, but his mother and sister Delia and a niece, Louise Joslin b. 1836 in Onondaga Co., N.Y., resided with him. In the 1870 census of Sangerfield, there were still no children listed, but an Abby Morse bc. 1800 in Conn. (who might have been Mary's mother) was listed as a retired female living with them.

Resources: Census records.

2476. AUGUSTUS BENJAMIN[8] (Amos[7], Andrew[6], Jno.[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born July 6, 1825 at Albany, New York; the son of Amos Pierce and Sarah (Bacon) Benjamin. He married Lucy Lathrop on May 1849. She was the dau. of Henry Bishop and Sarah (Preston) Lathrop and was born January 12, 1832 at Albany Co., New York.

He went to California in 1858.

Children of Augustus and Lucy (Lathrop) Benjamin:

4485. Mortimer A. Benjamin d. August 6, 1860 in California; drowned.

Resources: Family Group Sheet from Library of Latter Day Saints in Salt Lake, Utah; p. 228 Gen. Memoir Lo-Lathrop Fam., Hunington, 1884.

2477. ABIJAH WHEELER BENJAMIN[8] (Francis[7], Andrew[6], Jno.[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born January 15, 1810 at Winchendon, Mass.; the son of Francis and Dorothy (Wood) Benjamin; died May 7, 1889, age 79 yrs., at Westminister, Mass. He married Mary F. Merriam (Meriam) on May 25, 1837 at Princeton, Mass. (vr). She was the dau. of Nathan and Polly (Brooks) Merriam.

He settled on the Timothy Hoar place, which his son took over. He was a man of quiet ways, but of unquestioned worth and honor.

Children of Abijah and Mary (Merriam) Benjamin:

4486. George F. Benjamin b. April 25, 1840 at Wsstminister, Mass.; d. Oct. 21, 1861 at Ball's Bluff.

4487. Mary M. Benjamin b. May 24, 1845 at Westminister, Mass. (vr); d. July 28, 1845.

4488. Myron Nathan or Nathan Myron Benjamin b. July 2, 1846/7 at Westminister, Mass. (vr); m. November 13, 1879 Florence M. Cowee; resided at Fitchburgh Mass.; had 1 child.

4489. Frank Edgar Benjamin b. December 16, 1851; m. July 3, 1873 Ella M. Ferrel; resided at Charlestown, Mass. On p. 237 of Worchester Co. "list of Person's who's Names Have Been Changed in Mass. 1780-1892" in 1893 is Florence Edgar Benjamin changed to Frank Edgar Benjamin, residence, Fitchbury on April 6, 1880.

4490. William H. Benjamin b. March 28, 1857; m. November 26, 1889 Anna F. (Stuart) Nutting, dau. of Ervin and Frances A. (Sawyer) Stuart; resided in Westminister, Mass. Had son Willie Benjamin b. Mar. 19, 1891, d. same day.

Resources: Westminister, Mass. Vital Records; p. 547 Hist. of Westminister, Mass.; Princeton, Mass. Vital Records; Family Group Sheet from Library of Latter Day Saints at Salt Lake City, Utah.

2481. STILLMAN DANIEL BENJAMIN[8] (Daniel[7-6], Jno.[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born November 4, 1807 at Ashburnham, Mass. (vr); the son of Daniel and Rachel (Wetherall) Benjamin. He married Mary Foster on November 11, 1832 at Ashburnham, Mass. She was the dau.of Nathaniel and Mary (Kendall) Foster and was born November 19, 1807 at Shirley Village, Mass. (vr).

He was a farmer and moved to Shirley about 1840.

Children of Stillman and Mary (Foster) Benjamin:

4491. Sidney Wendell Benjamin b. May 25, 1833 at Shirley Village, Mass. (vr); m. January 22, 1873 Mary

Harris, dau. of Humphrey and Emeline (Clark) Harris, b. 1839.

4492. Viola D. Benjamin b. August 4, 1836; m. December 5, 1855 Stephen H. Kimball of Ipswich. He was born Nov. 13, 1833 at Ipswich, Mass. Issue: Ida B. Kimball; Arthur H. Kimball; and Alice Louise Kimball.

4493. Mary Jane Benjamin b. March 24, 1841; m. Lorenzo L. Brown at Harvard, Mass. They had a son F. L. Brown of Harvard.

4494. Frances Ann Benjamin b. October 24, 1845 at Shirley Village, Mass. (vr); m. Nahum Hersom.

Resources: Hist. of Ashburnham, Mass.; Shirley, Mass. Birth Records; Wilson Papers; p. 801 Kimball Fam. of Am., Morrison, 1897.

2500. SAMUEL ELIOT BENJAMIN[8] (Samuel[7-6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John 2-1) born December 29, 1818 at Livermore, Maine; the son of Samuel and Olivia (Metcalf) Benjamin; died January 20, 1888. He married Ellen Marion Fairfield on December 15, 1854, the dau. of Jedediah and Annie (Clark) Fairfield. She died May 5, 1880.

Children of Samuel and Ellen (Fairfield) Benjamin:

4495. Charles Henry Benjamin b. August 29, 1856; m. Cora Louise Benson. He was in the Dept. of Mechanical Engineering of the Case School of Applied Science in Cleveland, Ohio in 1902. Issue: Marion Benjamin; Barbara Benjamin; and Harold Dunbar Benjamin.

4496. Edward Fairfield Benjamin b. May 17, 1858; d. April 15, 1861.

4497. John Milton Benjamin b. March 6, 1866 at Patten, Maine. He attended Harvard 1893-97; was a mechanical engineer, and resided in Beverly, Mass.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

2502. JOHN MILTON BENJAMIN[8] (Samuel[7-6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born March 28, 1823 at Winthrop, Maine; the son of Samuel and Olivia (Metcalf) Benjamin; died July 2, 1909 at Winthrop. He married Bettie (Betsey/Bethel) Livermore Benjamin on July 2, 1856. She was the dau. of Charles and Lucy (Chase) Benjamin and was born March 9, 1824 at Livermore, Maine and died April 12, 1898 at Winthrop, Maine. She was a 9th descendant from Pilgrim John Howland of the Mayflower. (See #1294 for her parentage.)

John was in the threshing machine business with his brother, Albion P. Benjamin.

Children of John and Bettie (Benjamin) Benjamin:

4498. Mary Louise Benjamin b. June 11, 1859 at Winthrop, Maine; d. March 6, 1908. She is the one that

compiled the genealogy on the Samuel Benjamin line.

4499. Charles Milton Benjamin b. March 7, 1861 at Winthrop, Maine; m. Nov. 9, 1887 Ellen Mary Burbank.

4500. Fannie Russell Benjamin b. January 4, 1863 at Winthrop, Maine; m. Frank Ware Herrick.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Rose Parker; Vol. 11 p. 27 and Vol. 98 p. 83 DAR Lineage Books; Mayflower Index #3165.

2503. ALBION PARIS BENJAMIN[8] (Sam.[7-6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born January 12, 1825 at Winthrop, Maine; the son of Samuel and Olivia (Metcalf) Benjamin. He married Abby L. Wing of Augusta, Maine on Novem ber 25, 1859.

He was formerly a leading business man of Oakland. He and his brother, John Milton Benjamin, had a threshing machine business company. He was an incorporator of West Waterville National Bank and was elected September 1884 to the Maine House of Representatives.

Children of Albion and Abby (Wing) Benjamin:

4501. Jeannette Benjamin b. October 23, 1860 at Winthrop.

4502. Marion Benjamin b. August 30, 1864 at Waterville, Maine; d. November 19, 1887.

4503. Alice Benjamin b. March 29, 1867.

Resources: p. 72 Representative Citizens of Maine, 1903; Gen. of the Fam. of Samuel Benjamin and Tabitha Livermore, Mary Louise Benjamin, 1900.

2504. MARY ANN BENJAMIN[8] (Sam.[7-6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born March 16, 1827 at Winthrop, Maine; the dau. of Samuel and Olivia (Metcalf) Benjamin. She married Wentworth Jennings on July 25, 1856. He was the son of Isaac and Lucy (Wentworth) Jennings and was born December 22, 1826 at Winthrop, Maine.

Children of Wentworth and Mary (Benjamin) Jennings:

4504. Samuel Wentworth Jennings. b. August 27, 1858 at Winthrop, Maine.

4505. Charles Erwin Jennings. b. July 23, 1860 at Stoneham.

4506. Grace Washburn Jennings b. November 16, 1865.

Resources: p. 300 Wentworth Gen, Wentworth, 1878; Gen. of Samuel Benjamin and Tabitha Livermore, M. L. Benjamin, 1900

2514. NATHANIEL BENJAMIN[8] (Nath.[7], Sam.[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born June 16, 1821 at Livermore, Maine; the son of Nathaniel and Betsey (Chase) Benjamin. He married Hannah Starbird of Peru, Maine.

Children of Nathaniel and Hannah (Starbird) Benjamin:

4507. Tristram Benjamin; drowned in the Androscoggin River in Livermore, Maine on June 1871.

4508. Albert W. Benjamin.
4509. Charles Corydon Benjamin.
4510. Nellie Elizabeth Benjamin.
4511. Elmer Benjamin.

Resources: Gen. of Fam. of Samuel Benjamin and Tabitha Livermore, Mary Louise Benjamin, 1900.

2518. CHARLES RULETTUS BENJAMIN[8] (Nath.[7], Sam.[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel John[2-1]) born June 12, 1830 at Livermore, Maine; the son of Nathaniel and Betsey (Chase) Benjamin. He married Mary W. Johnson on November 27, 1862 at Union City, Penn.

Children of Charles and Mary (Johnson) Benjamin:
4512. Abbie Stella Benjamin b. August 1, 1864.
4513. Charles W. Benjamin b. November 10, 1870.

Resources: Gen. of Fam. of Lt. Samuel Benjamin, M.L. Benjamin, 1900; Family Group Sheet from Library of Latter Day Saints in Salt Lake City, Utah.

2532. JOSEPH STANWOOD BENJAMIN[8] (David[7], Sam.[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3] John[2-1]) born May 3, 1822 at East Livermore, Maine; the son of David and Catherine (Stanwood) Benjamin. He married Emily Mary (W.) Swan of New London, N.Y. on April 2, 1850 at Troy, Rensselaer Co., New York.

He spent his boyhood on his father's farm and at the age of 18 went to sea. During his year's absence, he visited both domestic and foreign ports. He returned to Livermore and with the exception of a year spent in Hallowell, Maine; remained there five years. In 1846 he went to Troy, N.Y., where he engaged in business until 1852. After two years spent at his old home in Livermore, he went to Iowa, where he built a saw and grist mill, which he operated until it was destroyed by fire 10 years later. He then entered the employ of the Chicago and Burlington Railroad, but was obliged to leave on account of ill health. He removed to Minneapolis, Minn., where he then made his home.

Children of Joseph and Emily (Swan) Benjamin:
4514. Sidney Joseph Benjamin b. January 8, 1851 at New London, New York; m. July 16, 1883 in Minneapolis to Julia A. Dunn. Issue:
    Maria Lillian Benjamin b. at Hastings, Minn.
    Edward Sidney b. May 8, 1885 at Minneapolis.
    William David Benjamin.
    Harry Marcellus Benjamin.
    Emma Mary Benjamin.
    Chester Lee Benjamin.
    Grace Caroline Benjamin.
    Sidney N. Benjamin.
4515. Caroline Isadore Benjamin b. January 28,1852 at Troy, N.Y.; m. May 16, 1871 at Minneapolis, Minn.

William H. Bartlett of Quincy, Illinois.

4516. Edwin Oliver Benjamin b. May 18, 1859 at Melrose, Iowa; d. September 14, 1860.

4517. Willie Benjamin b. June 18, 1870 at Minneapolis, Minn.; d. November 1, 1872.

Resources: Vol. 24 p. 135 DAR Lineage Book; Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.; Gen. of Fam. of Samuel Benjamin and Tabitha Livermore, M.L. Benjamin, 1900.

2533. HARRIET MORRISON BENJAMIN[8] (David[7], Sam.[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel John[2-1]) born November 4, 1823 at Livermore, Maine; the dau. of David and Catherine (Stanwood) Benjamin; died January 28, 1897 at Milwaukee, Wisconsin. She married William Cutter of Bangor, Maine on September 9, 1847 at Livermore, Maine. He was the son of Samuel and Amelia (Loring) Cutter and was born September 24, 1813 and died February 10, 1869 at Brewer, Maine. He had m/1 Malinda Robbins.

Children of William and Harriet (Benjamin) Cutter:

4518. William Horace Cutter b. November 30, 1848 at Bangor, Maine; d. December 21, 1851 at Bangor.

4519. William Benjamin Cutter b. April 18, 1852 at Bangor m. April 26, 1878 at Muskegon, Michigan to Emily Woodcock and lived in Huntington, Indiana.

4520. Ammi Ruhamah Cutter b. March 1, 1854 at Bangon; m. October 15, 1888 at Cadillac, Michigan to Emma Reed Trittle and resided at Swanzee, Indiana.

4521. Harriet Livermore Cutter b. January 1, 1856; resided in Milwaukee.

4522. Kate Stanwood Cutter b. January 1, 1856; m. May 31, 1881 Harry Monroe Pillsbury; resided in Milwaukee Wisconsin.

4523. John Dana Cutter, M.D. b. January 26, 1858; m. August 1895 Helen Bensley Philleo; resided in Tomahawk, Wis.

4524. Charles Carroll Cutter b. November 14, 1861; m. October 2, 1889 at Milwaukee to Sarah Adelaide Barnes. He d. December 1, 1891 at Milwaukee, Wis

Resource: Hist. of the Cutter Fam., Cutter, 1871.

2536. DAVID MARCELLUS BENJAMIN[8] (David[7], Sam.[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3] John[2-1]) born July 28, 1834 at Livermore, Maine; (in the home of his great grandfather Lt. Samuel Benjamin); the son of David and Catherine (Stanwood) Benjamin; died either May 30, 1892 or May 8, 1938 at Milwaukee, Wisconsin. He married Anna Louise Fitts of Portsmouth, New Hampshire on June 16, 1869 at Muskegon, Michigan (N.H. vr). She was the dau. of Capt. Andrew J. and Eliza Ann (Pillsbury) Fitts (Fittz) and was born April 21, 1848 at either Portsmouth or Southampton, N.H. and died March 7, 1928, age 89, at Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

He received his education in the schools of his native town and at Farmington, Westbrook, and Litchfield Acadamies. In 1856 he began a lumbering operation on the Penobscot River in Maine, remained there until 1862, when he moved to Muskegon, Michigan, where he continued in the same business. He formed the C. P. Pillsbury and Co., with O.P. Pillsbury, who was to become his brother-in-law. In 1869 he married and moved to Big Rapids, Michigan, where he lived til Nov. 1887. From then, until his death, he lived in Milwaukee, Wis. He built the "Benjamin Castle at 1570 N. Prospect St. and had the city's finest art collection. He was a member of the Penabscot Land, Log, and Lumber Co. and was president of the corporation from 1890 until his death. He figured prominently in the growth, development, and business activity of Milwaukee and was a leading lumberman in the Middle West.

Children of David and Ann (Fitts) Benjamin:

4525. Frederick Washburn Benjamin b. January 23, 1879 at Grand Rapids, Michigan.

4526. Catherine Chase Benjamin b. July 8, 1889 at Milwaukee, Wis.; m. Walter S. Lindsey and had:
1. Alexander Duncan Lindsey b. August 1919.
2. Lora Lindsey b. September 1920.
3. Donald Benjamin Lindsey b. January 1, 1924.

Resources: Gen. of Lt. Samuel Benjamin and Tabitha Livermore, M. L. Benjamin, 1900; Wisconsin Sentintal Newspaper Mar. 7, 1938 and March 8, 1939; Am. Gen. Biog. Index; Vol. III Hist. of Milwaukee, Gregory, 1931.

2538. LUCETTA BENJAMIN[8] (John[7-6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born January 29, 1811 at Etna, Maine; the dau. of John and Rebecca (Benson) Benjamin; died November 29, 1894 at Bangor, Maine. She married Joseph Cobb on January 21, 1835/6 He was born April 9, 1810 at Hebron, Maine and died December 29, 1864 at Bangor, Maine.

Children of Joseph and Lucetta (Benjamin) Cobb:

4527. Elizabeth Cobb b. 1836; d. 1844 at Guilford, Maine.

4528. Sarah Jane Cobb b. February 18, 1838; m. 1864 Dr. John Rush of Philadelphia, Penn. in Memphis, Tenn. She died in Mexico.

4529. Charles Benjamin Cobb b. February 5, 1841; d. June 17, --- in the Battle of Petersburg, Virginia in the Civil War.

4530. Lizzie Rebecca Cobb b. June 5, 1843; m. December 22 1864 Alfred G. Curtis b. May 12, 1839 at Bucksford, Maine. Issue: Charles Alfred Curtis; Alfred Curtis; Fanstina Curtis; and one that died in infancy.

4531. Joseph Cobb b. 1845 at Guilford, Maine; d. July 14, 1847 at Bangor, Maine.

4532. Joseph Cobb b. March 17, 1848 at Bangor, Maine; m.

Mabel Brown b. 1868. Issue: Mildred Cobb b. Dec. 1895 and Beatrice Cobb b. April 5, 1897.

4533. John Benjamin Cobb b. April 29, 1851 at Bangor; m. Eudora Hall.

4534. Frederick Cobb b. September 22, 1855 at Bangor; m. December 13, 1877 Georgia Gould b. Nov. 26, 1857. Issue: Ruth Cobb b. Dec. 28, 1878 at Bangor; Fred erick Cobb b. Sept. 11, 1882 at Bangor; Hazel Cobb b. July 18, 1892 at Dorchester, Mass.

Resources: Gen. of Fam. of Lt. Samuel Benjamin, M.L. Benjamin, 1900; Wilson Papers.

2541. ESTHER BENJAMIN[8] (John[7-6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born May 14, 1818 at Etna, Maine; the dau. of John and Rebecca (Benson) Benjamin. She married Col. Isiah Avery, the son of either Joseph or Josiah Avery.

Children of Isiah and Esther (Benjamin) Avery:

4535. Ruth Avery; m. Frank Prescott.

4536. Anna Avery.

Resources: Gen. of Fam. of Lt. Samuel Benjamin, L. M. Benjamin, 1900.

2543. JOHN BENSON BENJAMIN, M.D.[8] (John[7-6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born in 1822 at Etna, Maine; the son of John and Rebecca (Benson) Benjamin; died April 9, 1884 at Carmel, Maine. He married Mary A. Hopkins, the dau. of Smith K. and Mary A. (Hughes) Hopkins. She was born at Carmel, Maine. There is a marriage record for Mrs. Mary Benjamin of Whitefield, Maine on May 25, 1889 to Newell C. Cook at Gardiner, Maine (vr), which might be a second marriage for her.

He was a physcian at Etna, Maine.

Children of John and Mary (Hopkins) Benjamin:

4537. John Franklin Benjamin b. at Blaine, Maine; m. Etna Mae Karmen. He became a doctor and practiced in Kinduskey, Maine. Issue:
1. George Benjamin; resided at Mars Hill, Maine.
2. Ola Benjamin.
3. dau. m. Blake Smith and res. at E. Corinith, Maine.
4. S. K. Benjamin; resided at Lutherville, MD.
5. dau. m. D. S. Crowley and res. DeMoines, Iowa

4538. Elmer Hopkins Benjamin; became a dentist and res. in San Franscico, Calif.

4539. Mary L. (Linnie) Benjamin b. August 13, 1864; m. Francis M. Simpson.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Mayflower Index #57162; Records of George Benjamin of Rochester, Minn.

2544. EBENEZER DYER BENJAMIN[8] (Jesse[7], John[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born February 13, 1809 at Etna, Maine; the son of Jesse and Eliza (Small) Benjamin. He married Esther Barden (Borden) about 1834. She was born March 22, 1816 at Etna, Maine and died June 1, 1878 at Etna.

Children of Ebenezer and Esther (Barden) Benjamin:

4540. Maria Frances Benjamin b. February 27, 1835 at Etna Maine; m/1 January 26, 1852 Oliver Hardy and had a son: George Edwin Hardy b. 1853. She m/2 October 27, 1865 Agreen C. Crabtree and had: Charles Cushman Crabtree b. May 7, 1872, unm.; Irving Warren Crabtree b. Dec. 22, 1879, d. Mar. 24, 1898 at Carmel, Maine.

4541. John Benjamin b. November 27, 1837 at Carmel, Maine m/1 April 20, 1855 Orilla Austin b. Jan. 30, 1838 d. April 12, 1879; m/2 May 20, 1895 Emma Palmer. Issue of his 1st m.:
1. Charles Benjamin b. Feb. 14, 1856.
2. John Warren Benjamin b. June 30, 1858, d. Aug 38, 1889.
3. George Benjamin b. July 27, 1866; res. Pittsfield, Maine.
4. Elmer E. Benjamin b. Aug. 27, 1872 at Carmel.

Children of 2nd m.:
5. Adelia Esther Benjamin b. Feb. 4, 1899.

4542. Joseph Warren Benjamin b. September 22, 1840; d. March 26, 1897 at Herman, Maine; m. March 27, 1863 Martha Ann Mitchell. They adopted 2 children.

4543. Adelia Ann Benjamin b. May 16, 1843; d. November 28 1894; m. Holis Smith. Issue:
1. Clarence Lemmuel Smith b. Feb. 2, 1861.
2. William Hollis Smith b. July 18, 1864.
3. Agnes Marie Smith b. May 18, 1869.
4. Fred Warren Smith b. May 25, 1873.
5. Willard Franklin Smith b. July 31, 1878.
6. Blanch Edna Smith b. March 2, 1889.

4544. Elvira Benjamin b. November 16, 1846; m. --- McPherson in Europe. Issue:
1. Gertrude Estes McPherson b. Sept. 6, 1873.
2. Alonzo McPherson b. July 31, 1879.
3. Fayetta McPherson, twin, b. July 31, 1879.

Resource: Wilson Papers.

2546. EPHRAIM MELLEN BENJAMIN[8] (Beniah[7], John[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born March 11, 1814 at North Whitefield, Maine; the son of Beniah and Elizabeth (Noyes) Benjamin; died September 8, 1848 at North Whitefield,Maine. He married Meriam Hunt at Belmont, Mass. She was born November 2, 1813 at Belmont, Mass. and died June 25, 1874 at N. Whitefield, Maine. She m/2 Milton Benjamin, a brother of

Ephraim's. (See #2551.)

Children of Ephraim and Meriam (Hunt) Benjamin:

4545. Ann Elizabeth Benjamin b. November 1, 1845 at N. Whitefield, Maine; m. May 20, 1862 Peter Dow. Issue:
   1. Nellie May Dow b. Jan. 5, 1867 at N. Whitefield, Maine; m. Rolando Carey and had a dau. Marion Carey.
   2. Andrew Beniah Dow b. Nov. 2, 1872; d. June 1, 1896 at N. Whitefield; m. May 27, 1895 Grace Belle Gardner.
   3. Minnie Adelaid Dow b. May 3, 1876.
   4. Winfried Etta Dow b. May 13, 1880 at N. White field, Maine.

Resources: Colonial Fam. of U.S., McKenzie; Wilson Papers.

2547. HESTER ANN BENJAMIN[8] (Beniah[7], John[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born February 22, 1817 at North Whitefield, Maine the dau. of Beniah and Elizabeth (Noyes) Benjamin; died August 9, 1892 at N. Whitefield. She married William Wash ington Hunt on December 12, 1837. He was born May 14, 1812 at Belmont, Maine.

Children of William and Hester (Benjamin) Hunt:

4546. Paulina Amanda Hunt b. November 1, 1838 at N. White field, Maine; m. March 18, 1860 John Howard Potter, b. at Cooper's Mills, Maine. They had no issue.

4547. Clinda Marie Simmons Hunt b. April 13, 1840 at N. Whitefield, Maine; m. Charles Francis Choate b. May 27, 1838.

Resources: Colonial Fam. of U.S., McKenzie; Vol. VII Col. Fam. of U.S., Nelson Osgood Rhodes; Wilson Papers.

2549. WASHBURN BENJAMIN[8] (Beniah[7], John[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John 2-1) born September 26, 1820 at North Whitefield, Maine; the son of Beniah and Elizabeth (Noyes) Benjamin; died December 14, 1891, age 70 yrs., at Gardiner, Maine. (Pittston, Maine vr). He married Helen Augusta Turner on October 3, 1867 at Pittston, Maine. She was born May 15, 1825 at Vassalboro, Maine, the dau. of Samuel and Nancy (Hoy) Turner.

He was a member of the Kennebec County Bar Association

Children of Washburn and Helen (Turner) Benjamin:

4548. Mary Washburn Benjamin b. April 27, 1783 at Gardiner, Maine (vr); but bapt. April 27, 1873 as an Episcopal Church rec. (Dr. Wilson has her b. August 17, 1868.) She died in her teens.

Resources: Colonial Families in U.S., Rhodes.

2551. MILTON NOYES BENJAMIN[8] (Beniah[7], John[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born August 14, 1824 at North Whitefield, Maine; the son of Beniah and Elizabeth (Noyes) Benjamin; died May 17, 1898 at Augusta, Maine. He m/1 Mary Ann Murphy , born January 16, 1818 at Jefferson,Maine and died September 17, 1862 at N. Whitefield, Maine. He m/2 Mrs. Meriam (Hunt) Benjamin, the widow of his brother Ephraim Benjamin. (See #2546.)

Children of Milton and Mary (Murphy) Benjamin:
4549. Mary Elizabeth Benjamin b. April 9, 1853; in 1900 lived in Augusta, Maine and was unm.

Children of Milton and Meriam (Hunt Benjamin) Benjamin:
4550. child.

Resources: Colonial Fam. in U.S., McKenzie.

2554. CATHERINE EMMA BENJAMIN[8] (Beniah[7], John[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born March 1, 1831 at North Whitefield, Maine; the dau. of Beniah and Elizabeth (Noyes) Benjamin; died July 20/21, 1883 at N. Whitefield. She married Miles LeRoy/Lowell Benner on May 23, 1856 at Whitefield, Maine. He was born November 6, 1816 at E. Pittston, Maine and died November 10, 1895 at N. Whitefield, Maine.
They had 7 children:

Children of Miles and Catherine (Benjamin) Benner:
4551. William Henry Benner b. May 28, 1859 at N. Whitefield; m. Annie Murray. Issue: William Lewis; Miles Benjamin Benner; Sidney; Gifford; Alice May; George; and Elizabeth Gertrude Benner.
4552. Guy Lamkin Benner b. March 13, 1861 at N. Whitefield; m. Anna Henzler.
4553. Mary Alice Benner b. May 8, 1868 at N. Whitefield; m. July 19, 1893 at Boston, Mass to George Edgar Curtis, b. August 23, 1843.

Resources: Colonial Fam. of U.S., McKenzie; p. 809 Gen. of Greely-Greeley Fam., Greeley, 1905.

2555. NANCY DELIA BENJAMIN[8] (Beniah[7], John[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born June 24, 1833 at North Whitefield, Maine; th dau. of Beniah and Elizabeth (Noyes) Benjamin; died 1917. She married William Henry Person on February 21, 1861 at N. Whitefield. He was the son of William and Lucinda Maria (Greenleaf) Pearson and he was born July 31, 1832 at Lancaster, New Hampshire. She married/2, perhaps William Henry Kendall.
They were living at Boston, Mass. in 1899.
There is a tablet on the wall of the Washington Memorial Chapel at Valley Forge, Penn. that is a gift of Mrs. Person, commemorating the services of her grandfather, John Benjamin, for his 7 years in the Continental Army.

Children of William and Nancy (Benjamin) Person:
4554. Seth Greenleaf Person b. August 20, 1862 at Boston, Mass.; d. March 31, 1864 at Boston.
4555. Nella Jane Person b. December 31, 1864 at Boston.
4556. Arthur Emmons Person b. January 9, 1869 at Boston.
4557. child.

Resources: Vol. 2 p. 568 Colonial Fam. of USA, McKenzie; Wilson Papers.

2559. MARIE BENJAMIN[8] (James[7], John[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born December 1830 at Newport, Maine; the dau.of James J. and Ruth (Mills) Benjamin; died January 1871 at Detroit, Michigan. She married Thomas Merrill on June 10, 1850 at Carmel, Maine. He was born in 1820 at Carmel, Maine.

Children of Thomas and Marie (Benjamin) Merrill:
4558. Thomas Davis Merrill b. October 26, 1855 at Carmel; m. 1885 at Adrian, Mich. to Elizabeth Croswell. They had: Marie Merrill b. 1896 in Duluth, Minn. and Thomas Merrill b. 1898 in Duluth.
4559. Lizzie Palmer Merrill b. July 25, 1863 at Saginaw, Michigan; m. Clark Ring. They had: Thomas Merrill Ring b. 1882; Jesse Ring.b. 1884; and Lizzie Clark Ring b. 1892, all in Saginaw, Mich.
4560. Dwight Merrill b. 1871 at Saginaw, Michigan; m. 1892 Ella Lee in Chicago, Illinois. She was b. 1873 in Detroit, Mich. They lived in Seattle, Washington in 1900 and had a son Thomas Merrill b. 1895 at Saginaw, Michigan.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

2560. ROXA BENJAMIN[8] (James[7], John[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born September 10, 1832 at Newport, Maine; the dau. of James J. and Ruth (Mills) Benjamin; died March 1866 at Saginaw, Michigan. She married Stephen Hilton Smith in 1856. He was born in 1830 at Palmyra, Maine and died in 1865 at Saginaw, Michigan.

Children of Stephen and Roxa (Benjamin) Smith:
4561. Edward (Edwin) Hilton Smith b. 1864; d. 1885 at Saginaw, Michigan.
4562. Grace Whitney Smith b. 1865; m. Walter Britton, who was b. 1861 in Flint, Mich. They had a son: John Hilton Britton b. 1898.

Resource: Wilson Papers.

2561. FRANK BENJAMIN[8] (James[7], John[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born in 1834 at Newport, Maine; the son of James J. and Ruth (Mills) Benjamin. He married Cynthia Bayley (Bradley) She was born in 1832 at Saginaw, Michigan.
They were living in Dawson, South Dakota in 1900.

Children of Frank and Cynthia (Bayley) Benjamin:
4563. Frank Benjamin Jr. b. 1869 at Saginaw, Michigan.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

2562. JOHN HARPER BENJAMIN[8] (James[7], John[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born December 10, 1840 at Newport, Maine; the son of James J. and Ruth (Mills) Benjamin. He married Jeannette Smith, who was born in Saginaw, Michigan.
They were living in Saginaw, Michigan in 1900.

Children of John and Jeannette (Smith) Benjamin:
4564. John Harper Benjamin Jr. b. 1888 at Saginaw.
4565. Bruce Smith Benjamin b. 1889 at Saginaw.
4566. James Robert Benjamin b. 1891 at Saginaw.
4567. Robert Mills Benjamin b. 1894 at Saginaw.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

2563. RUTH BENJAMIN[8] (James[7], John[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born April 11, 1843 at Newport, Maine; the dau. of James J. and Ruth (Mills) Benjamin. She married Horace Mellen Gurney in 1866 at Newport, Maine. He was born in 1838 at Hebron, Maine.
They were living at Lewiston, Maine in 1900.

Children of Horace and Ruth (Benjamin) Gurney:
4568. Victory Moir Gurney b. 1870 at Moirgania, Iowa; m. 1894 at Saginaw, Mich. to Charlotte Harmon b. 1873 at Detroit, Mich. They lived at San Antonio, Texas in 1900. Issue: George Harmon Gurney b. 1897 at Saginaw, Mich. and Ruth Benjamin Gurney b. 1898 at Detroit, Mich.
4569. Maria Benjamin Gurney b. 1872 at Alburn, Maine; m. Jan. 5, 1891 George Bonnallis, Jr. at Lewiston, Maine.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

2565. ADELAIDE BENJAMIN[8] (James[7], John[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born May 1847 at Newport, Maine; the dau. of James J. and Ruth (Mills) Benjamin. She married Sprague Marsh, who was born in 1840 at Newport, Maine.

Children of Sprague and Adelaide (Benjamin) Marsh:
4570. Ruth Marsh b. 1874 at Portland Oregon.
4571. Hope Marsh b. 1876 at Portland.
4572. Sprague Marsh b. 1878 at Portland.
4573. Mills Benjamin Marsh b. 1880 at Portalnd, Oregon.
4574. Elvira Benjamin Marsh b. 1882 at Portland.
4575. Susan Benjamin Marsh b. 1890 at Portland, Oregon.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

2569. ISAAC WILLIAM BENJAMIN[8] (Isaac[7], John[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born October 24, 1833 at New Bedford, Mass.; the son of Isaac and Lucy (Eldridge) Benjamin; died March 23, 1891 at New Bedford, Mass. He married Olive Lane Moulton on March 4, 1855. She was the dau. of Josiah and Lucinda (Lane) Moulton and was born September 15, 1832 at either Chesterfield, Mass. or Livermore, Maine.

He was the treasurer of the N.B. Cordage Co. in 1884. He was a "public man", serving the school committee for several years and in the city government as alderman for a number of years. He was Sunday School Superintendant of the Baptist Church.

Children of Isaac and Olive (Moulton) Benjamin:

4576. Lucy Elvira Benjamin b. September 2, 1865 at New Bedford, Mass.; d. September 26, 1937, age 74; m. December 11, 1893 Rev. Frank Ossler Cunningham at Boston, Mass. He was b. Oct. 26, 1861 at N. Attleboro, Mass. and d. in 1940. They lived at Rockland, Mass. in 1900.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Orren Benjamin Bible records courtsey of Mrs. Raymond Fales of Westford, Mass.; p. 161 His. of Enfield, Mass. Vol. 1, Allen; Gen. of Fam. of Lt. Samuel Benjamin, M.L. Benjamin, 1900.

2571. ELIZABETH ANN BENJAMIN[8] (Isaac[7], John[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born June 30, 1836 at New Bedford, Mass.; the dau of Isaac and Lucy (Eldridge) Benjamin. She married John Lewis Daniels on December 1, 1863 at New Haven, Conn. He was born in 1838 at Franklin, Conn. and died November 2, 1873 at Duluth, Minnesota.

Children of John and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Daniels:

4577. Lizzie Green Daniels b. January 14, 1865 at New Bedford, Mass.; d. October 14, 1870 at Norwich, Conn.

4578. Minnie D. Daniels b. Jan. 1, 1867 at New Bedford; m. Charles Boardman b. Feb. 28, 1863 at Sheffield, Mass.

Resources: Gen. of Fam. of Samuel Benjamin, M.L. Benjamin, 1900.

2573. SAMUEL STOWELL BENJAMIN[8] (Isaac[7], John[6], Abel[5], Jno.[4], Abel[3], Joh[2-1]) born July 6, 1840 at New Bedford, Mass.; the son of Isaac and Lucy (Eldridge) Benjamin;died September 3, 1898 at New Bedford. He married Sarah Jane Holmes on April 4, 1860. She was the dau. of William and Eunice (Negus) Holmes and was born October/November 3, 1842 at New Bedford, Mass. and died April 29, 1905 at New Bedford.

Samuel enlisted in the U.S. Navy on Sept. 12, 1861 as a landsman and was on the Bark "Kingfisher" in the Gulf of Mexico. He enlisted in the Army Sept. 21, 1862 and was

discharged June 4, 1865. He joined the GAR on Feb. 20, 1862 and the Naval Veterans in 1891. He was also a member of the Veteran Fireman's Association.

Children of Samuel and Sarah (Holmes) Benjamin:

4579. Olive Augusta Benjamin b. August 9, 1860 at New Bedford, Mass.; m. July 3, 1882 Frederick Elmer Eldridge, b. July 3, 1863 at New Bedford. They had a son: William L. Forest Eldridge b. April 11 1883 at New Bedford.

4580. Edward Abbey Benjamin b. April 14, 1862 at New Bedford, Mass.; m. October 7, 1886 to Mary Elvira Swift at Lewiston, Maine. She was the dau. of Pelham E. and Lydia (Clapp)(Delano) Swift. She was b. October 6, 1864. They lived at Rochester, Mass. Issue:

1. Isaac Franklin Benjamin b. Dec. 25, 1887 at New Bedford; m. Mary Marsden; resided at Dorchester, Mass. and had: Orrin Edward Benjamin who m. Virginia Merrill and Dorothy Frances Benjamin who m. Roger Hasalbaum.
2. Lucy Marshall Smith Benjamin b. Feb. 8, 1891 at Jamaica Plains, Mass.; m. John Buckley and lived in Rhode Island.
3. Ralph Rodney Benjamin b. Oct. 17, 1892 at Medford, Mass.; m. Christine ---; had: Wilhemenia Benjamin and Elizabeth Benjamin.
4. Edward Samuel Benjamin b. July 27, 1896 at Medford, Mass.; m. Persis ---; had: Edward Benjamin Jr.; Richard Benjamin; and Roger Benjamin.
5. Elmer Clifford Benjamin, a twin, b. July 27, 1896 at Medford, Mass.; m. Eva --- and had son Elmer Jr. He m/2 ? and lived at Roxbury, Mass.
6. Mary Olive Benjamin b. July 15, 1897 at Medford, Mass.
7. Marion Benjamin b. October 1, 1899 at Medford

4581. Sadie Gifford Benjamin b. May 22, 1866 at New Bedford, Mass.; d. March 21, 1949 at Rochester, Mass.; m. January 1, 1887 Elmer E. Phipps at Rochester. He b. April 25, 1861 at Rochester and d. June 17, 1915 at Everett, Mass. She had dau. Olive Blackmen Phipps who m. --- Winslow.

4582. Wilmot Lee Forest Benjamin b. July 22, 1868; d. December 12, 1878 at New Bedford, Mass.

4583. Laura Moulton Benjamin b. February 14, 1871 at New Bedford, Mass.; d. April 11, 1928 at Arlington, Mass.; m. July 22, 1891 Hiram Marshall at New Bedford. He was b. April 12, 1870 at Falls River, Mass. and d. October 21, 1899 at New Bedford. Issue:

1. Ralph Howard Marshall b. Jan. 15, 1892 at New

Bedford, Mass.
2. Earl Howland Marshall b. Feb. 23, 1893.
3. William Marsden Marshall b. Dec. 19, 1894.
4. Hazel May Marshall b. Sept. 12, 1896.
5. Robert Carlton Marshall b. Feb. 27, 1898.

4584. Isaac Franklin Benjamin b. January 11, 1873 at New Bedford, Mass.; d. November 24, 1878.

4585. Nellie May Benjamin b. November 3, 1876; m. February 1, 1896 at New Bedford to Percy C. James who was b. Feb. 2, 1875. Issue:
1. Lucy M. James b. Aug. 11, 1896; d. Aug. 25, 1897.
2. Marion James b. Nov. 15, 1898, d. Dec. 13, 1898.

Resources: Wilson Papers. p. 526 Stowell Gen, Stowell, 1922; p. 434 Gen. Hist. of Am. House of Delano, Delano, 1899.

2575. EBEN BENJAMIN[8] (Ives[7], Joel[6], Caleb[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born probably in Montague, Mass.; the son of Ives and Amorette (Church) Benjamin; died about 1883 at Amherst, Hampshire Co., Mass. He m/1 Susie Roe and m/2 Harriet A. Warriner.
Harriet A. Benjamin, wife, was appointed administrator of the estate of Eber Benjamin of Amherst on March 13, 1883 (Vol. 8B p. 117 Reg. of Deeds, Northampton, Mass.)

Children of Eben Benjamin:

4586. Dell Benjamin b. 1860/1 at Stratford, Vermont; m. April 13, 1884 at Norwich, Vt. (vr) to Bart Leware b. at St. Albens, Vt.

4587. Grace A. Benjamin b. at Chicopee Falls, Mass.; m. George F. Alexander.

Resources: Vermont Vital Records; Vol. 47 p. 334 DAR Lineage Books.

2581. DWIGHT ALEXANDER BENJAMIN[8] (Abel[7], Joel[6], Caleb[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born March 4, 1832 at Montague, Mass.; the son of Abel and Mary (Alexander) Benjamin; died February 25, 1926 at Shelburn, Mass. He married Hattie M. Hale on September 17, 1874 at Bernardston, Mass. She was the dau. of Charles D. and Lucy (Langdon) Hale and was born May 27, 1859 at Bernardston, Mass. and died July 27, 1901 at Greenfield, Mass.

Children of Dwight and Hattie (Hale) Benjamin:

4588. Eugene Wyman Benjamin b. May 11, 1882 at Greenfield Mass.; m. September 2, 1913 Eleanor Jones at Greenfield, Mass.; resided at Shelbourne Falls, Mass. They had:
1. Beverly Allen Benjamin b. Aug. 19,1915 at Greenfield, Mass.; m. June 28, 1941 Eleanor Stoughton Conant, dau. of William C. and

Irene (Perry) Conant.

4589. Dwight Elgin Benjamin b. June 23, 1885 at Greenfield, Mass.; d. February 20, 1960 at Fulton, New York; m. Feb. 24, 1906 Effie M. Elmer of Shelburne Falls, Mass. Issue:
   1. Dorothy May Benjamin b. Feb. 8, 1907 at Buckland, Mass.; m. Oct. 20, 1928 Wilder Harris at Melrose, Mass.
   2. Clarence Eugene Benjamin b. March 13, 1910 at Shelburne, Mass.; m. Oct. 24, 1936 Margaret Parks.
   3. Rodney Elmer Benjamin b. November 29, 1914 at Buckland, Mass.; m. Feb. 3, 1942 Virginia Wier at Indianapolis, Ind.
   4. Margery Nelda Benjamin b. June 6, 1922 at Arrostuck Junction, New Brunswick, Canada; m. Jan. 1, 1945 Donald Walsh at Presque Isle, Maine.

Resources: Records of Eva Prior of Mendham, N.J.; Records of Allen Benjamin of Wayland, Mass.; p. 179 Hale, House, and Related Fam., Jacobus, 1952.

2604. ALMIRON C. BENJAMIN[8] (Samuel[7-6], Caleb[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born at Williamstown, Mass.; the son of Samuel and Harriet (---) Benjamin. He m/1 Cornelia --- who was born in 1831 and m/2 Mary Snyder, who was born in Illinois.

There are court records with his wife's name as Cornelia Benjamin in 1831.

Children of Almiron Benjamin:

4590. Lucy M. Benjamin b. 1868; m. August 21, 1897 William E. Robinson at Pownal, Vt. (vr).

4591. Huldah Benjamin; m. January 26, 1901 Algie Lamphere at Readsboro, Vt. (vr). She is born in Iowa.

4592. Alice Benjamin; m. May 4, 1902 Frank Niles at Stamford, Vt. (vr). She is born at Lincoln, Iowa.

4593. Myrtle Benjamin b. in Iowa; m. August 21, 1908 Philip C. Hopkins at Stamford, Vt. (vr).

Resource: Vital Records of Vermont.

2609. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[8] (Samuel[7-6], Caleb[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) the son of Samuel and Harriet (---) Benjamin. He married Ardel or Axdell ---.

Children of Samuel Benjamin:

4594. Charles M. Benjamin b. October 1848 at Williamstown Mass. (vr).

4595. James Madison Benjamin b. December 21, 1849 at Williamstown, Mass. (vr); m. Jennie E. ---.

Resources: Vital Records of Williamstown, Mass.

2610. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[8] (Samuel[7-6], Caleb[5-4], Abel[3], John[2-1]) born May 13, 1825 at Williamstown, Mass.; the son of Samuel and Harriet (---) Benjamin. He married Veretta Millard on October 20, 1844 at Pownal, Vermont (vr). He m/2 Bertha ---.

Children of Jonathan Benjamin:

4596. Alice M. Benjamin b. 1853/4; m. Nov. 16, 1873 Eber E. Aldrich at Pownal, Vt. (vr) She resided at Williamstown, Mass. at time of m.

4597. A. S. Benjamin b. 1855/6; m/1 ?; m/2 November 1892 Emma L. (Winslow) Mason at Pownal, Vt. (vr). He resided at Williamstown, Mass.

4598. Arthur E. Benjamin b. 1856/7; m. August 10, 1880 Lillian Ford at Pownal, Vt. (vr). He resided at Williamstown, Mass.

Resources: Vermont Vital Records.

2632. WILLIAM BENJAMIN[8] (David[7], James[6], Ben.[5], Samuel[4-3-2], John[1]) born April 29, 1802 in New York; the son of David and Elizabeth (Hicks) Benjamin; died March/May 6, 1892 at Livingston Co., Michigan and buried in the Coughran Cemetery, north of Fowerlerville. He m/1 Abigail Shelby, the dau. of Asahel Shelby. She was born January 12, 1806 and died November 28, 1858, age 52-10-16 (gs). He m/2 Charity ---, born January 18, 1813 and died September 6, 1902.

He was listed in the 1830 census of Clarkston, Monroe Co., New York. He was a farmer and in 1850 worth $1,500. According to a biography of son George David, he had 14 children.

Children of William and Abigail (Shelby) Benjamin:

4599. Seth Benjamin b. November 5, 1829 at Clarkston, Monroe Co., N.Y.; d. February 3, 1890 at Leroy Twp., Ingham, Michigan; m/1 Mary Jane Hoyt, b. February 13, 1834, died June 29, 1869. He m/2 on November 27, 1870 Patience Crandall. She b. March 8, 1853 and d. Jan. 16, 1943.

Children of 1st m.:

1. Aristeen Benjamin b. Feb. 24, 1852; d. Feb. 21, 1920; m. Oct. 10, 1873 Fred Winegar.
2. Frank Benjamin b. 1854; d. 1874; unm.
3. Emma Benjamin b. 1856; d. 1905; m. James Franklin Odell.
4. George Benjamin b. Oct. 1, 1858; d. Nov. 22, 1924; m. Oct. 15, 1893 Rachel Ide.
5. Delos Benjamin b. Oct. 22, 1860; d. Jan. 1, 1890; unm.

Children of 2nd m:

6. Mary Jane Benjamin b. Sept. 26, 1871; d. Oct. 16, 1876.
7. Albert Seth Benjamin b. Sept. 10, 1873; d. March 19, 1956; m. Nov. 5, 1895 Rosa Hoag.

8. Elmer (Bob) Benjamin b. Aug. 22, 1875; d. Feb. 23, 1939; m. Nov. 4, 1895 Cora Cady.
9. Rosa Mae Benjamin b. June 16, 1877; d. July 17, 1946; m. John Davis.
10. Minerva Amelia Benjamin b. July 14, 1879; d. 1901; m. Nov. 4, 1895 Isaac Swan.
11. Eveline Benjamin b. Feb. 18, 1882.
12. Alta Benjamin b. March 16, 1883; d. Oct. 23, 1899.
13. John Walter Benjamin b. June 9, 1885; d. March 10, 1940; m. Nov. 9, 1910 Gertrude Kirkland.
14. Anne Benjamin b. Sept. 17, 1888; d. Sept. 8, 1959; m. Leo Selfridge.
15. Charles Floyd Benjamin b. June 19, 1890; d. Aug. 25, 1956; m. Nov. 3, 1909 Sarah Selfridge.

4600. Elizabeth Benjamin bc. 1833 in Clarkston, N.Y.

4601. Alfreda Benjamin bc. 1835 in Yates Co., N.Y.; m. July 30, 1858 Arad Woodward.

4602. George David Benjamin b. November 29, 1837 at Yates Orleans Co., New York; m. February 12, 1859 Elinor Knowles of Wayne Co., N.Y. He had a farm in Section 33 of Handy Twp., Livingston, Mich. Issue:
1. Burnett B. Benjamin.
2. Edwin Henry Benjamin.

4603. Sally Maria Benjamin bc. 1839 in Michigan; m. Jan. 29, 1857 David Bissell.

4604. Martha Benjamin bc. 1842in Michigan; m. Jan. 1, 1860 William O. Hendryx.

4605. John M. Benjamin bc. 1844; m. Loretta Baulch.

4606. Albert William or William Albert Benjamin b. Jan. 11, 1846 in Michigan; d. March 4, 1925; m. Mary S. Poyer, b. February 15, 1851, d. Feb. 1, 1904. He was a butcher. Issue:
1. Maude May Benjamin b. Mar. 18, 1876; d. Nov. 14, 1939.
2. Almeda Benjamin b. Oct. 11, 1871; d. Oct. 16, 1961.
3. Fame Benjamin b. March 27, 1873; d. Nov. 11, 1961; m. Edwin Potter Carr.
4. Martha (Mattie) Benjamin b. Mar. 3, 1877; m. Harry Showers.
5. Ellen J. Benjamin b. Feb. 17, 1881; m. --- Munyan.
6. LeRoy Benjamin b. Nov. 23, 1879; d. Nov. 27, 1882.

4607. Harriet Amelia Benjamin bc. 1848; m. June 27, 1866 Moses Clark Olds.

4608. Jane Benjamin; m. Will Ray.

Resource: Biog. Album of Livingston Co., Mich.; Research

of Mrs. Azalia Benjamin of Owasso, Michigan.

2633. JOHN BENJAMIN[8] (David[7], James[5], Ben.[5], Samuel[4-3-2], John[1]) born between 1800 and 1810 in New York; marriage and death information unknown.

He was listed in the 1830 census at Clarkston Twp., Monroe Co., New York with his wife born between 1800-10.

Children of John Benjamin:
4609. 1 male b. 1820-25 in N.Y.
4610. 1 male b. 1825-30.
4611. 1 female b. 1825-50.

Resource: Census records.

2634. EUNICE BENJAMIN[8] (David[7], James[6], Ben.[5], Samuel[4-3-2], John[1]) born March 3, 1813 at Yates , Orleans Co., New York; the dau. of David and Elizabeth (Hicks) Benjamin; died in 1895 at Mendon, Michigan. She married Ensign Datis Alvord on October 24, 1833 at Clarkston, N.Y.

In 1862 Eunice was away from her family and in Fowlerville, Handy Twp., Livingston Co., Michigan taking care of her very sick mother.

Children of Ensign and Eunice (Benjamin) Alvord:
4612. Seymour Freeman Alvord b. 1843 in Monroe Co., N.Y.
4613. Almira Elizabeth Alvord.
4614. Cephas Dayton Alvord.
4615. Cebourn Ensign Alvord.
4616. Lucy Ann Alvord.
4617. Charles Chester Alvord.
4618. Sylvester Alvord.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.; p. 683 Desc. & Gen. of Alexander Alvord, Alvord, 1908.

2641. JAMES BENJAMIN[8] (Daniel[7], James[6], Ben.[5], Samuel[4-3-2], John[1]) born March 28, 1809 at Mendon, Monroe Co., New York; the son of Daniel and Elizabeth (Watkins) Benjamin; died August 27, 1890 and buried in Franklin Village, Southfield, Oakland Co., Michigan. He married Jane Masonner born in 1807/8 and died March 6, 1873, age 65 yrs. 8 days. (gs).

He was listed in the 1830 census of Mendon, Monroe Co. New York.

Children of James and Jane (Masonner) Benjamin:
4619. Mary J. Benjamin bc. 1833 in Michigan.
4620. Elizabeth Benjamin bc. 1834.
4621. Alma H. Benjamin bc. 1836; d. Feb. 26, 1872, age 36 yrs. 2 mos. 19 day; m. Edwin R. Adams.
4622. Cordelia Benjamin bc. 1840.
4623. Jerome D. Benjamin bc. 1842; m. Feb. 22, 1876 Lucy Young, the dau. of John Van Ness and Almira (Bab-

bitt) Young, b. 1856 at Grass Lake, Michigan and d. Cecember 31, 1916 and buried in Watsonville, Calif. Issue:

1. Nora Almira Benjamin b. 1876.
2. Mary Viola Benjamin b. 1878.
3. Lucy Belle Benjamin b. 1880.
4. John Alfred Benjamin b. 1882 at Adelaide, Calif.

4624. Harriet Benjamin bc. 1845.
4625. Milton H. Benjamin bc. 1848 in Michigan.
?4626. James R. Benjamin b. Oct. 9, 1833; d. Feb. 5, 1930 buried in the same cemetery as James and Jane.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Azalia Benjamin of Owasso, Michigan; p. 115 Young (Jung) Fam. of Mohawk Valley, Young 1947.

2643. DELSA/DELSEY BENJAMIN[8] (Daniel[7], James[6], Ben.[5], Samuel[4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1815 in New York; the son of Daniel and Elizabeth (Watkins) Benjamin; died August 17, 1876 , age 62 (gs). He is buried in the Benjamin Cemetery at Conway Twp., Livingston Co., Michigan. He married Amelia --- bor about 1819 in N.Y.

He is located in the 1850 census of Conway Twp., Mich.

Children of Delsa and Amelia (---) Benjamin:
4627. Emily Benjamin bc. 1839 in Michigan.
4628. Albert Benjamin bc. 1842.
4629. Sarah Benjamin bc. 1844.
4630. Oliver Benjamin bc. 1846.
4631. Charles Benjamin bc. 1849.
4632. George Benjamin bc. 1853.
4633. America Benjamin.

Resources: Census Records; Research of Mrs. Azalia Benjamin of Owasso, Mich.

2645. CHARLES BENJAMIN[8] (Daniel[7], James[6], Ben.[5], Samuel[4-3-2], John[1]) born about 1822 in New York; the son of Daniel and Elizabeth (Watkins) Benjamin. He is buried in the Benjamin Cemetery at Conway Twp., Livingston Co. Michigan. There is a gravstone, but it has no dates. He m/2 Ursula ---, who was born in 1836 in N.Y. and d. 1865 (gs) and m/1 C. Louisa --- who was born in 1822 and died in 1853. (gs). His two wives are buried with him.

He was listed in the 1860 census at Conway Twp., Livingston Co., Michigan.

Children of Charles and C. Louisa (---) Benjamin:
4634. Henry C. Benjamin bc. 1845 in Michigan.
4635. Alice Benjamin bc. 1849.
4636. Ada Benjamin bc. 1853.

Children of Charles and Ursual (---) Benjamin:

4637. Ellen Benjamin bc. 1856 in Michigan.
4638. Darwin Benjamin bc. 1859.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Azalia Benjamin of Owasso, Michigan; Census records.

2649. ARIEL (ARIAL/RIAL/RIAH) BENJAMIN[8] (Daniel[7], James[6], Ben.[5], Samuel[4-3-2], John[1]) born July 7, 1813 at Farmington, Ontario Co., New York; the son of Daniel and Elizabeth (Watkins) Benjamin; died June 26, 1850. He married Mary Bigelow on August 17, 1834 at Farmington, Michigan. She was the dau.of Abel and Sarah (Clark) Bigelow and was born August 18, 1813 at Batavia, Genesse Co., N.Y. and d. August 22, 1878 at Farmington, Michigan.

He was listed in the 1850 census of Farmington Twp., Oakland Co., Michigan.

Children oa Ariel and Mary (Bigelow) Benjamin:
4639. Levi A. Benjamin b. July 18, 1830 in Michigan; m. June 3, 1862 Sila Stickney.
4640. Mary V. Benjamin b. September 25, 1843; m. Richard Neal.
4641. Olive A. Benjamin b. September 12, 1846; m. Levi C. Rundel.
4642. Charlotte T. Benjamin b. October 5, 1848; m. Chester Rundel.
4643. Electa S. Benjamin b. July 1, 1854; m. 1875 John West.

Resources: p. 530-1 Gen. of Desc. of John White 1838-1900 White, 1900; Hartford Times Jan. 14, 1961; Salt Lake City Family Group Sheet.

2656. JAMES WILLIAM BENJAMIN[8] (James[7-6], Ben.[5], Samuel[4-3-2], John[1]) (James H. Benjamin on g.s.) born September 26, 1811 in Saratoga Co., New York; the son of James and Sarah (---) Benjamin; died June 15, 1881 (g.s.) age 70 and is buried in the Galway Cemetery. He was bapt. December 7, 1811 at the Gallway Church (United Presb.) at West Charlton, New York. He married Minerva D. --- in 1822. She was born in 1827 and died August 26, 1892, age 65 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

His will was proved August 7, 1882 (#9-301.) and all his heirs were dead except James D. and Electa.

He was listed in the 1850 census at Galway, Saratoga Co., N.Y. and in the 1860 census at Broadalbin, Fulton Co., N.Y. He is listed in the Mont. and Fulton Co. Directory of 1869-70 at Broadalbin as a farmer.

Children of James and Minerva (---) Benjamin:
4644. Esther E. Benjamin bc. 1842/3; m. March 6, 1860 at Amerstam, Fulton Co., N.Y. to Allen Husted of Galway and resided at Broadabin, N.Y.
4645. Charles Edgar Benjamin bc. 1844/5; died March 8,

1920 at Amsterdam, Montgomery Co., N.Y. The name of his wife is unknown. He also resided in New York City. Issue:

1. Harry S. Benjamin of Gloversville, N.Y.
2. Jessie B. Benjamin; m. --- Sherry.
3. Ellis W. Benjamin.

4646. James DeWitt Benjamin bc. 1848; resided at West Troy, N.Y.

4647. Electra (Eleda) E. Benjamin bc. 1849; d. 1925 (gs) buried in the same cemetery as her parents; m. Marvin Clifford.

4648. Axsie (Dyette) Benjamin b. 1855; m. --- Quant and resided at Johnstown, N.Y.

4649. Minerva Benjamin b. 1858; m. --- Vines and resided at Esperance, Schoharie Co., N.Y.

Resources: Cemetery Records; Census Records.

2661. JOHN LANSING BENJAMIN[8] (Seth[7], James[6], Ben.[5], Samuel[4-3-2], John[1]) born December 8, 1827 at Saratoga Co.,New York; the son of Seth and Sarah (Watkins) Benjamin; died April 1, 1899 at Romeo, Michigan and is buried there. He married Jane A. Lufkin on December 16, 1850, the dau. of Varnum and Berantha (Chase) Lufkin. She was born February 8, 1834 and died May 28, 1914 at Romeo, Michigan.

He was a merchant and farmer.

Children of John and Jane (Lufkin) Benjamin:

4650. Arthur Benjamin b. April 27, 1852 at Romeo, Mich.; d. October 29, 1891; m. September 18, 1872 Helen Morrison of Lakeview, Mich. She died January 1945. Issue:

1. Victor Benjamin b. 1873; d. June 7, 1946 at Los Angles, Calif.; m. Caroline Welte and had no issue.
2. Tremia Benjamin b. 1882; m. Oct. 1906 Dr. Charles Wright. He d. 1940 in Los Angles, CA

4651. Florence Benjamin b. Sept. 16, 1853; m. March 2, 1874 Horatio N. Smith.

4652. Varnum Benjamin b. May 3, 1855; d. May 20, 1872;unm

4653. Jennie L. Benjamin b. August 10, 1858; d. Dec. 18, 1863.

4654. Frank C. Benjamin b. June 8, 1867; m. Dec. 14, 1885 Cora A. Shaw.

4655. John L. Benjamin b. September 26, 1869; d. September 1929; m. June 12, 1895 Cecilia Leckie.

4656. Ira Hiland Benjamin b. July 22, 1871; m. June 16, 1897 Amy Stoughton; m/2 Margarite (McIntee) Bray.

4657. Morita Benjamin b. Aug. 17, 1872; d. Sept. 21, 1872

4658. Emily Spencer Benjamin b. January 24, 1876; d. February 13, 1936; m. Feb. 13, 1936 Fred M. Churchill; no issue.

Resources: Record and research of Ira H. Benjamin (above)

courtsey of Mrs. Blanche L. Beardslee of Clarkston, Mich.

2666. ELIZABETH AUGUSTA BENJAMIN[8] (Asher[7-6], Samuel[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born January 4, 1800 at Boston, Mass.; the dau. of Asher and Achsah (Hitchock) Benjamin; died June 22, 1877 at Springfield, Mass. She married William Bliss of Springfield, Mass. on July 1, 1828. He was the son of Jacob and Mary (Collins) Bliss and was born March 29, 1797 and died March 3, 1838.

He was a graduate of Harvard and studied law.

Children of William and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Bliss:
4659. Ellen Augusta Bliss b. June 11, 1830; d. 1853.
4660. Harriet L. Bliss b. August 2, 1833; unm.; resided at Springfield, Mass.
4661. William Bliss b. December 11, 1834 at Springfield.

Resources: p. 163 Bliss Fam. Gen., Bliss, 1881.

2674. ABIGAIL BENJAMIN[8] (Elizur[7], Samuel[6-5-4-3-2], John[1]) born February 1, 1813 at Hartland, Conn.; the dau. of Elizur and Polly (Case) Benjamin; died January 18, 1890. She married Anson L. Holcomb of Simsbury, Conn., a cousin, on March 31 1831 at Granby, Conn. (cr 2-161)(Simsbury, Conn. vr 1-7). He was the son of Ozias and Pattie (Benjamin) Holcomb.

Children of Anson and Abigail (Benjamin) Holcomb:
4662. Charles B. Holcomb; resided at Tarrifville, Conn.

Resource: Holcombs, Nation Builders, McPherson, 1947.

2678. MARTHA (POLLY) BENJAMIN[8] (Elizur[7], Samuel[6-5-4-3-2], John[1]) born either February 10, 1815 or Feb. 10, 1823 at Hartland Conn. (earlier date seems more likely); the dau. of Elizur and Polly (Case) Benjamin; died December 16, 1892/3 at Granby, Conn. and is buried in the Granby Cemetery, lot #2-35. She married Charles P. Clark of E. Granby, Conn. on March 23, 1836 at Granby, Conn. (vr 1-21). He was the son of Horace and Hannah (Forward) Clark and was born Jan./Feb. 13, 1815 and died March 3, 1895.

Children of Charles and Martha (Benjamin) Clark:
4663. Walter F. Clark b. July 10, 1837 at Granby, Conn.
4664. Charles H. Clark b. March 9, 1839.
4665. Pickney Benjamin Clark b. November 6, 1840.
4666. Nancy Sheldon Clark b. October 11, 1842.

Resources: p. 154 Hist. of Ancient Windsor, Stiles; p. 187 and 128 Clark Gen, Emma Walton, 1913.

2682. MARTHA SYBIL BENJAMIN[8] (Daniel[7], Samuel[6-5-4-3-2], John[1]) born December 18, 1824 at Granby, Conn.; the dau. of Daniel and Harriet (Moore) Benjamin; died July 28, 1854 at North Granby, Conn. She married Rev. William Wallace Hebbard on

January 30, 1845 at Granby, Conn. (vr).
Occasionally Hebbard was spelled Hubbard, but not originally.

Children of William and Martha (Benjamin) Hebbard:
4667. Dr. Cola Hebbard of Boston, Mass.
4668. Colden Hebbard; who died young.
4669. Emeretta Benjamin Hebbard; d. 1895 at Granby, Conn. unm.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Barbour Collection of Conn. Vital Records.

2687. SAMUEL R. BENJAMIN[8] (Samuel[7-6-5-4-3-2], John[1]) bapt. October 31, 1856, as an adult, at Granby, Conn. First Congregational Church (cr 4-91); the son of Samuel and Asenath (Holcomb) Benjamin; and was still alive in 1900. He married Mary E. Williams of Southington, Conn. on October 18, 1866 at Southington, Conn. (cr 3-168). He bc. 1842 at Granby.

In 1898 he was the general agent for the Hartford Steam Boiler Company. He and his wife were members of the Granby First Cong. Church on June 20, 1859 (cr 5-241) and he was admitted on profession on September 6, 1857. She was admitted from Southington on July 14, 1867 (cr 5-25). Later they were dismissed to a church in South Granby.

Children of Samuel and Mary (Williams) Benjamin:
4670. Gertrude Benjamin; bp. 1869 at Granby First Cong. Church (cr 5-51); died in infancy.
4671. Scott R. Benjamin bp. 1869 at Granby First Cong. Church (cr 5-51); m. Mabel Holmes; resided in Hartford, Conn.
4672. Howard W. Benjamin; m. Della Smith; resided in Windsor, Conn. He was admitted Jan. 5, 1869 from Asylum Hill Church at Hartford to the First Church at Windsor (cr 3-285).
4673. Agnes Benjamin b. 1871; m. Jan. 8, 1891, John F. Gibson, M.D. at Hartford (vr); resided Cleveland.
4674. David Benjamin; resided at Windsor, Conn.

Resources: Wilson Papers, which included a letter Samuel R. wrote in 1898; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church Record

2693. ELIAS P. (?PALMER) BENJAMIN[8] (Jos.[7], Wm.[6], Jos.[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1801 probably in Saratoga Co., New York; the son of Joseph and Rebecca (Palmer) Benjamin; died October 11, 1887, age 86 yrs. (gs) at Angelica, Allegany Co., New York and buried there in lot #107. He married Mary Ann --- who was born in 1810 and died February 14, 1878, age 68 years (gs).

They were members of the Baptist Church and lived in Allegnay Co, N.Y. when they were first married. He was located in the 1850 census in Belfast Twp., in the 1860 census in Granger Twp., and in the 1880 census of Allen

Twp., all of Allegany Co., New York.

Children of Elias and Mary (---) Benjamin:

4675. Abigail Benjamin bc. 1831.
4676. Emily Benjamin bc. 1832.
4677. Rebecca Benjamin bc. 1836.
4678. George W. Benjamin bc. 1838; resided at Nickerson, Kansas at time of father's death.
4679. Harriet A. Benjamin bc. 1841.
4680. William H. Benjamin bc. 1843/4; d. 1916 (gs) and buried in same lot as father; m. Sarah E. Phippen b. 1849, d. 1933 (gs). Issue:
  1. Winnie Benjamin d. June 6, 1880, age 3-9-2.
  2. Eddie D. Benjamin d. May 17, 1888, age 1-10-26 (gs).
  3. Fred C. Benjamin b.1882, d. 1949 at Angelica, N.Y. and buried in same lot as grandfather; m Lulu ---. Issue:
    a. Lawrence Benjamin; of Louisville, Kentucky
    b. Chester Benjamin; of Portville, N.Y.
    c. Henry Benjamin of Olean, N.Y.
    d. Carl Benjamin of Olean, N.Y.
    e. Orville Benjamin of Portville, N.Y.
    f. Elsworth Benjamin of Cuba, N.Y.
    g. Elias Benjamin; of Binghamton, N.Y.
    h. dau. m. Everett Hoffman of Angelica, N.Y.
    i. dau. m. Gilbert Meiser of Bradford, Penn.
    j. dau. m. Lewis Vaughn of Portville, N.Y.
    k. dau. m. Marshall Brunell of Olean, N.Y.
    l. dau. m. James Lewis of Obi, N.Y.
4681. Elmira C. Benjamin, a twin, bc. 1843/4; m. Amos White of Angelica, N.Y.
4682. Mary G. Benjamin bc. 1847.
4683. Elias A. Benjamin bc. 1849; dc. 1907; m. Helen L. ---; had dau. Lena Benjamin; resided at Belfast.
4684. Alice Benjamin bc. 1853; m. --- Johnson and resided at Interlaken, N.Y.

One of the above daus. m. Andrew Smalley of Friendship, New York.

One of the above daus. m. Judson Todd of Friendship New York.

Resources: Cemetery Records; Records of Beatrice M. Keller of Olean, N.Y.; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

2694. JARED BENJAMIN[8] (Jos.[7], Wm.[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1803 in Saratoga Co., New York; the son of Joseph and Rebecca (Palmer) Benjamin; died in 1892 (gs), and buried in the Belfast Cemetery in Allegany Co., New York. He married Grace --- who was born in 1806 and died 1892 (g.s.) and is buried with her husband.

He was a farmer and located in the 1850 and 1860 census of Belfast Twp., Allegany Co., New York.

Children of Jared and Grace (---) Benjamin:

4685. Joseph P. Benjamin b. 1828; d. 1909 (gs) and buried in the Belfast Cem.; m. Lois (Louisa) M. b. 1834 and d. 1911 (gs). Issue:
   1. Eugene Benjamin bc. 1858; d. Nov. 14, 1863(gs)
   2. Isabelle G. Benjamin b. 1861; d. 1936. (gs)
   3. Pearle P. Benjamin b. 1875; d. 1943 (gs).

4686. Mary E. Benjamin bc. 1830.

4687. Charles D. Benjamin bc. 1836; m. Eliza ---.

4688. Reuben F. Benjamin b. 1939; d. 1931 (gs); m/1 Esther Howell b. 1844; d. March 11, 1890, age 46 (gs); m/2 Ellen --- b. 1852; d. 1932 (gs). They are all buried in the Belfast Cem. Issue:
   1. George E. Benjamin bc. 1874.
   2. Delbert C. Benjamin bc. 1878; had sons Roy Benjamin of Angelica, N.Y. and Leon W. Benjam in of Cuba, N.Y.
   3. Frank L. Benjamin bc. 1879.

4689. Eunice R. Benjamin bc. 1842.

Resources: Cemetery and Census records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

2696. GAMALIEL BENJAMIN[8] (Joseph[7], Wm.[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born October 7, 1806 in Saratoga Co., New York; the son of Joseph and Rebecca (Palmer) Benjamin; died May 4, 1894(gs) and buried in the Interlaken Cemetery in Seneca Co., New York. He married Eliza Ann Reese, the dau. of John and Letitia L. (Winchell) Reese. She was born March 4, 1813 and died March 17, 1885 at Belfast, N.Y. and is buried with her husband.

He was a farmer and located in the 1850 census at Angelica Twp., Allegany Co., N.Y. and later lived in Covert Twp., Seneca Co., N.Y.

In 1847 Joseph P. Benjamin sold land to Elias P., Jared, William A., and Gamaliel Benjamin, all of Belfast Twp. Also in 1847 Gamaliel and wife Eliza Ann Benjamin and William A. and wife Harriet Benjamin sold land to Jared and Elias P. Benjamin.

Children of Gamaliel and Eliza (Reese) Benjamin:

4690. Adaline Benjamin bc. 1835.

Resources: p. 486 Winchell Gen., Winchell, 1917; 1894 Business Directory of Seneca Co, N.Y.

2697. EUNICE BENJAMIN[8] (Joseph[7], Wm.[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born November 9, 1813 in Saratoga Co., New York; the dau. of Joseph and Rebecca (Palmer) Benjamin; died July 1905 at Bradford, Illinois. She married Andrew Britton on December 24, 1835.

They were members of the Baptist Church and lived in Allegany Co. when they were first married. Later they

moved to Illinois, where they remained.

Children of Andrew and Eunice (Benjamin) Britton:
4691. Ira Britton.
4692. Hannah S. Britton b. June 9, 1838; d. April 9, 1911 m. March 4, 1856 Washington Fulkuson; resided in Bradford, Illinois.
4693. Sarah Britton.
4694. Rebecca Britton.
4695. Mary Britton.
4696. Andrew Britton Jr.
4697. Samuel Britton.
4698. George Britton.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Phil Crane of Bremerton, Wash.; Records of Mrs. Homer G. Hill of Rockford, Illinois.

2698. WILLIAM A. BENJAMIN[8] (Jos.[7], Wm.[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1813 in Saratoga Co., New York; the son of Joseph and Rebecca (Palmer) Benjamin. He married Caroline ---, who was born about 1820.

He was a lumberman and listed in the 1850 census at Belfast Twp., Allegany Co., N.Y.

Children of William and Caroline (---) Benjamin:
4699. Edmond A. Benjamin bc. 1846.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

2709. RIAL (ROYAL) BENJAMIN[8] (Jared[7], Wm.[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1809 at Cayauga Co., New York; the son of Jared and Nancy (Hemingway) Benjamin. His death date is unknown He married Sarah Ann ---.

He came to Jasper Co., Indiana about 1841 and was one of the first pioneers of that area. He was listed as coroner in 1888. He is listed as Royal Benjamin in the 1830 census of Ross Co., Ohio and in the 1840 census of Wayne Twp., Fayette Co., Ohio. He was a member of the 48th Regt of Indiana Volunteers in the Civil War.

Children of Rial and Sarah (---) Benjamin:
4700. Mary Catherine Benjamin.
4701. Ruth Ann Benjamin.
4702. Joshua C. Benjamin.
4703. Eliza Benjamin.
4704. Drusilla Benjamin; d. Nov.13, 1850, age 14-1-15; is buried in the Weston Cemetery of Rensalaer, Ind.
4705. Mary Jane Benjamin, a twin, bc. 1835.
4706. Sarah Elizabeth Benjamin; d. Sept. 9, 1852, age 13-10-14; buried in Weston Cemetery in Indiana.
4707. Charles Ross Benjamin b. in Brown Co., Ohio.
4708. Margaret Amelia Benjamin.
4709. Clara Benjamin.
4710. Rial P. Benjamin.
4711. Caddie Benjamin.

4712. Charles Ross Benjamin bc. 1843 at Brown Co., Ohio; mc. 1868 to Lelita Sawyer; served in the Civil War; Had: Ray Benjamin and Maud Benjamin.

Resources: Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.; Records of Mrs. H. M. McCurdy of Washington Court House, Ohio; Records of Miss Helen Curtner of Kingman, Kansas.

2711. PHOEBE BENJAMIN[8] (Jared[7], Wm.[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born February 22, 1819 at Wayne Twp., Fayette Co., Ohio; the dau. of Jared and Mary (Hemingway) Benjamin; died December 9, 1907 at Fayette Co., Ohio. She m/1 John Pipper before December 1738, and he died soon after the marriage. She m/2 David Nowels on March 1842.

John Pipper went to a near by community to pay the taxes, was lost in a snow storm, and died. His body was found in the woods the next spring. David Nowels was a Baptist preacher.

Children of David and Phoebe (Benjamin) Nowels:

4713. Jared Nowels b. August 29, 1843; d. Dec. 29, 1843.
4714. Ezra C. Nowels b. January 30, 1845; d. Oct. 25,1868
4715. William R. Nowels b. August 2, 1846; m/1 Sarah Busy; m/2 Emma Rock.
4716. Charles D. Nowels b. November 14, 1847; m. Margaret Jane Burns.
4717. Mary Ellen Nowels b. November 9, 1849; d. June 24, 1914; m. Henry Grow.
4718. Eliza Jane Nowels b. July 1, 1852; d. 1854.
4719. Eliza Jane Nowels b. April 1, 1854; d. March 30,1860
4720. David B. Nowels b. Marvh 5, 1856; m. Sarah E. Burke
4721. Ida A. Nowels b. January 14, 1859; m. 1880 Robert Randall.

Resources: Records of Mrs. H. M. McCurty of Washington Court House, Ohio.

2712. JARED/DAVID JARED BENJAMIN[8] (Jared[7], Wm.[6], Jos.[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born October 10, 1820 at Wayne Township, Fayette Co., Ohio the son of Jared and Mary (Hemingway) Benjamin; died August 16, 1906 in Newton Twp., Jasper Co., Indiana. He was buried on his own land, but his body was removed to Rock Mills Cemetery when a new road was built. He married/1 Lettie Halstead on September 10, 1848. She was born August 8, 1824 at Crawford Co., Ohio and died June 17, 1917. He m/2 on October 31, 1858 Sarah A. Sayler.

Children of Jared and Lettie (Halstead) Benjamin:

4722. Mary Benjamin b. August 8, 1850; d. Nov. 18, 1858.
4723. Clarissa Benjamin b. August 6, 1853; d. Nov. 8,1858
4724. Theresa E. Benjamin b. June 17, 1849; d. Feb. 1948; m. September 10, 1872 John E. Martindale and had: Jared Martindale and Nina Martindale.
4725. Martha (Mattie) Benjamin b. March 15, 1852.

Resources: Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

2713. SAMUEL H. BENJAMIN[8] (Jared[7], Wm.[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born between 1810-20; the son of Jared and Mary (Hemingway) Benjamin; died in 1895 at Warsaw, Indiana. He m/1 Amelia (Emelia) Cockerill (Cockwell) on June 7, 1836 at Washington Court House, Ohio. She was born 1816 in N.Y. or Ohio and died April 1, 1849, age 32-11-1 at Newton Twp., Sayler Co., Indiana. He m/2 Elizabeth Price.

He purchased land in Newton Township in May 1840 and helped form the Brook settlement in 1832. He invented the first corn cracker in the country. He served in the Civil War. In Washington Court House, Ohio land records, on Sept. 26, 1839 he bought land from Phebe Piper, his sister (N:651).

Children of Samuel and Amelia (Cockerill)Benjamin:

4726. Mary Emelia Benjamin b. 1842; d. Feb. 11, 1854; age 7-11 yrs. at Sayler Co., Indiana.

4727. Sarah E. Benjamin b. 1843; d. April 4, 1848, age 5-1-28 at Sayler Co., Ind.

4728. Phoebe Benjamin; m. James Yeomen.

Resources: Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

2726. ZINA HITCHCOCK BENJAMIN[8] (Samuel[7-6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born about 1804 in Brideport, Vermont; the son of Samuel Clark and Anna (Bosworth) Benjamin; bapt. May 31, 1804 at Bridport; died November 16, 1865, age 58, at Rochester, Monroe Co., New York. He married Jeannette Clark on September 28, 1833, the dau. of a well known contractor, who came from Chester, Vermont. She died March 22, 1880.

He came to New York State about 1825-30 from Addison Co., Vt. He was listed as a Mason in Rochester in 1852.

Children of Zina and Jeannette (Clark) Benjamin:

4729. Samuel Clark Benjamin b. August 26, 1834; m. Oct. 1854 at Charlotte, N.Y. to Elmira Ann Newcomb, dau. of Henry B. and Philocha (Clark) Newcomb of Charlotte, Monroe Co., N.Y. She was b. March 5, 1838 at Charlotte and d. August 13, 1856 at Rochester, N.Y., age 18-4-6. He moved to Cincinnati, Ohio and had a son living in Chevy Chase, Maryland.

4730. Frances Antoinette Benjamin b. January 24, 1837; m. January 24, 1860 Anderson D. Johnson of Mason Co. Kentucky and resided in Cincinnati, Ohio. She had a dau., Frances Benjamin Johnson.

4731. Cornelia Juliaette Benjamin b. June 13, 1839; m. C. J. Hogan and resided in Washington, D.C.
(Note: Wallace Payne says the girl's marriages should be reversed. Frances m. Hogan and Cornelia m. Johnson, otherwise the info is correct.)

Resources: Records of Wallace Payne of Bridport, Vt.; p. 159 Hugh Clark 1640-1866, Clark; Wilson Papers; p. 218 Early Settlers of New York State, Vol. 4; p. 345 Hist. of Woodstock, Vermont; p. 458 Newcomb Gen., Newcomb, 1923; Bosworth Gen.

2728. SAMUEL FRANKLIN BENJAMIN[8] (Samuel[7-6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) the son of Samuel Clark and Anna (Bosworth) Benjamin; bapt May 3, 1813 at Bridport, Vermont. His marriage and death data is unknown.

He lived, for a time, at 10 Harrison Street, in Syracuse, New York.

Children of Samuel Franklin Benjamin:
4732. Frances Benjamin.
4733. Addie Benjamin; m. --- Batson of California.

Resources: Records of Wallace Payne of Bridport, Vt.

2737. WILLIAM JUDD BENJAMIN[8] (Clement[7], Sam.[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born in Canton, St. Lawrence Co., New York in 1823/4; the son of Clement and Betsey (Judd) Benjamin; died February 27, 1905, age 81/2; at West Stockholm, St. Lawrence Co., New York. He is buried in the West Stockholm Cemetery. He married Ann (Annis)M./H. Gurley about 1853, the dau. of either John Swift and Nancy (Spink) Gurley or Joshua and Lydia (Merrick) Gurley. She was born about 1830 in New York and died in 1892 at W. Stockholm and is buried with her husband. (Note: The Cleveland Gen. says he m. Anna Moore.)

He was a farmer and produce dealer and proprietor of the firm W. J. Benjamin and Son of W. Stockholm. He was the owner of the farm occupied by Clement Benjamin in 1850 and owned by Nathaniel Benjamin in 1860 and 1864.

Children of William and Ann (Gurley) Benjamin:
4734. Adella F. Benjamin b. 1854/5; d. 1867 and buried in the W. Stockholm Cemetery.
4735. Florence A. Benjamin b. 1858/9 in N.Y.; d. unm. in 1938 at Potstam, N.Y.; a school teacher; buried in the W. Stockholm Cemetery.
4736. Wallace William Benjamin b. 1861/2 in St. Lawrence Co., N.Y.; d. June 1931 at W. Medford, Mass.; m. March 12, 1885 to Marilla Holmes Culver; the dau. of James Wilson and Marilla (Holmes) Culver. She was b. 1859 at Stockholm Twp., N.Y.and d. 1896 at Medford, Mass. and buried in the W. Stockholm Cem. He m/2 Edith Gleason in 1898 at Medford, Mass. She b. 1867 at Medford and d. 1938 at W. Medford, Mass. William was a member of the firm of Farmsworth, Benjamin, and Mills of Boston. They were produce brokers and one of the founders of the First National Stores, a grocery chain.

Issue of 1st m.:

1. Ruth Marilla Benjamin b. March 10, 1891 at Medford, Mass.; d. April. 23, 1964 Mountinburg, Ark.; m. 1921 Guy Scudder; had one son.
2. Ralph Benjamin bc. 1894; d. 1906; buried in the W. Medford Cem.
3. Harrold Culver Benjamin bc. 1889 in Medford, Mass.; d. 1961 in Florida; mc. 1920 in Minn. to Vera ---; had 1 son; was a cheese manuf. in Pipestone, Minn.

Issue of 2nd m.:

4. Charlotte Benjamin bc. 1904; d. 1965 in Germany; m. Gustav Fuhrmann; professor at Heidelberg University in Germany; no issue.

4737. Charles W. Benjamin b. 1863; d. 1869.

4738. William Judd Benjamin Jr. b. 1866; d. 1875.

4739. Stanley Danforth Benjamin b. 1870/1 at W. Stockholm N.Y.; d. 1923 at W. Stockholm; m. Lillian McCauslin (McCausland), b. at Russell, N.Y. in 1880, d. 1968 at W. Stockholm, N.Y., dau. of John and Sybil (---) McCausland. He was a merchant. Issue

1. William John Benjamin b. Oct. 14, 1904; m. Ruth Emma Anderson; resided at W. Stockholm, N.Y.; a cheese manufacturer; had 4 children.

Resources: Records of David Scudder of Springfield, Virginia; Hist. of St. Lawrence Co., N.Y.; p. 158 Philander Cleveland Gen.

2738. NATHANIEL BENJAMIN[8] (Clement[7], Sam.[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1825 at Canton, St. Lawrence Co., New York; the son of Clement and Betsey (Judd) Benjamin; died in 1912 at Southville, Stockholm Twp., St. Lawrence Co., New York and is buried in the Southville Cemetery. He married Elizabeth M. --- about 1858. She was born in 1833 and died 1912 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Children of Nathaniel and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin:

4740. Freddie J. Benjamin b. 1859, d. 1863 (gs) and buried in the Southville Cemetery.

4741. Frank S. Benjamin b. 1871; d. 1922 at Southville, N.Y. and buried in the Southville Cemetery; m. Agnes M. --- b. 1871, d. 1922 (gs) and is buried with her husband. He was a farmer.

Resoure: Records of David Scudder of Springfield, Va.

2741. MINER (MINOR) BENJAMIN[8] (Miner[7], Sam.[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born November 27, 1817 in Penn.; the son of Miner Benjamin died June 6, 1863 at Vestal, Broome Co., New York and is buried in the Vestal Cemetery. He married Patience Baker, born October 12, 1819, d. March 12, 1906 at Vestal, N.Y. She m/2 --- Talmage.

He was located in the 1855 census of Vestal, Broome Co., New York, was a farmer, and had been in the area for 19 years. (1836).

Children of Miner and Patience (Baker) Benjamin:

4742. Nathaniel (Than) Benjamin bc. 1840 at Broome Co., N.Y.; was married twice. He had dau. Orphelia Benjamin who m. --- Nichols with the first m. and with 2nd m. had: Miner Benjamin, Patience Benjamin; and George Benjamin.

4743. Amelia Benjamin b. 1842; m. John Baty, son of Ransome and Harriet (Benjamin) Baty; had 2 sons: Lee Baty and Don Baty and one dau. Mrs. Fred James of Endicott, N.Y. (See #2753.)

4744. George A. Benjamin bc. 1845; m. Katie C. Russell, b. August 12, 1847, d. Dec. 12, 1884. He d. June 14, 1895, age 51, at Vestal, N.Y. He was a soldier in the Civil War.

4745. Eliza (Net) Benjamin b. 1848; m. --- Wilcox. She had dau. Sarah Wilcox who m. --- Haight.

4746. Miner Benjamin b. October 26, 1851 at Broome Co., N.Y.; d. September 28, 1887 at Vestal, N.Y. He m/1 Permelia Howard b. Oct. 26, 1851, d. Sept. 28, 1887 and had son William Lonsberry Benjamin b. August 15, 1877 at Vestal Center, N.Y., d. March 3, 1955 at Sayre, Pa, m. Apr. 13, 1904 Lena Donnelly. Miner m/2 Dessie Gates and had a son: Fred Benjamin. He m/3 Jennie Gates and had son: Everett Benjamin who resided in Fairmont Park in 1968. He m/4 Lucy Gunn. He was her 2nd husband.

4747. Allen Benjamin; marriage rec. unknown; had sons: Will Benjamin who had dau. Ruth Benjamin who m. Tuthill Binghamton and Rex Benjamin. Will resided in Johnson City, Pa. Allen also had son Cyrus Benjamin, who had Francis Benjamin and May Benjamin.

Resource: Records of Mrs. John Baty of Owego, N.Y.

2746. LOIS S. BURNET[8] (Polly[7], Sam.[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born May 4, 1808 at Canton, St. Lawrence Co., New York; the dau of Reuben and Polly (Benjamin) Burnet. She married Oliver Carver on March 25, 1824. He was born September 14, 1801 in New York and died September 1, 1853 at Fairdale, DeKalb Co., Illinois. They had 13 children.

Children of Oliver and Lois (Burnet) Carver:

4748. Clarinda Carver b. March 9, 1826; d. August 30, 1884 at Concordia, Kansas; m. February 15, 1842 Ansel Thurman Ames. They had 12 children, one of whom was Edith Edna Ames, who m. Robert H. Crum.

4749. Benjamin Erastus Carver b. Sept. 2, 1827; d. Jan. 4, 1906 at Seattle, Washington; m. Persis Gorham

and had a dau. Lois Belle Carver.

4750. William Burnet Carver b. Oct. 7, 1829; d. March 21, 1851 at Placerville, Calif. He was called "Burn".

4751. Daniel Lewis Carver; m. twice; had: Alice and Mary Carver.

4752. Pholorous Carver b. June 29, 1834; d. Aug. 29, 1862 buried at Fairdale, Ill.

4753. Harriet Emily Carver b. Dec. 21, 1836; d. Jan. 5, 1863; m. --- O'Rourke.

4754. Victoria Carver b. May 27, 1838; d. June 1921; m. Nelson Gull; no issue.

4755. Loren Carver b. March 16, 1841.

4756. Henry Carver b. 1843; killed in the Civil War.

4757. Charles Carver b. May 4, 1848; d. Sept. 2, 1846.

4758. "Lote" Carver; killed in a mine accident in Calif.

4759. John Ransom Carver b. Dec. 8, 1851; d. Jan. 17,1855

Resources: Miner Gen., Fred Miner; records of Mrs John E. Daniels of Marine City, Michigan.

2753. HARRIET BENJAMIN[8] (Nathan.[7], Sam.[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born July 6, 1816; the dau. of Nathaniel and Amy (Winans); died March/May 6, 1862 at Vestal, Broome Co., New York. She married Ransom Baty in 1832. He was the son of John Baty, a linen maker from Ireland. He was born May 16, 1806 and died November 29, 1892.

Children of Ransom and Harriet (Benjamin) Baty:

4760. John Baty b. July 11, 1840 at Vestal, N.Y.; d. December 9, 1901 at Vestal; m. July 12, 1862 Amelia Benjamin, dau. of Miner Benjamin. (See #4743.) They had:
   1. Lee Baty b. Oct. 10, 1862 at Vestal, N.Y.; m. Minnie Gates.
   2. Don Van Duzen Baty.

4761. Ransom Baty.

4762. Rill Aurelia Baty.

4763. Mary Baty.

4764. Amelia Baty.

4765. Elias Baty.

4766. Flint Baty.

Resources: Records of Mrs. John Baty of Owego, N.Y.

2754. ALLEN BENJAMIN[8] (Nath.[7], Samuel[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born September 18, 1821 at Vestal, Broome Co., New York; the son of Nathaniel and Amy (Wians) Benjamin. He married Louisa Murdock on February 2, 1847 at Vestal. She was born February 22, 1823 in Broome Co., N.Y.

He was listed in the 1855 census of Vestal, Broome Co, N.Y.; a farmer.

Children of Allen and Louisa (Murdock) Benjamin:

4767. Samuel M. Benjamin b. February 12, 1849 at Broome

Co., N.Y. (vr).

4768. Nathaniel Benjamin b. March 10, 1851 at Broome Co., N.Y. (vr).

Resources: p. 692 Gen.of Cleveland Fam, Edmund Cleveland, 1899; June 1972 issue of Tree Talks.

2757. FLORA FINETTE BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Sam.[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born April 10, 1827 at Bridport, Vermont (vr 3-262); the dau. of William Bott and Sally (Williams) Benjamin; died November 20, 1854 at Bridport, Vt. and is buried in the Central Cemetery. She married Charles Nicols Rice on April 10, 1849, the son of Dr. Martin Grow Gay and Rebecca (Sadler) Rice. He was born December 22, 1823 and died in 1908 at either Richmond, Wisconsin or San Diego, Calif. He m/2 Theresa A. Helens.

Children of Charles and Flora (Benjamin) Rice:

4769. Martin Gay Rice b. May 25, 1850; went to Richmond, Wisconsin with his father; later resided in Rushville, Ill. in 1882.

4770. Joel E. Rice b. November 26, 1851.

4771. Ella Rice b. July 1854; d. Nov. 4, 1857; buried beside mother in Bridport Central Cemetery.

Resources: p. 345 Hist. of Woodstock, Vt., Bowen; Bridport Vt. Vital Records; Research of Wallace Payne of Bridport, Vt.

2758. WILLIAM WALLACE BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Sam.[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born September 8, 1830 at Bridport, Vermont (vr 3-266); the son of William Bott and Sally (Williams) Benjamin;died July 19, 1882 at Ossining,Rockland Co., New York, and is buried in the Dale Cemetery. He m/1 Delia Ann Flint of Newark, New Jersey on August 5, 1863. He m/2 Jennie Niles Gardiner, the dau. of Hugh Brodie and Mary Elizabeth (Niles) Gardiner, born September 9, 1856. She m/2 James Atwater Trowbridge on April 30, 1884 at Plainfield, New Jersey. He was born June 6, 1843 at New Haven, Conn. and resided in New York City. He had m/1 Kate Bloodgood.

William received a military education at Norwich University, Vermont and served 3 years as principle of the Acadamy at Pembroke, New Hampshire and one year as professor of Math and Military Tatics at the Millitary College at Brandywine Springs, Delaware. Then he became connected with the Mt. Pleasant Military Academy. He was president of the First National Bank at SingSing New York and President of the SingSing Gas Company.

Children of William and Delia (Flint) Benjamin:

4772. William Wallace Benjamin Jr.; m. Florence Almira Briggs of Cleveland, Ohio. (a niece of John D. Rockerfeller Sr.). Issue:

1. Lucy Avery Benjamin b. June 4, 1896 at Cleve-

land, Ohio; m. Morgan W. Rogers of Providence Rhode Island.

2. William Wallace Benjamin b. June 30, 1898 at E. Orange, N.J.; m. Sept. 13, 1824 Candace Catlin Woodruff, dau. of James Parsons and Lillian Churchill (Bell) Woodruff, b. July 28, 1902 at Litchfield, Conn., d. Feb. 27, 1952. They had:
   a. Barbara Woodruff Benjamin b. May 3, 1927; m. Broughton Cobb.
   b. Candace Catlin Benjamin b. March 28, 1930 m. Honore Martyn Owen.

4773. Flora Benjamin; unm.; lived with her sister in New York.

4774. Sally Blanche Benjamin b. June 7, 1864; m. George McAlpin, who owned the Mac Alpin Hotel in New York City, the son of the "tobacco king". They had:
   1. Jeannette McAlpin.
   2. Flora McAlpin.
   3. Dorothy McAlpin.
   4. Ludowick McAlpin.

4775. Kate Benjamin; who died young.

Children of James and Jennie (Gardiner Benjamin) Trowbridge
James Atwater Trowbridge b. 1886.
Gardiner Trowbridge b. 1889.
Arthur Luske Trowbridge b. 1892.

Resources: Records of Wallace Payne of Bridport, Vt.; p. 582 Woodruff Gen, Abbott; p. 621 and 113 Trowbridge Gen., Trowbridge, 1908; Mayflower Index #77,335.

2759. DELIA JULIETTE BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Sam.[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born August 20, 1829 at Bridport, Vermont; the dau. of William Bott and Sally (Williams) Benjamin; died July 1917 at Burlington, Vermont (cemetery records). She married Albert G. Pierce of Burlington, Vt. on November 5, 1862 at Bridport, Vt. (vr).

Children of Albert and Delia (Benjamin) Pierce:

4776. Wallace Pierce; d. when a young man.

4777. William S. Pierce b. May 16, 1864 at Burlington, Vt m. Harriet ---. They had 3 daus. and a son Albert Pierce, who was killed in an auto accident

Resource: Research of Wallace Payne of Bridport, Vt.

2761. SARAH CHARLOTTE BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Sam.[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born December 30, 1842 at Bridport, Vermont; the dau. of William Bott and Sally (Williams) Benjamin; died February 5, 1904 at Bridport, Vt. She married John True Lainos (Laines/Lamos) on January 30, 1867 at Bridport, Vt. (vr). He was born January 21, 1833 and died July 14, 1907. They

are buried in the Central Cemetery at Bridport, Vt.

Children of John and Sarah (Benjamin) Lainos:

4778. Mary Cornelia Lainos b. October 27, 1871; d. 1889, age 18 yrs.

4779. Bertha Lainos b. July 14, 1873; d. Feb. 25, 1875.

4780. Flora Anna Lainos, a twin, b. July 14, 1873; d. December 4, 1944; m. Oct. 18, 1899 Horace Dana Payne b. June 18, 1874 at Cornwall, Vt.; d. Dec. 14, 1922 at Bridport, Vt. Issue:

1. Ruth Eliza Payne; m. Leon J. Blacklock.
2. Wallace Lamos Payne b. April 14, 1903; m. May 24, 1945 Ruth A. Rivers; had dau. Charlotte Diane Payne b. April 5, 1946.
3. John Aldis Payne; m. Marian Ogeal Shaw.

Resoure: Records of Wallace L. Payne of Bridport, Vt.

2767. JOSEPH SEYMOUR BENJAMIN[8] (Orange[7], Judah[6], Jos.[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born December 3, 1811 at Sheffield, Mass.; the son of Orange and Clarissa (Throp) Benjamin; died June 20, 1870 at Elizabeth, New Jersey. He married Emily Ann Woolsey on January 2, 1833 at Dover, New York. She died April 16, 1893 at Elizabeth, N.J.

Children of Joseph and Emily (Woolsey) Benjamin:

4781. Cornelia Jeannette Benjamin b. April 9, 1834; d. February 9, 1890; m. Freeman Tooker.

4782. Phoebe Ann Benjamin b. May 6, 1836 at Dover, Dutchess Co., N.Y.; d. 1898 at Brooklyn, N.Y.; m. Dec. 25, 1865 Peter Ducker, who d. 1898.

4783. Sarah Elizabeth Benjamin b. January 1, 1839; m. Thomas Tillou.

4784. John Woolsey Benjamin b. September 3, 1841 at Dover N.Y.; d. November 14, 1895 at Elizabeth, N.J.; m. December 7, 1861 Abby T. Wilson at Elizabeth. Issue:

1. Mary Frances Benjamin b. August 11, 1863.
2. Edward L. Benjamin b. December 31, 1868.
3. Ella Benjamin b. March 24, 1873.

Resources: Gen. of the Benjamin Family, Baker, 1898.; Research of Mrs. Adaline Cable of Woodstock Valley, Conn.

2767. HIRAM BENJAMIN[8] (Orange[7], Judah[6], Joseph[5-4-3-2], John[1]) born July 26, 1813 at Sheffield, Mass.; the son of Orange and Clarissa (Throp) Benjamin; died November 11, 1850, at sea, while returning from California. He married Mary Ann Train on May 10, 1837 at LeRoy, New York. She died June 12, 1889 at Clearmont, Virginia.

They resided at LeRoy, Genesse Co., N.Y. and Saranac, Michigan.

Children of Hiram and Mary (Train) Benjamin:

4785. Albert Clement Benjamin b. March 20, 1838; d. Jan. 12, 1839.

4786. William Henry Benjamin b. Dec. 21, 1839; d. Jan. 20, 1842.

4787. Charles Andrew Benjamin b. January 14, 1842 at Le-Roy, N.Y.; m. April 4, 1865 Anna Maria Furness at Saranac, Mich. Issue:
1. Sherman Benjamin b. March 7, 1866. at Saranac
2. William Benjamin b. August 29, 1870.
3. John Benjamin b. September 22, 1872.
4. Franklin Benjamin.
5. Hiram Benjamin b. July 1, 1874.
6. George Septer Benjamin b. March 4, 1876.
7. Fred Augustus Benjamin b. Sept. 12, 1878.
8. Benjamin Stephen Benjamin b. Sept. 19, 1879.
9. Rose Estella Benjamin b. July 8, 1882 at Saranac, Michigan.

4788. Harvey Leroy Benjamin b. September 8, 1844 at Saranac, Michigan; m. March 31, 1866 Ann Eliza Clark; resided in 1898 at Maquoketa, Iowa. Issue:
1. Charles Jarns Benjamin b. July 1868.
2. Williard Alvra Benjamin b. April 7, 1871.
3. Arthur James Benjamin b. January 20, 1879.
4. Ida May Benjamin b. Jan. 22, 1891; d. May 6, 1892.

4789. Olive Jane Benjamin b. September 27, 1849 at Saranac, Michigan; d. September 15, 1902 at Paradise Creek, Virginia; m. November 17, 1870 Charles Dorin.

Resources: Gen. of the Benjamin Family, Baker, 1898; Research of Mrs. Adaline Cable of Woodstock Valley, Conn.

2773. CLARISSA (CLARA) BENJAMIN[8] (Orange[7], Judah[6], Jos.[5-4-3-2], John born July 29, 1824 at Sheffield, Mass.; the dau. of Orange and Clarissa (Throp) Benjamin; died October 16, 1890 at New Haven, Conn. and is buried in the Winstead, Conn. Cemetery. She married John F. Baker on April 18, 1847 at Salisbury, Conn. He was born October 1816 at Hartford, Conn. and died March 11, 1895 in Bristol, Conn. and is buried with his wife.

Children of John and Clarissa (Benjamin) Baker:

4790. Emmerson J. Baker b. February 14, 1848 at Salisbury Conn.; d. October 8, 1849.

4791. Emma C. Baker b. September 25, 1850 at New Haven, Conn.; d. September 8, 1851.

4792. Ellis Benjamin Baker b. September 24, 1854 at Winstead, Conn.; m. Mary G. Frost on Sept. 15, 1876 at Meriden, Conn. She was b. at Bristol, Conn. Nov. 11, 1855. He was the Superintendent of the Southern New England Telephone Co. Issue:
1. Ellis Benjamin Baker b. July 24, 1877 at Mer-

iden, Conn.
2. Caroll F. Baker b. Jan. 2, 1880 at Springfield, Conn.

Resource: Gen. of the Benjamin Family, Ellis Benjamin Baker, 1898; Gen. and Fam. Hist. of Conn. Vol. 2, Cutler, 1901; p. 263 Vol. 3 Loveland Fam., Loveland, 1895.

2774. ORANGE BENJAMIN [8] (Orange [7], Judah [6], Joseph [5-4-3-2], John [1]) born March 8, 1828 at Sheffield, Mass.; the son of Orange and Clarissa (Throp) Benjamin; died November 3, 1900, age 72, at Litchfield, Conn. (vr) and buried in the Salisbury, Conn. Cemetery, lot #7-66. He m/1 Jane L. Wright on June/January 1, 1851. She was born June 6, 1832 and died August 25, 1875. He m/2 Marie E. Stocking on September 7, 1876. She was born June 5, 1829 and died April 23, 1892, age 63. She is buried in the same lot as her husband. He m/3 --- McDonald.
He was a shoe maker.

Children of Orange and Jane (Wright) Benjamin:
4793. Mary Ellen Benjamin; died November 22, 1919; m. June 25, 1870 George Perkins. Had on dau.: Laura Perkins who m. Louis Steeler.
4794. Alice Louise Benjamin b. 1855; d. January 8, 1931 at Canaan, Conn.; m. October 24, 1871 Leman Benson. Issue:
1. Susie Benson; died age 3 yrs.
2. Hattie Marie Benson b. Sept. 28, 1880; m/1 Dec. 24, 1902 Ransom Benjamin, a cousin; m/2 November 24, 1920 Oscar R. Haubald.
3. Jennie Almira Benjamin b. Feb. 24, 1884; m. May 10, 1901 Leighton Bradley.

Resources: Gen. of Benjamin Family, Baker; 1898; Hale Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records; Records of Mrs. Adaline Cable of Woodstock Valley, Conn.

2775. JOHN PECK BENJAMIN [8] (Orange [7], Judah [6], Joseph [5-4-3-2], John [1]) born October 10, 1830 at Sheffield, Mass.; the son of Orange and Clarissa (Throp) Benjamin; died November 4, 1905 at Newark, New Jersey. He married Harriet Augusta Turner on April 23, 1851 at Brooklyn, New York.

Children of John and Harriet (Turner) Benjamin:
4795. William Turner Benjamin b. March 17, 1852 at Brooklyn, N.Y.; m. March 19, 1881 Jenne Eliza Fields at Meriden, Conn. He had sons: George F. Benjamin b. Feb. 7, 1886, d. Feb. 19, 1886; and Frederick Howard Benjamin b. March 1, 1887.
4796. George Milton Benjamin b. November 11, 1853 at Brooklyn, N.Y.; m. February 15, 1887 Jennie Alice Jarboe at Eustis, Florida; resided at New Haven, Conn. Had sons: Walter Jarboe Benjamin b. Decem-

ber 22, 1889, d. Sept. 18, 1890; and Harry Lawrence Benjamin b. May 3, 1893 at Kismet, Fla.

4797. Francis Ashenfelter Benjamin b. April 16, 1856; d. April 29, 1856.

4798. Henry Clay Benjamin b. July 1, 1857; m. May 28, 1883 Lizzie I. Henry at Ocron, Florida; in 1898 resided at Everett, Mass. Had son: Henry Clay Crocker Benjamin, died at birth in 1884.

4799. Maria Amelia Benjamin b. April 4, 1866, d. May15, 1866.

4800. John Peck Benjamin b. September 6, 1876.

Resources: Gen. of the Benjamin Family, Baker, 1898.

2776. RICHARD GRAHAM BENJAMIN[8] (Orange[7], Judah[6], Jos.[5-4-3-2], John[1] born December 14, 1833/4 at Sheffield, Mass.; the son of Orange and Clarissa (Thorp) Benjamin; died in 1913 and is buried in the Washington, Conn. Cemetery, lot #1-24. He married Hannah Jane Rowe on August 19, 1859 at Dover, New York. She was born in 1839 and died in 1918 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Hannah was living in Woodbury, Conn. in 1898.

Children of Richard and Hannah (Rowe) Benjamin:

4801. Clara Benjamin b. June 26, 1860; d. August 16, 1863; buried in the Washington, Conn. Cemetery.

4802. Orange Benjamin b. February 7, 1865; d. February 7, 1865; buried in Washington, Conn. Cemetery.

4803. William Turner Benjamin b. August 17, 1867; m. September 26, 1888 Alice Baldwin at Bethlehem, Conn.; resided in 1898 at Woodbury, Conn. Issue:
1. Graham Albert Benjamin b. June 10, 1890 at Woodbury, Conn.
2. Carroll Baker Benjamin b. July 20, 1891 at Woodbury.
3. Hazel Dora Benjamin b. January 6, 1898 at Woodbury, Conn.

?4804. Ransom Benjamin; m. December 24, 1902 Hattie Marie Benson, a cousin. (See #4794.)

Resoures: Gen. of the Benjamin Family, Baker, 1898; Research of Mrs. Adaline Cable of Woodstock Valley, Conn.

2779. ERASTUS MAPES BENJAMIN[8] (Michael[7], Judah[6], Jos.[5-4-3-2], John[1] born in 1827 in New York; the son of Michael and Susanna (Bailey) Benjamin; died in 1895. He married Ruth Slocum Mahon in 1849. She was born in 1827 and died in 1895.

He was an architect and died intestate.

Children of Erastus and Ruth (Mahon) Benjamin:

4805. Julia Blanche Benjamin b. 1849; d. 1912; m. Owen Moran.

4806. Jessie Blanche Benjamin b. 1856; m. Albert Hamilton Hayes.

4807. Edward Hewett Benjamin b. February 4, 1859 at Vallejo, Calif.; m. August 1888 Marie Julia Meyer.
4808. Ruth Edith Benjamin b. 1856; d. 1917; m. Willis E. Reed.
4809. Raymond Benjamin b. December 14, 1872 at Vallejo, Calif.; m. May 27, 1902 Mildred Francis of Napa, Calif. He was a lawyer.

Resources: p. 441 Abridge Compenduis of Am. Gen.; Vol. 15 Who's Who in Am. 1928-9.

2810. LOUISA BENJAMIN[8] (Elij.[7], Ches.[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1814 in Madison Co., New York; the dau. of Elijah C. and Sally (---) Benkamin; died before 1891. She married Luke C. Wood, and they resided at DeRuyter, N.Y.

Children of Luke and Louisa (Benjamin) Wood:
4810. Sarah E. Wood b. 1846; m. January 15, 1867 Monroe Cone, the son of David Newton and Emily (Sadd) Cone. He was b. April 1, 1843 and manufactured furniture and cheese boxes.
4811. DeWitt C. Wood b. 1844; d. before 1891.
4812. George Herbert Wood b. 1851.
4813. Mary Wood b. 1857; m. --- Case.
4814. ?

Resources: Probate records of DeRuyter, N.Y.; p. 269 Desc. of Robert Burdick of L.I., Johnson, 1937.

2812. HENRY HARP BENJAMIN[8] (Elij.[7], Ches.[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1819 at Madison Co., New York; the son of Elijah C. and Sally (---) Benjamin; died July 20, 1880 (gs) at the age of 61-2-23 (gs) at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York and is buried in the Shed's Corners Cemetery, #9, at DeRuyter. He married Helen ---, who was born in 1822 in Madison Co., N.Y. and died January 2, 1900, age 78 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Their children are buried in the same cemetery and their deaths were due to diptheria. He died intestate (Probate Records Madison Co., N.Y. Box. 24-5580) and his estate went to Hellen Benjamin, his widow, and H. Delos Benjamin, his son of full age.

Children of Henry and Helen (---) Benjamin:
4815. Henry Delos Benjamin b. 1843; resided in Syracuse, N.Y. in 1883.
4816. Helen M. Benjamin b. 1846; d. Nov. 3, 1860, age 14-6. (gs).
4817. Harvey M. Benjamin b. 1849; d. Dec. 26, 1850, age 1-8-20. (gs).
4818. Franklin R. Benjamin b. 1851; d. Oct. 24, 1860, age 9-9-14. (gs).
4819. Charles Benjamin b. 1854; d. Nov. 6, 1860, age

6-3-10. (gs).
4820. Susan Ellen Benjamin b. 1857; d. Oct. 23, 1860, age 3-3-9. (gs).
4821. Willie O. Benjamin b. 1863; d. Oct. 2, 1864, age 1-9. (gs).
4822. ?

Resources: Census Records of DeRuyter, N.Y.; Shed's Corner Cem. Records; Research of Mrs. John Keller of Lititz, Penn Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich,N.Y.

2813. GEORGE H. BENJAMIN[8] (Elij.[7], Ches.[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born 1825 in Madison Co., New York; the son of Elijah C. and Sally (---) Benjamin. He married Sarah ---. She was born in 1828 in N.Y. Two children are buried in the Lyon Cemetery, #8, Hardscrable, in the town of Nelson, Madison Co., N.Y.

He was a farmer in Cazenovia, Madison Co., N.Y. The 1905 census lists only him, as a horse dealer, age 80. He was Justice of the Peace in Cazenovia, N.Y. in 1880.

Children of George and Sarah (---) Benjamin:
4823. Henry A. Benjamin b. 1842; d. Feb. 26, 1854, age 11 yrs. 10 mos. (gs).
4824. Willie T. Benjamin b. 1851; d. September 9, 1870, age 19 yrs. (gs).

Resources: Vol. 183 p. 96 Madison Co. Cemetery Records; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

2815. EZRA BENJAMIN[8] (Elias[7], Ches.[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born May 21, 1804 at Madison Co., New York; the son of Elias and Rhoda (Paddock) Benjamin; died July 20, 1876 (gs) at the age of 72-2 (gs) at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York. He is buried in the New Cemetery, #1, at DeRuyter. He married Electa (Electra) M. Wooley on November 3, 1836 at Delphi, New York. She was born November 5, 1812 in Dutchess Co., N.Y. and died March 24, 1890, age 77-5-18 (gs) at DeRuyter and is buried with her husband.

He is listed in the 1850 and 1860 census at Truxton and in the 1870 and 1880 census at Cuyler, N.Y.

Children of Ezra and Electa (Wooley) Benjamin:
4825. Emerson Benjamin b. November 14, 1837 at Cortland Co., New York; d. 1907 and buried in the same cemetery as parents; m. March 24, 1862 Ellen J. Allen, b. 1847, d. 1920. (gs).
4826. Eugene Benjamin b. 1839; d. May 3, 1853, age 14-1-8 (gs); buried in same cemetery as parents.
4827. Anne Benjamin b. 1841; d. August 16, 1842, age 1-7-9 (gs) and buried with parents.
4828. Mary Elizabeth Benjamin b. July 13, 1842 at Steuben Co., N.Y.; d. August 6, 1870; m. Ed. J. Colegrove. Had dau. Delia Colegrove b. Nov. 27, 1864; m. Dr.

M. L. Halbert on Aug. 7, 1889.

4829. Rhoda Ann Benjamin b. 1844 at Cortland Co., N.Y.; m. 1848 J. W. Rigby.

4830. Rosabelle Benjamin b. 1846 in Cortland Co., N.Y.; d. Oct. 19, 1861, age 15-11-26 (gs) and buried in same cemetery as parents.

4831. Alma Gertrude (Guotwood on gs) Benjamin b. 1848; d. Oct. 19, 1861, age 13-11-16 (gs).

4832. Jane L. (Jennie) Benjamin b. 1849; d. June 6, 1860, age 11-16 (gs) and buried with parents.

4833. Ezra DeForest Benjamin b. June 17, 1851 in Cortland Co., N.Y.; m. 1872 Imogene Rider.

4834. Phroceme Benjamin b. 1859; d. July 16, 1853, age 3 mos. (gs); buried with parents.

4835. Alfred Wooley Benjamin b. 1854; d. Oct. 18, 1861, age 7-2 (gs); buried in same cem. at parents.

4836. George Hart (Heart) Benjamin b. July 22, 1856; d. December 5, 1926 (gs); m. December 18, 1883 Mary Lucia Bronson, b. August 1, 1853, the dau. of Archer and Suphronia Sprague (Dennis) Bronson. They are buried in the same cem. as his parents.

Resources: Records of Mrs. John Keller of Lititz, Penn.; Family Group Sheet from the library of the Latter Day Saints in Salt Lake City, Utah; Records of Miss Dorothy Halbert of Cincinnatus, N.Y.; Lineage of My Children, Keogh, 1926; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich,NY

2816. EDMOND BENJAMIN[8] (Elias[7], Ches.[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 28, 1806 in Madison Co., New York; the son of Elias and Rhoda (Paddock) Benjamin; died November 24, 1887 at Morovia, Cayuga Co., New York. He married Dyantha (Diana) Banke (Bayne). She was born in 1815 in New York and died August 18, 1878 at Morovia.

He was a harness and wagon maker and is listed in the 1850 and 1860 census of Cayuga Co., New York.

Children of Edmond and Dyantha (Bank) Benjamin:

4837. Charles Benjamin bc. 1835 at Morovia, N.Y.

4838. Adell Benjamin b. July 10, 1838 at Morovia, N.Y.; d. March 17, 1926 at Morovia, N.Y.; buried in the Indian Mound Cemetery at Morovia; m. July 4, 1860 Charles N. Greene.

4839. Lewis Benjamin bc. 1841.

4840. Alphina Benjamin bc. 1847.

4841. Sidney Benjamin bc. 1847.

4842. Alice Benjamin bc. 1850.

Resources: Records of Charles Babcock of Alburquerque, New Mexico, which included the Greene Family Bible records.

2817. ROBERT L. BENJAMIN[8] (Elias[7], Ches.[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 14, 1808 at Madison Co., New York; the son of

Elias and Rhoda (Paddock) Benjamin. He married Belinda -- who was born between 1800-10.

In 1838 he was located at Manlius, Onondaga Co., New York and in the 1840 census at DeWitt, Onondaga Co., New York.

Children of Robert and Belinda (---) Benjamin:
4843. 1 male b. 1830-35.
4844. 2 males b. 1835-40.
4845. 1 female b. 1835-40.

Resources: Census Records courtsey of Mrs. John Keller of Lilitz, Penn.

2818. HANNAH ALMEDIA BENJAMIN[8] Elias[7], Ches.[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born September 29, 1810 at Chenango Co., New York; the dau. of Elias and Rhoda (Paddock) Benjamin; died December 12, 1893, age 83 yrs., at LaFayette, Dutchess Co., New York. She married/1 Harris Hickok on August 23, 1835 at Janesville, New York, the son of Asahel and Hannah (---) Hickok. He was born November 20, 1797 in New York and died June 11, 1838 at Sullivan, Madison Co., New York. He is buried in the Bridgeport, New York Cemetery. He had m/1 Mary Ann Barnes. Hannah m/2 Hiram Hill on September 8, 1839, the son of Ebenezer and Charlotte (Owen) Hill. He was born January 22, 1801 at LaFayette, New York and died in 1878 at Bridgeport, New York.

Children of Harris and Hannah (Benjamin) Hickok:
4846. Barton Harris Hickok b. December 13, 1837 at Onondaga Co., New York; d. February 3, 1929 at Eldon, Missouri; m. October 24, 1867 at Chicago, Illinois to Christine I. Mansell.

Children of Hiram and Hannah (Benjamin Hickok) Hill:
4847. Clayton Lewis Hill, M.D. b. June 18, 1840; d. December 25, 1905 at Buffalo, N.Y.; m. September 11, 1866 Rowena Flavia Hill, b. 1841, d. 1897, his first cousin.
4848. DeVer W. Hill b. August 23, 1844; killed Agust 29, 1862 in the second Battle of Bull Run.
4849. Sarah Lavinia Hill b. March 9, 1850; m. June 5, 1876 Ferdinand Bush b. December 11, 1849 at LaFayette, N.Y., the son of Lyman Bush.
4850. Eben Elias Hill b. October 22, 1842 at Bridgeport, N.Y.; d. May 26, 1852.
4851. ElDora Amorette Hill b. June 9, 1851.

Resources: Records of Mrs.George Hickok of Eldon, Missouri p. 258 Desc. of John Owen of Windsor, Conn. Owen, 1941; p. 506 Early Settlers of N.Y. State, Vol. 4-6, Foley, 1937-40; Hartford Times Sept. 18, 1961.

2819. JOHN MILLS BENJAMIN[8] (Elias[7], Ches.[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John

born June 5, 1813 at Cortland Co., New York; the son of Elias and Rhoda (Paddock) Benjamin. He married Ann Norman.

Children of John and Ann (Norman) Benjamin:

4852. Charles Lewis Benjamin b. May 13, 1841 at Independence, Michigan; d. November 19, 1909 at Saginaw, Michigan; m. Alice Susan Coney, b. August 23, 1836, d. July 24, 1881, the dau.of Luke and Mary (Emens) Coney. Issue:
   1. Anna Benjamin b. Jan. 26, 1864 at Saginaw,; unm.
   2. Mills Benjamin b. Jan. 6, 1866 at Saginaw.
   3. Maude Benjamin b. Mar. 20, 1870 at Saginaw, m. Oct. 4, 1892 Albert F. Cook, b. Nov. 7, 1864 at Alden, N.Y.

Resouces: p. 222-3 Anc. of John Coney, Holman, 1928.

2822. WILLIAM F. BENJAMIN[8] (Elias[7], Ches.[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John born April 18, 1820/1 at Cortland Co., New York; the son of Elias and Rhoda (Paddock) Benjamin. He married Elizabeth ---, who was born in 1824 in Penn.

They were located in Truxton, Cortland Co., New York in 1855.

Children of William and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin:

4853. Edmond Benjamin b. 1844 in Penn.
4854. Sanford Benjamin b. 1846 in Penn.
4855. Deborah Benjamin b. 1853 in Cortland Co., N.Y.

Resources: Census records.

2823. DAVID E. BENJAMIN[8] (Elias[7], Ches.[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born May 13, 1822 at Pittsford, Monroe Co., New York; the son of Elias and Rhoda (Paddock) Benjamin; died August 25, 1890, age 69, at Saginaw, Michigan. He married Adeline Coney on August 28, 1865 at Chili, New York. She was the dau. of Luke and Mary (Emens) Coney and was born August 28 1835 at Mt. Morris, New York; and died March 24, 1904 at Saginaw, Michigan.

Children of David and Adeline (Coney) Benjamin:

4856. Lillian Benjamin b. December 19, 1870 at Saginaw, Michigan; d. September 3, 1910 at Saginaw; m. Feb rurary 29, 1892 Theodore N. Eiler.

Resources: p. 222-3 Anc. of John Coney, Holman, 1928.

2825. SIDNEY BENJAMIN[8] Elias[7], Ches.[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born either September 5, 1826 or July 19, 1826 in New York the son of Elias and Rhoda (Paddock) Benjamin; died May 7, 1862 (gs) at Hampton, Virginia hospital in the Civil War. He is buried in the Norwich, Conn.Cemetery, lot #4-316. (There is a stone for him in the Stonington, Conn. Cemet-

ery, lot #20-251. He married Elizabeth Burnham Rathbone of Norwich on November 6, 1848 at Norwich (vr 7-25). She was born January 4, 1829 at Lisbon, Conn. and died April 30, 1886 (gs) and she is buried in the Norwich Cemetery, lot #30216. She m/2 Whitson Colyer.

Children of Sidney and Elizaveth (Rathbone) Benjamin:

4857. Mary Elizabeth Benjamin b. August 13, 1849 at Norwich, Conn. (vr 1/2-90); d. 1850.

4858. Hattie Elizabeth Benjamin b. May 19, 1851 at Norwich, Conn. (vr 7-25); m. December 20, 1871 Henry L. Loomis; no issue.

Resources: Barbour Collection of Conn. Cemetery and Church Records; Norwich Vital Records, Part II p. 39 and 937; p. 19 Rathbone Gen., Cooley, 1808; Groton, Conn. Hist., Stark 1922.

2826. JANE ANN BENJAMIN[8] (Elia[7], Ches.[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born December/May 7/2, 1829 at Cortland Co., New York; the dau. of Elias and Rhoda (Paddock) Benjamin; died March 29, 1915 at Pompey, Onondaga Co., New York and is buried in Oran, New York. She married Hubbard Smith Burdick, the son of Ira C. and Loretta (Benjamin) Burdick. He was born May 11, 1827 in Cortland Co., New York. (See #1429.)

Children of Hubbard and Jane (Benjamin) Burdick:

4859. William Elijah Burdick b. 1850 at Truxton, Cortland Co., New York; m. Catherine Adcock. (Adcook).

4860. Mary Lunette Burdick b. 1853 at Truxton; m. John F. Lewis.

4861. DeValle Elias Burdick b. 1854 at Truxton; m. Carrie Mead.

4862. Agnes E. Burdick b. 1857 at Truxton; d. 1924 at Pompey, N.Y.; m. Lyman Dickerson; no issue.

Resource: p. 264 and 608 Desc. of Robert Burdick of L.I.; Johnson, 1937.

2827. MARY AUGUSTA BENJAMIN[8] (Jos.[7], Chest.[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born August 30, 1810 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the dau. of Joseph and Elizabeth (Carpenter) Benjamin; died September 15, 1897 at Danby, Tompkins Co., New York. She married Edwin Langdon Hills on July 5, 1826 at Salina (now Syracuse), New York. He was the son of Moses and Hannah (Root) Hills and was born March 20, 1799 or March 24, 1800 at Farmington, Conn. and died August 26, 1896 at Syracuse, N.Y.

Children of Edwin and Mary (Benjamin) Hills:

4863. Martha F. Hills b. October 15, 1828 at Salina; d. 1898.

4864. Helen F. Hills b. November 25, 1830 at Salina, N.Y. d. 1893; m. February 15, 1849 Augustus Hurlburt

Sanger at Salina, N.Y. He was the son of Richard and Sally (Remington) Sanger and was born July 15, 1821. They had one child: Mary Oliva Sanger b. Nov. 2, 1825 at Salina, N.Y.

4865. Mary Elizabeth Hills b. September 22/26, 1832 at Salina, N.Y.; m. Stockton B. Judson, b. 1818, d. 1907; of Danby, Tompkins Co., N.Y.

4866. Adelbert DeL. Hills b. April 13, 1835; d. December 20, 1880.

Resources: p. 68 Gen. of Desc.of William Hills, Hills, 1906; p. 1350 Hist. of Desc. of Elder John Strong, Dwight, 1871; Records of Dr. Wilson and Records of Mrs. John Keller of Lilitz, Penn.

2832. ORRIN CHESTER BENJAMIN[8] (Chester[7-6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born May 11, 1827 at Truxton, Cortland Co., New York; the son of Chester Harp and Teriza (Fairbanks) Benjamin. He died September 9, 1895. He married Catherine Maria Connor b.?, d. February 3, 1925.

Issue:

4867. Orrin Chester Benjamin b. January 4, 1857; d. March 20, 1918; m. Sally May Light, b. May 3, 1865. They had a son Orrin Light Benjamin b. Feb. 18, 1918 at Orange, New Jersey and he resided in Glen Ellyn, Illinois.

Resource: Order of Founders and Patriots of Am. courtsey of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, Ind.

2835. LURA DOLLY BENJAMIN[8] (Chester[7-6], Elij.[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born November 1, 1837 at Truxton, Cortland Co., New York; the dau. of Chester Harp and Teriza (Fairbanks) Benjamin; died September 22, 1914 at Chicago, Illinois. She married William H. Keogh on May 28, 1861 at Chicago. He was born December 25, 1825.

Children of William and Lura (Benjamin) Keogh:

4868. William Keogh b. November 10, 1862.

4869. Chester Henry Keogh b. January 13, 1863 at Chicago, Illinois; m. August 9, 1917 at Portland, Oregon to Katherine Knapp. He is the one that authored Lineage of My Children. Issue:

1. Lura Benjamin Keogh b. June 4, 1918 at Chicago, Illinois.
2. Terzah Fairbanks Keogh b. Oct. 9, 1921, d. Feb. 2, 1925.
3. Chester Henry Keogh Jr. b. Aug. 22, 1923.
4. James Benjamin Keogh b. Nov. 15, 1925.

4870. James Benjamin Keogh b. August 1, 1865; a lawyer; possibly m/2 Mrs. Mary (Ballard) Derby, widow of Willian M. Derby.

4871. Lura Mary Keogh b. February 1, 1870.

Resource: Lineage of My Children, Chester Keogh, 1926.

2841. DEGRAND (LEGRAND) BENJAMIN[8] (Elias[7], Elijah[6-5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1816 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the son of Elias P. and Martha (Rich) Benjamin. He married Roxalina (Roxanna) Sexton of Solon, New York. She was the dau. of John and Nancy (---) Sexton and was born in 1820 at Otsego or Cortland Co., N.Y.

They lived on the Rich farm and he converted the grist mill into a cheese factory.

Children of DeGrand and Roxalina (Sexton) Benjamin:

4872. Lovina Benjamin b. 1845 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., N.Y.; d. June 27, 1863, age 18 yrs. 6 mos.; buried in the New Woodstock Cemetery.

4873. Martha Benjamin b. 1847 at DeRuyter.

4874. Adella Benjamin b. 1852 at DeRuyter; m. Louis Henry Crandall of DeRuyter, N.Y. He was b. there March 29, 1850, d. August 17, 1927. Issue:
1. Louis Duane Crandall b. Aug. 3, 1875.
2. Beulah Florence Crandall.

Resources: p. 501 Elder John Crandall of R.I., Crandall, 1898; Vol. 183 p. 4 Madison Co., N.Y. Cemetery Records; Research of Mrs. John Keller of Lilitz, Penn.; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginter of Norwich, N.Y.

2842. ANSON BENJAMIN[8] (Elias[7], Elijah[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1817 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the son of Elias P. and Martha (Rich) Benjamin; died July 27, 1869 at the age of 52 (gs) at Hartford, Conn. He is buried in the Hartford Cemetery, lot #5-41. He married Mrs. Clara Branch on February 14, 1866 at Norwich, Conn. She was born in 1828 and died March 29, 1884, age 56 (gs) at Hartford, Conn. She is buried in the same cemetery as her husband, lot #5-222. He may have married someone else earlier. There is no record of known children.

Resource: Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records and Records from Conn. Newspapers.

2843. GEORGE W. BENJAMIN[8] (Elias[7], Elij.[6-5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1821 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the son of Elias P. and Martha (Rich) Benjamin; died after 1868, when he was living in Cedar Falls, Iowa. He married Nancy J./L. ---, who was born in 1818/9 at Onondaga Co., New York.

He was located in the 1850 census of Fabius, Onondaga Co., N.Y. with no children and in the 1855 census at Truxton, Cortland Co., N.Y.

Children of George and Nancy (----) Benjamin:

4875. Emma L. Benjamin bc. 1854 at Onondaga Co., N.Y. probably others.

Resource: Census Records of New York.

2846. DAVID BENJAMIN[8] (Elias[7], Elijah[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born May 13, 1826 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the son of Elias P. and Martha (Rich) Benjamin. He married Anne Eliza ---, who was born about 1831 and died June 30, 1856, age 24 yrs. 11 mos. (gs) and is buried in the Old Burying Ground #3 at DeRuyter, N.Y.

He was listed in the 1850 census at Camilluis, Onondaga Co., N.Y. as a miller, single, and residing with Stephen Paddock, also a miller. His father's will names him as being "of Columbia Co., Wisconsin" in 1868.

There is no record of known children.

Resources: Census Records; Madison Co. Cemetery Records, Vol. 183 p. 143.

2850. EDWIN GAGE BENJAMIN[8] (David[7], Elijah[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born August 22, 1811 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the son of David and Sarah (Rich) Benjamin; died February 21, 1885 at Menomonie, Wisconsin. He m/1 Delia Allen on October 4, 1835 at Ashtabula Co., Ohio (vr). She was born about 1800-10 and died in 1857. He m/2 Louisa (Ashton) Robins of Hartland, Wisconsin on August 12, 1857 at Milwaukee, Wisconsin (vr 1-298), the dau. of John A. and Louisa A. (----) Ashton.

In 1822 Edwin moved, with his parents, to Ashtabula Co., Ohio. His father died there in 1825. He supported his mother, brother, and sisters. He became a teacher. Then he studied law and practiced that. Later, he became a physcian and surgeon. He practiced medicine in Hartland Wisconsin form 1849-60. Then he became the first resident doctor in Menomonie, and practiced there five years. He then retired and became the editor of the Dunn County News, and later of the Badger News. He published newspapers in Menomonie, Occonomowoc, and Whitewater, Wisconsin. He held the office of Judge in Dunn County and then returned to Menomonie and went into the hardware business with his son, E. A. Benjamin.

Edam G. Benjamin was listed in the 1840 census at Jefferson Twp., Ashtabula Co., Ohio with 2 sons under five, his wife, mother, and 4 brothers and 2 sisters. This was probably Edwin.

Children of Edwin and Delia (Allen) Benjamin:
4876. E. A. Benjamin bc. 1835-40; died before 1857.
4877. dau.; m. J. B. McKahan.
4878. daughter; m. W. R. Culbertson of Eau Claire, Wis.
4879. S. F. Benjamin b. 1835-40.

Children of Edwin and Louisa (Ashton Robins) Benjamin:
4880. Edwin A. Benjamin.
4881. Louisa Benjamin.

Resources: Clipping from Menomonie, Wis. newspaper--Wis. Necrology Vol. 4 p. 165; Ohio Census Records. Newspaper article was written by Alice Benjamin Taylor, a niece.

2861. HORACE (HARVEY on census records) BENJAMIN[8] (Elijah[7-6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born January 5, 1824 at Cuyler, Cortland Co., New York; the son of Elijah E. and Catherine (Vincent) Benjamin; died April 29, 1908 at DeRuyter, New York and buried in the New Cemetery. He married Ann M. Gooch (Cook), the dau. of Thomas and Sophia (---) Gooch. She was born in 1825 at Smyra, Chenango Co., N.Y. and died 1893 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York.

Elijah E. settled on his father's farm, but resigned the farm to Horace and moved to DeRuyter, where in 1879, he was residing in his 92nd year.

Children of Horace and Ann (Gooch) Benjamin:

4882. DeLacie M. (Delacine-Delucey-Delocie) Benjamin bc. 1847; d. 1932 (gs) at DeRuyter, N.Y. and buried in the New Cemetery at DeRuyter.

4883. Sophie Catherine Benjamin b. 1850 at Bloomingdale, Illinois; m. Dalvan H. Lewis b. 1847 at DeRuyter. They had:
1. George Horace Lewis b. 1886.
2. Ann Lewis; died at age 13.
3. Florence Lewis b. 1877; m. 1896 Bert Saunders

4884. Adella J./E. Benjamin b. 1852 in Illinois; d. July 29, 1897 at DeRuyter, N.Y.; m. Louis Crandall. Issue:
1. Beulah Crandall b. March 1, 1882.
2. Louis Crandall Jr.

There seems some confusion here. See #4874!

4885. Duane (DuWayne) Benjamin b. 1863 in DeRuyter, Madison Co., N.Y.; m. October 3, 1882 Mary A. Adams, dau. of James G. and Samantha (Newitt) Adams of DeRuyter. She was born April 8, 1863 at DeRuyter
1. Carlyle Horace Benjamin b. Jan. 20, 1884; d. 1964; m. Allie Wilber; both buried at Rossie, N.Y.
2. Ella Belle Benjamin b. April 6, 1868.

4886. Florence L. Benjamin b. at DeRuyter, N.Y.; m. Frank S. Mitchell of DeRuyter. She clerked in her husband's store and bank from 1882 on. Later, she was cashier of DeRuter State Bank for many years.

Resources: Records of Mrs. John Keller of Lilitz, Penn.; p. 143 and 190 Hist. of Henry Adams, Andams, 1898; Researc of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

2862. IRA BENJAMIN[8] (Elijah[7-6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1826 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the son of Elijah E. and Catherine (Vincent) Benjamin. He m/1 Rhoda Sophia

Brainard on December 3, 1851 at DeRuyter. She was the dau. of Jonathan and Sarah (Gage) Brainard and was born January 5, 1834 at DeRuyter and died December 21, 1857 at the age of 24 (gs) at DeRuyter and is buried in the Old Burying Ground #3. (Note: Sarah Gage was the dau. of Justus and Mary (Benjamin) Gage.) He m/2 Mrs. Maria (---) Benedict on July 25, 1867 at DeRuyter. He had at least 3 children who died young, one on December 21, 1857, the date of Rhoda's death.

Resources: p. 133-4 Gen. of Brainerd-Brainard, Brainard, 1908; Vol. 183 p. 143 Madison Co. Cemetery Records; Research of Mrs. John Keller of Lilitz, Penn. and Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

2863. MADISON BENJAMIN[8] (Elijah[7-6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1830 at Cortland Co., New York; the son of Elijah E. and Catherine (Vincent) Benjamin; died in 1875 (gs) at Saybrooke, Conn. and buried in the Saybrooke Cemetery, lot #1-15. He married Ann E. Hillinger, who was born in 1829 and died 1926 (gs) and is buried in the same lot as her husband.

Children of Madison and Ann (Hillinger) Benjamin:
4887. George A. Benjamin b. 1862; d. 1914 (gs) and is buried in the same cemetery lot as his parents.
4888. Jessie M. Benjamin b. 1865, d. 1869 (gs) and is buried in the same cemetery as her parents.

Resource: Hale's collection of Conn. Cemetery Records.

2866. DEWITT CLINTON BENJAMIN[8] (Elijah[7-6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1837 in Cortland Co., New York; the son of Elijah E. and Catherine (Vincent) Benjamin. He married Annette Lancaster of Syracuse, New York on April 6, 1863. She was born May 1863 in Washington Co., New York.

They were in the 1865 census of DeRuyter, Madison Co., N.Y. and resided in Fort Dodge, Iowa in 1866.

Children of DeWitt and Annette (Lancaster) Benjamin:
4889 Lena Benjamin b. 1865 in Madison Co., New York.
probably others.

Resources: Census records and will of Elijah E. Benjamin.

2867. PULASKI BENJAMIN[8] (Elijah[7-6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born Mar. 3, 1839 at Cortland Co., New York; the son of Elijah E. and Catherine (Vincent) Benjamin. He married Hannah R. Haviland on September 19, 1865 at the Eastern District of Brooklyn, New York. She was the dau. of Samuel C. and Mary Ann (Rushton) Haviland was was born July 17, 1842 in New York City.

They resided at 79 Second Street in Brooklyn and belonged to the Baptist Church. He was served with papers

for his father's estate on May 1880 at Brooklyn, Kings Co., N.Y.

Children of Pulaski and Hannah (Haviland) Benjamin:
4890. Charles Benjamin b. November 22, 1866, died same day.
4891. Mary Florence Benjamin b. February 27, 1867.
4892. Frank H. Benjamin b. June 12, 1870.
4893. Harry R. Benjamin b. February 1, 1873.
4894. Fred E. Benjamin b. November 24, 1874.
4895. Herbert M. Benjamin b. October 6, 1876.
4896. Ella B. Benjamin b. June 2, 1879.
4897. Mabel L. Benjamin b. October 30, 1880.
4898. Everett Benjamin b. August 28, 1883.

Resource: p. 399 Haviland Gen., Frost, 1914.

2869. NATHAN BENJAMIN[8] (Elijah[7-6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born in Cortland Co., New York; the son of Elijah E. and Catherine (Vincent) Benjamin. The name of his wife is unknown. He died before 1880. His name is quite questionable in the reading of the will, but he resided in Brooklyn, New York and his children are named as heirs in their grandfather's will.

Children of Nathan Benjamin:
4899. Anna Benjamin; m. --- King of Brooklyn, N.Y.
4900. Kate Benjamin; over age in May 1880.
4901. George Benjamin, minor, but over age 14 in 1880; bc. 1866.

Resources: Will of Elijah E. Benjamin. (Madison Co., N.Y' Probate #4346.)

2870. GEORGE P./J. BENJAMIN[8] (Charles[7], Elij.[6-5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born December 1822/3 at Fabius, Onondaga Co., New York; the son of Charles and Amanda (Waters) Benjamin; died January 20, 1896 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York. He married Julia A. Haskins of Fabius on July 16, 1845 at Skaneateles, Onondaga Co., N.Y. She was the dau. of Judith Haskins and was born in 1826 at Allegany, N.Y.

They were in the 1855 and 1865 census at DeRuyter, Mad ison Co., N.Y. and the children are buried in the Cemetery #2 at DeRuyter. They had 7 children by 1865.

Children of George and Julia (Haskins) Benjamin:
4902. Charles H. Benjamin b. 1848 at Madison Co., N.Y.; d. Feb. 7, 1849, age 1-5-9 (gs).
4903. Emma Sophine Benjamin b. 1849 at Madison Co., N.Y.
4904. Charles M. Benjamin b. 1851 at Madison Co., N.Y.; d. July 18, 1851, age 14 days. (gs).
4905. Charles L. Benjamin b. 1854 in Madison Co., N.Y.; d. Jan. 21, 1857, age 2-9-24. (gs).
4906. Cornelia Benjamin b. 1860 in Allegany Co., N.Y.

Resources: Records of Mrs. John Keller of Lilitz, Penn.; Vol. 183 p. 133 Madison Co. Cemetery Records; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.; Census Records.

2871. HIRAM D. BENJAMIN[8] (Charles[7], Elij.[6-5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 20, 1824 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., N.Y.; the son of Charles and Amanda (Waters) Benjamin; died February 1, 1889 (gs) at Solsville, DeRuyer, Madison Co., New York, and is buried in the New Cemetery, #1, at DeRuyter. He married Eliza Ann DeLaMater, the dau. of William E. and Anna (---) DeLaMater. She was born July 18, 1822 at Madison Co., N.Y. and died February 17, 1878, age 50 yrs. 2 mos. (gs). (perhaps the 50 yrs. should read 56?) She is buried with her husband.

They resided in DeRuyter in 1850 and in Olean Olean, Cattaragus Co., N.Y. in 1855.

Children of Hiram and Eliza (DeLaMater) Benjamin:
4907. Ella V. Benjamin b. 1849 in Madison Co., N.Y.
4908. Jane (Or Lou) Benjamin bc.1850; died before 1855.
4909. Ida F. Benjamin b. 1850/1 in Madison Co., N.Y.
4910. Noel H. Benjamin b. 1854 in Cattaragus Co., N.Y.

Resources: Research of Mrs. John Keller of Lilitz, Penn.

2872. WILLIS W. BENJAMIN[8] (Charles[7], Elij.[6-5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born July 31, 1826 at Truxton, Onondaga Co., New York; the son of Charles and Amanda (Waters) Benjamin; died February 5, 1891 in Florida and is buried at Sherman, Chautaqua Co., N.Y. He married Phoebe Danley on March 16, 1852. She was born April 4, 1827 and died January 31, 1909 at Kennedy, Chautaqua Co., N.Y.

Children of Willis and Phoebe (Danley) Benjamin:
4911. Frank D. Benjamin b. January 18, 1854; d. May 31, 1934; m. Emma J. Naylor on April 18, 1881. She b. December 12, 1855; d. Sept. 13, 1936. Issue:
  1. Willis J. Benjamin b. August 29, 1882; d. May 17, 1919; m. May 16, 1906 Lena M. Engleman.
  2. George D. Benjamin b. Sept. 20, 1884; d. May 10, 1890.
  3. Frank M. Benjamin b. Sept. 21, 1886; d. Apr. 19, 1887.
  4. Jamsie B. Benjamin b. Oct. 26, 1888; d. 1889.
  5. Mary A. Benjamin b. June 5, 1890; d. 1891.
  6. Phoebe R. Benjamin b. Jan. 3, 1892; m. Theo. H. Schmidt on June 26, 1919.
  7. Addy M. Benjamin b. Dec. 1, 1895; m. Aug. 23, 1917 Harry D., Rhoads.

4912. George M. Benjamin b. October 1, 1864; d. July 18, 1899; m. Mary K. Darrow on April 13, 1886.
4913. Mary A. Benjamin b. October 11, 1860; m. August 25, 1880 Frank Darrow.

4914. Willis W. Benjamin b. July 13, 1866; d. April 14, 1928; m. July 7, 1892 Hattie Barker, b. July 30, 1864, the dau. of Harrison and Melissa (Brigham) Barker; resided Sherman, N.Y.

4915. Melvin A. Benjamin b. June 28, 1856; d. Aug. 30, 1861.

Resources: Family Bible Records courtsey of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, N.Y.; p. 206 Acc. of the Cone Fam. in Am.

?2874. WARREN H. BENJAMIN[8] (Charles[7], Elij.[6-5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1827/7 at Fabius, Onondaga Co., New York; the or at Truxton, Cortland Co., New York; the son of Charels and Amanda (Waters) Benjamin. He died November 20, 1910 at Solsville, Madison Co., New York. He married Mary Jane Waters of Fabius, N.Y. on January 1, 1849 at DeRuyter, New York. She was the dau. of William and Sophrona (Bronson) Waters and was born in 1833 in Onondaga Co., N.Y..

They resided in DeRuyter in 1850, Waterville in 1852, Eaton in 1865, and Solsville in 1875. He and his sons had a tin shop and general store in Solsville. He was Postmaster of Solville in 1888. After 11 years, he retired.

Children of Warren and Mary (Waters) Benjamin:

4916. Francis (Frank) H. Benjamin b. 1850 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; m. 1872 Ida Curtis at Bouckville, N.Y. They were both "of Solsville". She died in 1921. They had daus.: Maude, Edna, Addie, Marie, and Alice Benjamin.

4917. Fred DeFlorence Benjamin b. 1854 at Waterville, Madison Co., N.Y.; m. December 30, 1879 Rose Cole at Bouckville, N.Y. He died in 1934. They moved to Sherman, Chautaqua Co., N.Y. and in 1906 moved to Oriskany Falls and had a hardware store. They had daus.: Erma I. Benjamin b. 1881 and Ella Benjamin b. 1891.

4918. William H. Benjamin b. 1859 at Waterville, New York m. March 24, 1886 Valetta Briggs, dau. of Randolph and Janette (Carter) Briggs b. November 25, 1862. He died in 1914. He had dau.: Densie Benjamin b. 1887, m. James Livermore.

Resources: p. 217 and 229 Births, Deaths, and Marriages in Madison Co. Newspapers 1818-1886; Vol. 182 Madison Co. Cemetery Records; p. 428 Peckham Gen., Peckham, 1922; Letter to Mrs. Gordon Ginther from Mrs. James Livermore.

2875. JANE H. BENJAMIN[8] (Charles[7], Elij.[6-5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born April 2, 1829 at Delphi, New York; the dau. of Charles and Amanda (Waters) Benjamin; died May 2, 1894 and is buried in the DeRuyter Cemetery, #1. She married Martin F. Spear on February 22, 1849 at DeRuyter, N.Y. He was the

son of Tower and Eunice (Wilson) Spear and was born November 2, 1827 at DeRuyter and died May 13, 1883 at DeRuyter, New York, age 55 (gs) and is buried with his wife. He was a blacksmith.

Children of Martin and Jane (Benjamin) Spear:
4919. Charles T. Spear b. May 22, 1850; d. Oct. 13, 1851.
4920. Mary A. Spear b. May 28, 1852; unm.
4921. Jeannie A. Spear b. July 26, 1864 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., N.Y.; m. Feb. 19, 1891 Leighton R. Grant b. July 9, 1864 at DeRuyter. She m/2 in 1896 David Schillenger.

Resources: p. 115 Spear Gen., Spear, 1938.

2879. BETHANY ELIZABETH BENJAMIN [8](Charles[7], Elij.[6-5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born November 8, 1835 at Cortland Co., New York; the dau. of Charles and Amanda (Waters) Benjamin; died May 5, 1886 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York. She married Joseph Connell, b. 1829 in Nova Scotia, Canada and died in 1872. They are both u ied in the DeRuyter Cemetery, #2. He was a shoemaker.

Children of Joseph and Bethany (Benjamin) Connell:
4922. William F. Connell b. 1859; d. 1862; buried with his parents.
4923. James F. Connell b. 1863 in DeRuyter, N.Y.
4924. Alice Connell b. 1871; m.Samford Huttleston.

Resources: Census and Cemetery records; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

2880. AARON (AUSAN) FRED/T. BENJAMIN[8] (Charles[7], Elij.[6-5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born January 25, 1839 at Madison Co., New York; the son of Charles and Amanda (Waters) Benjamin. He m/1 Miss Frank Washben(Washburn) of Forest Grove on June 10, 1866 at Forest Grove, Oneida Co., N.Y. He m/2 Emily Jane Barnum on February 1877. She was the dau. of George E. and Clara M. (Cleveland) Barnum and was born August 20, 1840. Children, if any, are unknown.

Resources: p. 1504 Gen. of Cleveland Fam., Cleveland, 1899 1866-7 issue of the Oneida Weekley.

2891. CHARLOTTE BENJAMIN[8](James[7], Darius[6], Elijah[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John born July 30, 1812 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the dau. of James D. and Sally (Spear) Benjamin; died in 1868. She married William T. Cook and m/2 --- Coye.

Children of William and Charlotte (Benjamin) Cook:
4925. Emmaline Cook b. May 11, 1837; d. March 11, 1882 at Lincklaen, N.Y.; m. Oct. 7, 1858 Leonard James Tuthill, as his 2nd wife. Issue:
1. Dora Tuthill; m. --- Boyce.

2. L. Eugene Tuthill; m. Jeanette---; and resided in Cleveland, Ohio.
3. Emerton B. Tuthill; m. Lillian ---; resided in Colbert, Washington.
4. Merton L. Tuthill; m. Ada ---.
5. Frances Tuthill; m. --- Humphries; resided in Bonney, N.Y.

Children of --- and Charlotte (Benjamin Cook) Coye:
4926. Eli Coye; m. Ophilia ---; resided in Lincklaen, Chenango Co., New York.

Resources: Spear Gen.; Spear, 1938; Tuttle-Tuthill Gen., Tuttle, 1968.

2892. JAMES DARWIN (?DARIUS) BENJAMIN[8] (Jas.[7], Darius[6], Elij.[5], Jos John[1]) born August 2, 1814 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the son of James D. and Sally (Spear) Benjamin; died February 26, 1892, age 77-6-24, at Clarkston, Oakland Co., Michigan. He married Clarinda Kneeland of Bloomfield, Michigan on December 9, 1846. She was born August 29, 1826 and died May 6, 1865 and is buried at Bloomfield Center Cemetery.

He went to Michigan as a young man.

Children of James and Clarinda (Kneeland) Benjamin:
4927. Fidelia Benjamin b. February 23, 1848; d. March 27, 1848, age 1 mo.
4928. Augusta Benjamin b. April 19, 1850; d. February 12, 1911, age 61; m. February 1875 Miles Freeman Lowes (Leins) and resided at Birmingham and Vernon, Michigan. Issue:
1. Clarence Lowes b. Nov. 29, 1875; d. March 10, 1926; m. Sophia VonRenner, dau. of Charles and Sally (---) VonRenner. Had son Cecil Ben jamin Lowes b. Dec. 15, 1899; m. Oct. 11, 1921 Mildred Martha Angleton.
2. Stewart Freeman Lowes b. June 24, 1877; m. Oct. 28, 1903 Nellie Cobb. Issue: William Carroll Lowes b. Feb. 22, 1905, m. Feb. 19, 1934 Ruth Cramer; Mary Elizabeth Lowes, m. July 14, 1934 Floyd Gardner.
3. Nelly Isabelle Lowes; m. Jan. 1912 Luther Norman Hogarth, D.D.S. Issue: Janes Isabelle Hogarth b. Jan. 28, 1916.
4. Ward Miles Lowes; m. March 5, 1920 Ethel McArthur. Issue: Delphine Lowes, m. Robert Piper; Lillian Lowes, m. 1924 Albert Graham; Ralph Lowes; Claude Lowes d. Sept. 1930; Eugene Lowes; Eleanor Lowes.
5. Alta Adella Lowes; m. March 12, 1902 Harvey Walker and resided in Pontiac, Michigan. Issue: Lowes Kelly Walker b. Oct. 1902, m. Florence Muirhead; Maynard Walker b. Sept.

1904.

6. Dawn Elizabeth Lowes; m. March 1909 Harry J. Robertson. Issue: Thelma Dawn Robertson b. June 5, 1912, m. June 3, 1932 Charles Calkins and lived in Pontiac, Michigan.

4929. Francis Benjamin b. June 7, 1853; d. March 23, 1862 age 9 yrs.

4930. George Benjamin b. June 20, 1857; d. Feb. 16, 1861, age 4 yrs.

4931. Ida Adella Benjamin b. Sept. 5, 1862; m/1 July 22, 1884 Charles Tucker, who d. January 20, 1910. She m/2 Melvin West on September 14, 1914. He died December 20, 1933. She resided at Clarkston Michigan. Issue:

1. Rena May Tucker b. Nov. 22, 1886; m. June 28, 1911 Elmer Boice. They had Kathleen Adella Boice b. Sept. 10, 1912 and Gordon Boice b. Dec. 12, 1913, m. May 31, 1935 Ferolin Wall and resided at Drayton Plains, Michigan.
2. Glen Benjamin Tucker b. Nov. 13, 1890, d. Feb. 20, 1892.

Resources: p. 100 Spear Gen., Spear, 1938.

2893. ALFRED BENJAMIN[8] (James[7], Darius[6], Elijah[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born July 16, 1817 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the son of James D. and Sally (Spear) Benjamin; died January 13, 1899. He married Margaret Kenyon, who was born December 14, 1828 and died October 1, 1887.

He resided in 1896 at Luman Station, Michigan, and in 1850 resided at Fabius, Onondaga Co., N.Y.

Children of Alfred and Margaret (Kenyon) Benjamin:

4932. Sarah Jane Benjamin b. May 30, 1853; m. --- Carrett and lived at Lennon, Michigan.

4933. Margaret A. Benjamin b. December 5, 1854; m. --- Francis and lived at Duffield, Michigan.

4934. Ervilla Benjamin b. October 16, 1857; d. March 21, 1886; m. --- Tupper. Issue: Amy Tupper, m. --- Muchler and lived at Smart's Creek, Michigan and Edward B. Tupper, resided at Otterburg, Michigan.

4935. Eli Benjamin b. April 9, 1858; m. Ada ---; resided at Gaines, Michigan.

4936. Alfred Benjamin b. February 8, 1860.

4937. Frank Benjamin b. January 15, 1861; m. Lottie ---; resided at Lennon, Michigan.

4938. Elizabeth Benjamin b. March 9, 1864; d. May 25, 1924; m. December 29, 1881 Robert W. Tupper. Issue: Della Tupper b. Oct. 29, 1882, m. March 7, 1907 William J. Bloss, who d. April 3, 1934; Lester Tupper, m. Feb. 12, 1907 Celia Hall.

4939. Fred Benjamin b. January 11, 1866; married; and had children: Pearly Benjamin and Elmer Benjamin, who

lived at Lennon, Michigan.

Resources: p. 101 Spear Gen.. Charles L. Spear, 1938.

2894. ALMEDA BENJAMIN[8] (James[7], Darius[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born December 4, 1819 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the dau. of James D. and Sally (Spear) Benjamin. She married John McQueen (McQuin.).

Children of John and Almeda (Benjamin) McQueen:
4940. Mary Jane McQueen; m. --- Lucas.
4941. Alemda McQueen.
4942. Sarah McQueen.
4943. Flora McQueen; m. --- Root; resided in Pontiac, Michigan in 1896.
4944. John H. McQueen; resided in Pine Woods, New York in 1896.

Resources: Spear Gen., Spear, 1938; Will of Edward Benjamin.

2896. ELI SPEAR BENJAMIN[8] (Jas.[7], Darius[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born January 30, 1824 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the son of James D. and Sally (Spear) Benjamin. He died in either 1887 or 1897. He married Elizabeth Kneeland in 1850. She was born in 1826/7 and died in 1891.
He went to Michigan about 1845, as a young man.

Children of Eli and Elizabeth (Kneeland) Benjamin:
4945. Clara Erville Benjamin b. March 10, 1852 at Flushing, Michingan; m. William Harvey Ingham on Feb. 21, 1872. He was born June 9, 1844. Issue:
1. Julia Ann Ingham b. Aug. 16, 1876; m. Oct. 10 1908 John Robert Crickmore. They had:
a. Robert William Crickmore b. July 26, 1908 m. Irene ---; resided Newport, Mich.
b. Donald Keith Crickmore b. Sept. 15, 1909; unm.; res. Washington, Mich.
c. Clara Elizabeth Crickmore b. Mar. 4, 1911 m. Loren Allen.
2. Elizabeth Lillian Ingham b. April 7, 1878; m. April 12, 1898 Charles Wilson Cotcher at Flushing, Michigan. Issue:
a. Mabel Lucille Cotcher b. Sept. 3, 1902; m Sept. 2, 1923 Clare George Fox.
b. Paul Ingham Cotcher b. July 10, 1910; m. June 12, 1934 Ruth Caroline Skinner.
c. Wayne Daniel Cotcher b. Dec. 2, 1914.
3. Ava Margaret Ingham b. December 1, 1885; m. April 12, 1908 John Stevens Pittwood at Flushing, Michigan. Issue:
a. Louise Ingham Pittwood b. June 15, 1909; d. Aug. 1, 1909.
b. John Ingham b. Oct. 11, 1913.

4. Ralph Benjamin Ingham b. March 9, 1888; m. April 21, 1912 Leah A. Vantine. Issue:
   a. William Warner Ingham b. Sept. 23, 1912; m. May 11, 1935 Thelma June Bryant.
   b. Margaret Elizabeth b. June 21, 1917; m. Feb. 22, 1933 Frank F. Draper.
5. Orris Kneeland Ingham b. October 24, 1891; m. Gladys Sinclair. Issue:
   a. Orris Sinclair Ingham b. May 23, 1922.
   b. William Mathew Ingham b. Dec. 9, 1925.

4946. Lillian A. Benjamin b. November 28, 1856; d. 1921; married Herman D. Kennedy; had no issue.

4947. Anne Elizabeth Benjamin b. January 15, 1859 at Flushing, Michigan; after her sister's death, she married the widower, Herman D. Kennedy; no issue.

Resource: p. 208 Vol. 121 DAR Lineage Book; Spear Gen., Charles Spear, 1938.

2897. JANE MAXON BENJAMIN[8] (Jas.[7], Darius[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John born March 22, 1826 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the dau. of James D. and Sally (Spear) Benjamin; died January 12, 1905 in Michigan. She married Willis Nichols in 1848 at DeRuyter, N.Y. He was the son of Solomon and Polly (Perry) Nichols and was born August 3, 1824 at Georgetown, Madison Co., N.Y. and died September 30, 1903 Genesee Co., Michigan.

Children of Willis and Jane (Benjamin) Nichols:

4948. Willis Spear Nichols b. August 25, 1854 at DeRuyter d. Oct. 26, 1913 at Flushing, Mich.; m. March 4, 1884 Eva Elwell at Schiawassee, Mich. She was b. Sept. 5, 1865 at Oakland, Mich. and d. April 25, 1930 at Clio, Mich. Issue:
   1. Blanche Nichols b. Apr. 10, 1887, d. 1888.
   2. Hazel Nichols b. July 16, 1892, m. Aug. 21, 1912 Harry Clifford Sutton b. Apr. 3, 1892.
   3. Omar A. Nichols b. Aug. 9, 1894, d. Aug. 5, 1912.

4949. John Lawrence Nichols b. June 21, 1856 at Clayton, Michigan; d. May 5, 1929; m. Nov. 17, 1879 Jennie Adelo Brown, dau. of Joseph and Philinda (Tilton) Brown. They had: Winifred Nichols b. May 19, 1883, m. Allison Lynn McCain of South Dakota. He was the son of Anson Jay and Louisa Ann (Dougherty) McCain and b. June 19, 1880 in Clarinda, Iowa and d. Aug. 3, 1922 at Lewiston, Mont.

4950. Perry Nichols b. April 25, 1858 at Clayton; d. Sept 1925; m. Jessie E. Graves. Issue:
   1. Clare Floyd Nichols b. Apr. 12, 1884; m. Jan. 1, 1914 Clara L. Everette b. Oct. 2, 1891, dau. of Charles and Eva (LaFlamboy) Everette.
   2. Florence Helen Nichols.

3. Howard Nichols; m. Beatrice Moss.

4951. Clara Louisa Nichols b. September 6, 1860 at Clayton; d. Jan. 15, 1935; m. Floyd Owen, b. May 27, 1856 at Shiawassee, Mich., d. Aug. 1923. Issue:
1. Grace Laverna Owen b. Feb.11, 1885; m. July 1913 Guy Venoy Krantz.
2. Floyd Ashel Owen b. Aug. 7, 1900, d. Dec. 1925; m. 1920 Ruth Sherman.

4952. Charles Nichols b. October 10, 1865 at Clayton; m. Mattie Dibble. Had sons Mark and George Nichols.

4953. Mark Ernest Nichols b. Feb. 28, 1869; d. May 15, 1876.

Resources: p. 102-7 Spear Gen., Charles L. Spear, 1938.

2898. SARAH (SALLY) A. BENJAMIN[8] (Jas.[7], Darius[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2] John[1]) born April 9, 1828 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the dau. of James D. and Sally (Spear) Benjamin. She m/1 John Davison and m/2 --- Dans. She was living in Denver, Colorado in 1896.

Children of John and Sarah (Benjamin) Davison:

4954. Orr Davison; m. Josephine ---; resided in Denver, Colorado in 1938; his wife had d. by that date.

Resources: p. 95 Spear Gen., Charles L. Spear, 1938.

2899. ORVILLE BENJAMIN[8] (James[7], Darius[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born July 31, 1830/1 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the son of James D. and Sally (Spear) Benjamin; died June 7, 1910 (gs) at either DeRuyter or Groton, Tompkins Co., New York. He is buried in the New Cemetery, #1, at DeRuyter. He m/1 Emily Hakes in 1849/50 at DeRuyter, the dau. of Willet and Martha (Oviatt) Hakes. She was born in 1832 at Cortland Co., N.Y. and died 1880 (gs) at DeRuyter and is buried with her husband. He m/2 Mary L. Chandler in 1880. She was born in 1863.

In DeRuyter, he lived next door to his father, James. He is located in the 1855 thru 1905 census at DeRuyter.

Children of Orville and Emily (Hakes) Benjamin:

4955. Frederick D. Benjamin b. 1854; d. September 31, 1864, age 10 yrs. 6 mos. (gs) and is buried in the same cemetery as his parents.

4956. Henry L. Benjamin b. 1862; d. November 21, 1862 (gs age 7 mos. 17 days.; buried with parent.

4957. Alice Maria Benjamin b. March 22, 1864 at DeRuyter, N.Y.; d. March 29, 1918 at Virginal Park, Florida m/1 Frank E. Perry; m/2 George H. Knight.

4958. Jane Elizabeth Benjamin b. May 25, 1867 at DeRuyter, N.Y.; m. December 22, 1885 William J. Perry of Llangynog, Wales. He was b. March 11, 1856, d. June 1935; was a cheese maker and was "of Truxton, N.Y." at marriage.

4959. Courtney W. Benjamin b. April 3, 1873 at DeRuyter, N.Y.; m/1 in 1890 Kate Adaline Phinney b. 1873; d. May 13, 1869, the dau. of Harvey and Mary (Van Sickle) Phinney; m/2 Goldie Goodale on January 23 1897 at Homer, N.Y. She was b. Sept. 30, 1878.

1. Irena May Benjamin b. July 31, 1891 at Cuyler N.Y. She was adopted in 1909 by DeWitt C. Johnson of Cortland, N.Y. She m/1 Earl George Bartz on July 3, 1918, at Syracuse, N.Y., the son of William and Addie (---) Bartz. She m/2 Arthur G. Homer on Sept. 2, 1935, the son of Increase and Mary (Allen) Homer. She m/3 --- Felton.
2. James DeWitt Benjamin b. March 13, 1896; d. Feb. 22, 1936 at Rochester, N.Y.; m. Aug. 4, 1915 Lula A. Robinson of Virgil, Cortland Co. N.Y. She was the dau. of Homer and Mary (Wilcox) Robinson. Issue:
   a. Wallace H. Benjamin b. July 19, 1916; m. Sept. 9, 1934 Frances Ellen Dunbar.
   b. Pauline M. Benjamin b. Oct. 6, 1921.
   c. Harold James Benjamin b. July 25, 1926.
   d. Charles Wallace Benjamin b. Dec. 26, 1935

Resources: DAR Lineage Book Vol. 92 p. 44 and Vol. 160 p. 140; p. 106 Spear Gen., Spear, 1938; Vol. 183 p. 94 Madison Co., N.Y. Cemetery Records; Records of Mrs. John Keller of Lilitz, Penn. and Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

2901. MONTVILLE BENJAMIN[8] (Jas.[7], Darius[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1] born June 5, 1835 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the son of James D. and Sally (Spear) Benjamin; died January 16, 1911, age 75 yrs. 6 mos., at Flushing, Michigan. He married Electa Rebecca Judson in 1859. She was the dau. of Sulvanus and Mira Mercy (Whitman) Judson and was born April 1, 1840 at Mayfield, New York and died December 26, 1910 at Flushing.

He moved to Flushing, Michigan as a young man about 1850.

Children of Motville and Electa (Judson) Benjamin:

4960. Mira Electa Benjamin b. December 21, 1862 at Flushing, Michigan; d. Jan. 20, 1925; unm.

4961. James Judson Benjamin b. May 19, 1866 at Flushing; m. December 26, 1888 Clara Margaret Freeman, dau. of Milton Rufus and Ruth (Oviatte) Freeman. They resided at Flint, Michigan. They had: Herold Freeman Benjamin b. Oct. 2, 1890; m. Irene Rivards dau. of John D. and Elizabeth (Bush) Rivards and resided in Saginaw, Mich. (Note: Another source gives Irene's maiden name as Postal.)

4962. Elsie Gertrude Benjamin b. December 27, 1868; unm.

4963. Percy Whitman Benjamin b. August 20, 1873; m. Anna Belle Royce, dau. of Frank and Elizabeth (Blowers) Royce. Issue:
1. Elizabeth Electa Benjamin b. Dec. 30, 1910; m. Joseph Kilburn, Jr.
2. Montville Benjamin b. Dec. 6, 1912; m. Jean Elliot Bullard.
3. Catherine Louise Benjamin b. Sept. 4, 1918.

4964. Edith Josephine Benjamin b. December 27, 1875 at Flushing, Michigan; m. John Gustavus Rulison, MD, b. Feb. 21, 1876, d. Sept. 3, 1938, the son of Cornelius E. and Antoinette E. (Greenfield) Rulison. Issue:
1. John Gustavus Rulison Jr. b. Oct. 16, 1906; m. Elizabeth Jane Fishback.
2. Josephine Rulison b. Nov. 24, 1909; m. Dec. 29, 1935 Robert Carl Olsen, Ph.D.

Resource: Spear Gen., Charles L. Spear, 1938.

2902. MARY MARIAH BENJAMIN[8] (Jam.[7], Darius[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born September 25, 1837 at DeRuyter, Madison Co., New York; the dau.of James D. and Sally (Spear) Benjamin; died May 7, 1933, age 96, at Flushing, Michigan. She married Wilson Joseph Shepard on October 5, 1857. He was born in 1836 and died February 1914.

Children of Wilson and Mary (Benjamin) Shepard:

4965. Katherine Elizabeth Shepard b. September 13, 1858; d. Sept. 1933; m. March 12, 1886 Frank Tucker, b. 1858, d. 1900; resided at North Branch, Mich.
1. Merle Tucker b. Dec. 22, 1889; m. Aug. 5, 1922 William J. Duffy.
2. Max Dealton Tucker b. May 28, 1891; m. Nov. 26, 1915 Rose Yodder; resided at Marshfield, Oregon.
3. Marion Vivian Tucker b. Dec.11, 1896; m. Dec. 26, 1916 Donald George Frazer.

4966. Montville Benjamin Shepard b. October 5, 1866; d. 1899; m. June 1891 Mary Leddie; resided in San Diego, Calif.; no issue.

4967. Lewis Bonaparte Shepard b. October 12, 1867; d. Sept. 9, 1928; m. Jan. 2, 1891 Anna Rock. They had: Arthur Montville Shepard b. Nov. 6, 1903, d. Oct. 10, 1918.

4968. Victor Hugo Shepard b. April 12, 1870; d. 1930; m. Jan. 2, 1892 Lilla Belle Shaw. They had: Juno Mary Mariah Shepard b. Dec. 1893, m. Dec. 24, 1914 Edward Walter Brehm and lived in Detroit, Michigan.

4969. Bertha Shepard b. June 10, 1875; m. Sept. 21, 1904 John H. Carey.
1. Carol Shepard Carey b. July 28, 1905; m. Oct.

1, 1935 John S. Keblinger.
2. John Kermit Carey b. June 15, 1907.

4970. Karl Andrew Shepard b. January 17, 1879 at Clayton, Michigan; m. June 22, 1904 Alice Mary Shuman.
1. Opal Amelia Shepard b. Nov. 19, 1905; m. June 22, 1925 Karl Joseph Faitbanks.
2. Beatrice Shepard b. May 22, 1907.
3. Paul Gustave Shepard b. Jan.1, 1910; m. June 10, 1936 Phyllis Evelyn Bowman.
4. Robert Karl Shepard b. April 8, 1812.
5. Robert Margie Alice Shepard, a twin, b. Apr. 8, 1912.
6. Phyllis May Shepard b. July 1, 1916.

Resource: p. 109 Spear Gen., Charles L. Spear, 1938.

2912. ELIJAH H. BENJAMIN[8] (Darius[7-6], Elijah[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1832 at Cortland Co., New York; the son of Darius and Ursula (Bristol) Benjamin; died in 1906 (gs) and is buried in the Lincklaen Cemetery in Chenango Co., New York He married Elizabeth Baysinger, who was born in 1842 (gs) and was still alive in 1915. She is buried with her husband, but her gravestone carries no death date.

He was on the Lincklaen assessment rolls in 1881-92 and 1898-1907. His widow was living on Randall Hill Road in 1915. They were listed in the 1880 census of Truxton, Cortland Co., N.Y.

Children of Elijah and Elizabeth (Baysinger) Benjamin:

4971. Ursula Benjamin bc. 1862 in Chenango Co., New York; m. Rober A. Ryan.

Resources: Vol. 118 p. 265 DAR Lineage Book; Vol. 180 p.3 Cemetery Records of Madison Co., N.Y.; Records of Mrs. John Keller of Lilitz, Penn.

2913. ALPHEUS BENJAMIN[8] (Darius[7-6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1835 at Cortland Co., New York; the son of Darius and Ursula (Bristol) Benjamin; died April 6, 1905, age 72 years, at Garnett, Anderson Co., Kansas. He is buried in the Appanoose Cemetery of Overbrook, Kansas. He married Abigail Holmes b. May 16, 1847 and she died December 27, 1892 at Overbrook, Osage Co., Kansas and is buried with her husband. Listed in 1870 census of Cuyler, N.Y.

Children of Alpheus and Abigail (Holmes) Benjamin:

4972. Alvin Benjamin b. June 14, 1865 in Cortland Co., N.Y.; d. Jan. 22, 1902 at Osage Co., Kansas (gs)

4973. Ivan A. Benjamin b. March 6,1866 at Cortland Co., N.Y.; d. April 9, 1874 at Falls City, Nebraska.

4974. Ada Benjamin b. August 25, 1868 at Cortland Co., New York; d. March 10, 1905 at Overbrook, Kansas m. Emery B. Ingle.

4975. Ralph Benjamin b. July 7, 1871; d. January 6, 1939

at Garnett, Kansas; m. January 25, 1892 in Franklin Co., Kansas to Julia Ellen Miller. She d. Aug. 19, 1946 at Garnett and they are both buried in the Garnett Cemetery. They had 13 children, the first one was born in 1892 and the last one in 1922. The first child to die was in 1965. There are 8 left now (1974) and all are living in or around Garnett, Kansas.

4976. Amasa Benjamin b. 1877; d. November 13, 1877 at Overbrook, Kansas and buried in the Appanoose Cem.

4977. Annie Benjamin, a twin, d. August 18, 1877; buried in Appanoose Cem. at Overbrook, Kansas.

4978. Minnie Benjamin.

Resources: Records of Wayne Peters of Overland Park, Kans.

2928. SUSAN BENJAMIN[8] (David[7], Cyrus[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1826 at Fishkill, Dutchess Co., New York; the dau. of David C. and Susan (Budd) Benjamin. She married Isaac Fiske Van Vliet, M.D. of Rhinebeck, N.Y. on May 11, 1847 at Albany, New York. He was the son of Cornelius and Mary (Russell) Van Vliet and was born June 11, 1822 and died February 23, 1876 at Rhinebeck, N.Y.

Children of Isaac and Susan (Benjamin) Van Vliet:

4979. Ella Van Vliet b. October 7, 1848; m. 1874 Rev. Henry L. Zilgenfuss.

4980. William Budd Van Vliet b. September 1851.

4981. Edward B. Van Vliet b. January 1, 1856.

4982. Frank Benjamin Van Vliet b. May 18, 1861.

Resource: p. 109 and 184 Gen. of Russell Fam., John Russell Bartlett, 1879.

2932. JOB S. BENJAMIN[8] (Peter[7], Cyrus[6], Elijah[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born March 7/29, 1828 at Fishkill, Dutchess Co., New York; the son of Peter and Mary (Seaman) Benjamin; died October 27, 1885 (gs) and is buried in the Beekman Cemetery at Poughquay Twp., Dutchess Co., New York. He m/1 Phebe Riggs on January 8, 1850 at E. Fishkill. She was born November 4, 1830 at E. Fishkill, N.Y. and died March 29, 1859 (gs) of consumption, age 29-4-25 (gs) at Stormville, New York. He m/2 Caroline Seaman in 1860. She was born in 1823 and died February 3, 1862, age 38-2-20. There was no issue of this marriage. He m/3 Frances Seaman in 1863, a sister of his second wife. She was born October 16, 1832 and died July 18, 1877 (gs) and is buried in the same cemetery as her husband.

Children of Job and Frances (Seaman) Benjamin:

4983. Carrie M. Benjamin b. May 9, 1864 at Stormville, Dutchess Co., N.Y.; d. November 30, 1880 (gs), age 16-6-0 (gs) and buried in same cemetery as her parents.

4984. Charles Benjamin b. September 17, 1866 at Stormville, N.Y.; m. October 3, 1889 Binie Mae Curtiss of Southford, Conn. He resided in Bristol, Conn. and had son: Rutherford C. Benjamin b. July 7, 1891.

4985. Jennie S. Benjamin b. January 20, 1868 at Stormville, N.Y.; m/1 April 14, 1886 Clark Lawrence at Green Haven, N.Y. He died in 1890. She m/2 1892 Arthur Eastward and lived at Nangatuck, Conn They had a son: William B. Eastward.

4986. Maria J. Benjamin b. October 27, 1874 at Stormville m. Patrick Rooney.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Vol. 110 p. 210 DAR Lineage Book p. 978 Whitney Fam. of Conn., Whitney, 1878; Vol. 2 p. 16 Old Grave Stones of Dutchess Co., N.Y., Poucher, 1924.

2944. CYRUS M. (?MILLS) BENJAMIN[8] (Joel[7], Cyrus[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2] John[1]) born May 10, 1840 at Ridgefield, Conn.; the son of Joel S. and Harriet (Mills) Benjamin; died March 20, 1920 at the age of 79, and is buried in the Ridgefield, Conn. Cemetery, lot #12-66, which is his father's lot. He m/1 Jane Henricks, who was born March 4, 1836 and died August 7, 1884 at Ridgefield, Conn. (vr). He m/2 Sarah A. Crofeet (Crofut), who was born February 5, 1843 and died June 23, 1918. Both his wives are buried with him.

He was a member of Co. E 26th Mass. Volunteer Regt. in the Civil War and was discharged due to a disability in Alexandria, Virginia on March 20, 1863. He also played the drum in the town band.

Children of Cyrus and Jane (Henricks) Benjamin:

4987. Joel H. Benjamin b. October 19, 1882; d. July 3, 1887; buried with his parents.

Resources: Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records; p. 297 and 254 Hist. of Ridgefield, Conn., Rockwell, 1927.

2945. ALBERT MEAD BENJAMIN[8] (Joel[7], Cyrus[6], Elij.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John born July 11, 1844 at Ridgefield, Conn.; the son of Joel and Harriet (Mills) Benjamin; bapt. as an adult on May 6, 1866 at Ridgefield, Conn. (cr); died June 29, 1905, age of 62, at Ridgefield, Conn. and is buried in the Ridgefield Cemetery, lot #12-66, which is his father's lot. He married Emma Jane (Cornelia) Dann on October 29, 1869 at Porchester, New York, the dau. of Charles and Sally Ann (Bouton) Dann. She was born May 21, 1848 at Poundridge, N.Y. and died in 1922 and is buried with her husband.

Albert is mentioned as a muscian in the Band of Ridgefield.

Children of Albert and Emma (Dann) Benjamin:

4988. Anna Elizabeth Benjamin b. March 3, 1870 at Ridgefield, Conn.; m. October 26, 1887 William Johnson

Ridgefield, Conn.

4989. Albert Smith Benjamin b. February 25, 25, 1872 at Ridgefield, Conn. (vr).

4990. Fredrick Lewellyn Benjamin b. April 7, 1874 at Ridgefield, Conn. (vr).

4991. Charles Wilbur Benjamin b. February 18, 1876 at Ridgefield, Conn. (vr); m. June 25, 1902 Estelle Bailey (cr 8-54) b. 1875, d.1971. Issue:
1. George Benjamin.
2. Fred Benjamin.
3. Bert Benjamin.
4. Charles Emerson Benjamin b. Aug. 8, 1904; d. Aug. 4, 1966; m. May 31, 1925 Irma Finch.
5. Grace Catherine Benjamin, d. 1903.

4992. George Elmer Benjamin b. July 16, 1878.

4993. Mary Emma Benjamin b. June 18, 1886; d. 1926 (gs) at Ridgefield; m. --- Burns; buried in the Ridgefield Cemetery.

Resources: p. 183 and 442 Bouton Fam.; Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records.

2947. CLARISSA ADELINE BAKER BENJAMIN[8] (Joel[7], Cyrus[6], Elijah[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born August 29, 1850 at Ridgefield, Conn. (vr); the dau. of Joel and Harriet (Mills) Benjamin; bapt. as an adult on September 6, 1868 at Ridgefield, Conn. (cr 7-328); died January 8, 1940 and buried in the old part of the Ridgefield Cemetery. She m/1 William F. Pardee in 1869 at Wilton, Conn. He was the son of Thomas[6] Pardee and was born August 25, 1848 at Wilton, Conn and died in 1911 in Toledo, Ohio. They were divorced. She m/2 William B. Shaw on October 19, 1886 at New Haven, Conn. Mr. Pardee m/2 Rosie Finch.

Children of William And Addie (Benjamin) Pardee:

4994. William F. Pardee Jr. b. 1871 at Wilton, Conn.; m. 1897 Eva A. Parkerton of Georgetown, Conn. They had no issue.

4995. Minnie Pearl Pardee b. 1873 at Ridgefield, Conn.; m. William L. Barrett of Bristol, Conn. and had 4 children.

4996. Annie M. Pardee b. 1876 at Bridgeport, Conn.; m/1 at Bristol, Conn. on June 6, 1893 Chauncey R. Crane of Bristol; m/2 Allyn S. Badger of Lynn, Mass. She resided in 1924 in Buffalo, N.Y.

Resources: p. 359 Pardee Gen., courtsey of Mrs. Jeanne (John) Schroeder of Evansville, Ind.

2994. REUBEN PERRY BENJAMIN[8] (Reuben[7], Asa[6], James[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1827 at Pierpont, Ashtabula Co., Ohio; the son of Reuben and Almira (Prince) Benjamin; died in 1898. He married Matilda Aldrich.

Children of Reuben and Matilda (Aldrich) Benjamin:
4997. Reuben Eli Benjamin b. 1868; d. 1953; m. Cora C. Bolton. They had:
1. Paul Reuben Benjamin b. 1898; m. Elizabeth Bolton.
2. Velma Benjamin.
4998. Emily Benjamin.
4999. Lulu Inez Benjamin.
5000. Edsen Rilbur Benjamin.

Resource: Family Bible Records courtsey of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, Indiana.

3006. JAMES VAN RENSALAER BENJAMIN[8] James[7-6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1810 at Hinsdale, Mass.; the son of James V. and Sarah (Ross) Benjamin. The date of his death and name of his wife are unknown.

Children of James V.R. Benjamin:
5001. James V. Benjamin b. at Hinsdale, Mass.; m. Mary Ann Ford. b. at Albany, N.Y. They had:
1. Charles Thomas Benjamin b. Nov. 4, 1872 at Stafford Springs; d. Mayl6, 1962 at Milford, Conn.; m. Minnie Clark, the dau. of Isaac and Sarah Almira (Jackson) Clark b. at Milford, Conn. Issue:
a. Ada Benjamin; m. Charles Bassett and had no children.
b. Elsie Benjamin; m. --- Henderson; had no children.
c. Clinton Benjamin; m. but had no children.
d. Irving Benjamin; m.; d. in Derby, Conn.; had no children.
e. Howard Benjamin; m. Bessie Fowler; had dau. Ada May Benjamin b. Dec. 4, 1907 at Milford, Conn.

Resource: Research of W. C. Palmer of Milford, Conn.

3009.MARY E. BENJAMIN[8] (James[7-6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born about 1817 at Hinsdale, Mass.; the dau. of James V. and Sarah (Ross) Benjamin. She married Caleb J. True, the son of Joseph True. He was born about 1810-15 and was over the age of 90 in Michigan. She was in Lafayette, Indiana in 1862.

Children of Caleb and Mary (Benjamin) Brue:
5002. Clinton True b. 1836.
5003. Frances (Fannie) True.
5004. James Benjamin True.

Resources: Records of Stephen True of Fairfax, Calif. and Mrs. Ella Sprague of Grand Island, Nebraska.

3011. AMBROSE S. BENJAMIN[8] (James[7-6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born 1824/28 in New York; the son of James V. and Sarah (Ross) Benjamin; died May 31, 1862 at Island #10 in the Mississippi River in Tennessee during the Civil War, of disease. He married Harriet Cook in 1847 at Albion, Orleans Co., New York. She was born 1826/7 and died April 25, 1865 at Rochester, Racine Co., Wisconsin.

In the effects of the deceased soldier, Ambrose, was a small leather purse with "James V. Benjamin, Holley, N.Y 1839" engraved on it. Apparently this was a keepsake.

Ambrose moved from Orleans Co., N.Y. to Rochester, Wis in 1850. He enlisted at Waterford, Wis. Jan. 28, 1862. They were listed in the 1850 census at Murraytown, Orleans Co., N.Y., and in the 1860 census at Rochester, Wis.

The widow's application for half pay pension gives the birth dates of the children. James Consider Benjamin was guardian in Gage Co., Nebraska, and in a pension request for the minor children, states that his mother died of typhoid fever in Wisconsin on April 25, 1865. He was under 21 years of age at the time, but the law allowed him to care for the children, since he was married.

Ambrose was a private in Co. G. 15th Infantry Regt. of Wisconsin Volunteers.

Children of Ambrose and Harriet (Cook) Benjamin:

5005. James Consider Benjamin b. April 22, 1848 in Orlean Co., N.Y.; m. June 30, 1867 Emily H. Dolen, dau. of Benjamin and Nancy (Chesney) Dolen b. 1847 in Kentucky. He moved to Gage Co., Nebraska and homesteaded there. Issue:

1. Herbert Benjamin b. 1868.
2. Olive Benjamin b. 1871; m. --- Martin of Boise, Idaho.
3. Olina Benjamin, a twin, b. 1871.
4. Prather Benamin b. 1874.
5. Milford Elliot Benjamin b. January 3, 1878 at Gage Co., Nebraska; d. Sept. 6, 1964 at Grand Island, Neb.; m. April 2, 1902 Sadie Christine Farver in Neb. She b. Nov. 29, 1882 at Delaware Co., Ohio, d. Sept. 1, 1939 near Edison, Nebraska; the dau. of Lafayette and Susan (Litzenberg) Farver of Nelson, Neb. They had: Vyrl; Francis; Floyd; Claud Elliot; Jesse; Edna; Susan; James C.; and Doris Christine Benjamin.
6. Goudey M. Benjamin b. 1879; m. --- Freeman; lived in California.
7. Emily Benjamin b. May 1880.
8. Pearl Benjamin born after 1880; m. --- Percy of Home Dale, Idaho.

James Consider was in the 1880 census of Blakely Precinct, Gage Co., Nebraska.

5006. Lyman Charles Benjamin b. 1849 in New York; died

before 1860.

5007. Franklin Porter Benjamin b. January 3, 1852 in Wis.
5008. Eva Isador Benjamin b. January 8, 1854 in Wis.
5009. Herbert Hiland Benjamin b. November 26, 1858 in Wis

Resources: Records of Mrs. Ella Sprague of Grand Island, Nebraska; p. 178 Litzenbergs in Am., Litzenberg, 1948.

3019. JAMES DICKSON; legally changed to ALVAH BENJAMIN[8] (Alvah[7], James[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born April 30, 1821 at Middillefield, Mass. (vr); the son of Alvah and Nancy (Pease) Benjamin; died September 18, 1878 and is buried in East Twin Grove Cemetery near Bloomington, Illinois. He married Sarah Ellen Stiger (Steger) on June 11, 1848. She was born October 27, 1824 and died February 18, 1878. He MAY have married first Harriet P. Rockwell of East Hampton Mass., the dau. of Zerah and Phebe (Carter) Rockwell. She was born December 31, 1825. There is a record that she married an Alvah Benjamin, but there is no date.

James Dickson was named for his grandfather. His father died when he was three years old, and when he was 12 years of age, he had his name changed to that of his father, Alvah Dickson Benjamin.

When quite a young lad, Alvah went to sea for 2 or 3 years, and went around the world during that time. He returned to Mass. and then moved to McLean Co., Illinois. He bought land there, then worked on the Mississippi River for a time. He returned and married. He build a 16 room home at Dale, McLean Co., Illinois, hoping his children would live there--but none did. In 1858 Dale was organized as a town, and he was elected overseer of Highways.

Children of Alvah and Sarah (Stiger) Benjamin:

5010. Austin Pease Benjamin b. February 20, 1850 in McLean Co., Illinois; d. October 11, 1929; m. Dec. 31, 1872 Margaret Carothers. She was born August 8, 1852 in Illinois and d. May 5, 1912. He was born in a small house built of native lumber. He owned most of the land which his father owned in his lifetime, since he was the only son who remained a farmer. He attended Illinois Westlyn University and was one of the few Democrats to be supervisor of the Republican majority area of Dale Township. Issue:

1. Charles Benjamin b. Feb. 4, 1874 in Illinois; d. Jan. 27, 1952; had one son: Weldon Benjamin, who died young.
2. Frank Carothers Benjamin b. Feb. 4, 1874 in Illinois; m. May 23, 1902 Louella Bevan b. March 13, 1878. He joined the Spanish-American Army in the Calvary Division. They had: Edith; Helen Marquerite; Harley Alden; Esther

Harriet; Samuel Austin; Woodrow Wilson; and Richard Allen Benjamin.

3. Ella (Eleanor) Benjamin b. April 11, 1889 in Illinois; d. October 25, 1937; m. Dec. 14, 1916 Leslie Bicknell, b. March 2, 1891. They had no issue.

5011. Alvah Dickson Benjamin Jr. b. September 26, 1851 at Bloomington, Ill.; d. March 25, 1936; m. January 21, 1875 Esther Darrow, b. Aug. 16, 1854, d. Jan. 13, 1937.

5012. Nancy Benjamin b. June 1853 at Bloomington, Ill.; d. September 1854.

5013. Alden Curtis Benjamin b. March 13, 1855 at Blooming ton, Ill.; d. October 8, 1939; m. February 7, 1878 Josephine Lovengurth. Issue: Hollie Benjamin b. Oct. 5, 1878, d. March 12, 1907.

5013. Nancy Ellen Benjamin b. April 12, 1857 at Bloomington, Ill.; d. April 1, 1953; m. December 24, 1878 William Aldrich, b. Oct. 1, 1845 at Rome Center, Michigan, d. May 27, 1905 at Rome, Mich.; they had 3 children: Lloyd Inman Aldrich b. Dec. 20, 1879 at Rome, Mich. and 2 other children.

5014. Laura Frances Benjamin b. April 11, 1860 at Bloomington, Ill.; d. July 15, 1933; m. Sept. 30, 1880 Robert Nelson Inhofe, b. Dec. 2, 1854, d. Feb. 21 1922. Both are buried at Cumberland, Iowa.

Resources: Benjamin Gen., Edith Benjamin; p. 655 Hist. of Ancient Windsor, Conn.; Family Group Sheet from Library of Latter Day Saints in Salt Lake City, Utah; Records of Mrs. Ruth Aldrich Edgar of Grand Rapids, Mich; p. 70 Names Changed in Mass. 1780-1893, Wright.

3028. FORDYCE J. BENJAMIN[8] (Chauncey[7], Roger[6], Jas.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born in 1826 perhaps at Albany, Albany Co., New York; the son of Chauncey and Harriet (---) Benjamin; death date unknown. He married about 1850 in Missouri to Martha A. Morgan, the dau. of William Morgan. She was born January 18, 1836 in Missouri and died November 15, 1916 at Susanville, Lassen Co., California.

Children of Fordyce and Martha (Morgan) Benjamin:

5015. William Morgan Benjamin b. May 14, 1852 at Petaluma Sonoma Co., Calif.; d. February 11, 1904 at Susanville, Calif.; m. January 1, 1882 at Johnstonville, Lassen Co., Calif. to Mary Ellen DeForest, the dau. of Clinton A. and Mary Ellen (Hart) DeForest. She was b. Oct. 5, 1861 at Plesant Valley, Iowa and died Oct. 18, 1895 in Lassen Co., Calif. They Had:

1. Ruby Benjamin b. February 25, 1883 in Lassen Co., Calif.; d. Jan. 23, 1963 at Santa Cruz, Calif.; m. October 1, 1901 at Susanville to

Wallace Mankins, son of Samuel W. and Mary Derinda (Watson) Mankins, b. Aug. 4, 1878 at Walla Walla Co., Wash., d. Feb. 6, 1943 at Ponitac, Michigan.

a. Gordon Wallace Mankins b. April 19, 1908; d. Dec. 1972; m. Helen ---.
b. Marvin Oroville Mankins b. July 30, 1912
c. Hershall LaVerne Mankins b. Dec. 15, 1918 at Westwood, Calif.; m. June 4, 1938 June Rosemary Alston. b. May 16, 1921 at Delena, Oregon.
d. William Raleigh Mankins b. May 4, 1902 at Susanville, Calif.; d. Dec. 17, 1942; m. Mamie Johnson.

2. Rosa Benjamin b. Feb. 5, 1885 at Lassen Co., Calif.; m. Dec. 18, 1904 William Hartson.
3. Grace Benjamin b. Feb. 4, 1887; m. Nov. 20, 1908 Charles Louis Ramsey.
4. Mabel Benjamin b. March 12, 1891; m. July 1, 1911 John Filmore Cooper.
5. Etta Benjamin b. Sept. 30, 1889; m. Dec. 22, 1915 Edgar Lanigar.
6. Enid Benjamin b. Aug. 30, 1895; m. Nov. 24, 1915 Kenneth Lemont Wilcox.
7. Fordyce Benjamin b. June 1893 at Lassen Co., Calif.; d. July 26, 1893.

5016. Charles A. Benjamin b. 1853 at Petaluma, Calif.; m. December 30, 1878 Harriet C. DeForest.
5017. Oliver Benjamin b. 1863 at Petaluma, Calif.; m. Aug 30, 1884 Walker B. Clark. (Oliver is female.)
5018. Eugenia Benjamin b. 1858; m. April 21, 1878 to Charles Lawson.
5019. Otho Benjamin b. 1865 in Calif.
5020. Frances Benjamin b. 1871 in Calif.
5021. Rutomonte Benjamin b. 1867 in Calif.

Resources: 1850 census of Sonoma Co., Calif.; 1880 census of Lassen Co., Calif.; records of Mrs. Melanie Spurgeon of Seattle, Wash.

3067. REUBEN BENJAMIN[8] (Mason[7], Selah[6], James[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born August 19, 1827 at Pownal, Vermont; the son of Mason and Mary (---) Benjamin; died August 14, 1863 at Bennington, Vermont (vr). He married Lidia A. Rand, the dau. of David and Rachel (---) Rand. She was born about 1828 at Pownal, Vt. and died January 20, 1863 at Bennington, Vt. (vr) and is buried in the Village Cemetery. Children, if any, are unknown.

Resource: Vermont Vital Records.

3068. WILLIAM O. BENJAMIN[8] (Mason[7], Selah[6], Jam.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1] born June 29, 1837 at Bennington, Vermont; the son of Mas-

on and Mary (---) Benjamin; died February 30, 1914. He married Louisa Lewis on July 17, 1860. She was born February 12, 1836 in Bedford Co., Tenn. and died February 1, 1923 at Sparta, Illinois.

Children of William and Louisa (Lewis) Benjamin:

5022. Martha Davis Benjamin b. July 21, 1864; d. November 17, 1934; unmarried.

5023. Rachel Benjamin b. February 14, 1866; d. November 16, 1949; m. William E. Skelly, b. May 8, 1864, d. May 9, 1925 at Sparta, Ill. Issue:
   1. James H. Skelly b. Oct. 14, 1887; d. Jan. 15, 1925 at Sparta; m. Dec. 26, 1913 Maude Agnes Lowe b. March 10, 1892, d. Feb. 13, 1923. They had: Bertha Skelly, who m. --- Johnson and Albert Lester Skelly.
   2. Walter G. Skelly b. Feb. 2, 1890; d. May1893.
   3. Ora Skelly b. Dec. 3, 1894; d. Nov. 1896.

5024. William Benjamin b. September 28, 1882; d. November 6, 1913; m. Martha J. ---, b. Dec. 24, 1861.

5025. Lulu Benjamin; m. --- Bacon.

5026. Mary Benjamin; m. --- Quinn; her only son was killed in an accident on the highway in manhood.

5027. Anna Benjamin b. 1867; d. August 13, 1939, age 71-7-14; unmarried.

5028. Maude Benjamin b. 1874; m/1 Dec. 1892 Henry Parks, b. Jan. 31, 1872; m/2 May 22, 1901 James Caldwell b. in Scotland in 1852.
   1. Anna Mae Parks b. July 12, 1894; m. Feb. 1, 1916 John McHenry Adams b. 1882, d. 1955.
   2. Leona Caldwell; m. Nov. 1, 1920 Charles W. Byrd, who d. Jan. 1929.
   3. Frances Caldwell; m. June 30, 1923 John J. Knowles.

Resources: Brief Gen. Notes 1810-1953 from Salt Lake City Library Vol. I p. 138, courtsey of Earl Benjamin of Portland, Oregon.

3069. HY E. BENJAMIN[8] (Mason[7], Selah[6], Jam.[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born February 15, 1840 at Bennington, Vermont; the son of Mason and Mary (---) Benjamin; died January 22, 1899. He married Martha E. ----, b. 1847, d. 1914.

Children of Hy and Martha (---) Benjamin:

5029. Ed Benjamin b. 1868; d. 1937; m. September 25, 1893 Eliza McKelvey.

Resources: Vermont Vital Records.

3072. HENRY BENJAMIN[8] (Dewey[7], Salah[6], Jam.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born about 1844 at Bennington, Vermont; the son of Dewey and Betsey (Green) Benjamin. It would seem that he had two marriage ceremonies with the same woman, one when he

17 years of age and another when he was 25! He m/1 Susan Moulton June 6, 1861 at Bennington, Vermont (vr) and m/2 Susannah Molton November 20, 1867 at Bennington, Vermont. (vr). Susan was the dau. of William and Angeline (York) Moulton and was born February 23, 1843 at Pownal, Vt. and died March 8, 1922 at Bennington, Vt., (vr) age 79 yrs. 13 days, as a widow.

He was a laborer and listed in the 1880 census at Pownal, Bennington Co., Vt.

Children of Henry and Susan (Moulton) Benjamin:

5030. George H. Benjamin b. 1867/8.

5031. Aclsworth Benjamin b. 1868/9.

5032. Betsey Evaline Benjamin b. August 4, 1870 at Pownal Vt. (vr).

5033. Maybelle Benjamin b. 1872/3; m. May 3, 1902 Murray L. Towsley at Bennington, Vt. (vr).

5034. Drine (Dime/Duire) Benjamin b. 1868; m. Sept. 6, 1902 Nora Thompson at Bennington, Vt. (vr). He d. Nov. 1906, age 38, at Pownal, Vt. (vr).
1. Harry Benjamin b. 1903.
2. Hilda Eva Lena Benjamin b. 1904.
3. Robert Henry Benjamin b. 1906.

Resources: Census and Vital Records of Vermont.

3104. ABIGAIL ATWATER BENJAMIN[8] (John[7-6], Barz.[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John born January 22, 1849 at Milford, Conn.; the dau. of John and Sarah (Marshall) Benjamin; died February 14, 1927 at Milford. She married Charles A. Smith of Milford on August 26, 1874 at Milford. He was the son of Alanson and Marion (Gilbert) Smith and was born in 1852 and died October 3, 1816.

Children of Charles and Abigail (Benjamin) Smith:

5035. Fredrick Marshall Smith b. June 23, 1875 at Milford Conn.; d. April 29, 1949; m. November 8, 1899 to Alice M. Beard of Milford, dau. of Joseph and Alice (Davis) Beard, b. February 19, 1877, d. Mar 21, 1946. Issue:
1. Russell Smith; died young.
2. Mildred Smith b. 1905.
3. Helen Smith b. 1910.

5036. Charlotte Marie Smith b. July 16, 1877; d. September 16, 1953; m. June 12, 1901 Sherman T. Merwin of Milford, Conn., b. December 8, 1864, d. August 27, 1908, the son of Caleb Merwin. Issue:
1. Miles Wheeler Merwin b. April 19, 1903; m. 1930 Elizabeth Turner.
2. Doris Louise Merwin b. April 22, 1905.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Mrs. Elgie Way of Orange, Conn. Milford Cemetery Records.

3108. WILLIAM DAVID BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], John[6], Barz.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John baptised September 17, 1843 at Milford, Conn. at the Cong. Church (cr 3-145); the son of William and Louisa (Smith) Benjamin. His death date is unknown. He married Nellie O. ---, who was born in 1848 and died December 4, 1872 and is buried in the Milford, Conn. Cemetery, lot #1-99. He m/2 Minnie Root.

Children of William and Nellie (---) Benjamin:
5037. Nellie Benjamin; m. --- Hall.

Children of William and Minnie (Root) Benjamin:
5038. William Raymond Benjamin b. March 1, 1882 at New Haven, Conn.; d. August 19, 1851; m/1 ?; m/2 October 1930 Mabel Sarah (Robinson) Jellison, b. March 15, 1887; d. October 14, 1958 at Lake Worth. There was no issue of the 2nd marriage, tho Mabel had a son by her first husband, who lived in Ohio in 1958.
5039. David Benjamin b. December 22, 1885 at New Haven, Conn.

Resources: Research of W. Palmer of Milford, Conn.; Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records.

3121. EDWIN (EDWARD?) MILES BENJAMIN[8] (Luther[7], John[6], Barz.[5], Jos. 4-3-2, John[1]) born September 7, 1861 at Milford, Conn.; the son of Luther and Susan (Baldwin) Benjamin; bapt. September 1, 1865 at Milford Cong. Church (cr 2-8); died November 16, 1932 at Milford, Conn. and buried in the Milford Cemetery, lot #1-10. He married Alice Dawson Beers on January 10, 1889. She was the dau. of Louis and Charlotte (Ford) Beers and was born May 11, 1866 at Milford and died July 19, 1956 at Milford.

Children of Edwin and Alice (Beers) Benjamin:
5040. Mildred Dawson Benjamin b. October 27, 1889 at Milford, Conn.; m. October 16, 1909 Horace Rutland (Ruland). Had son William Horace Rutland b. Aug. 9, 1910 at Bridgeport, Conn, m. Aug. 1934 Doris Atkinson, b. May 1, 1915 at Greenville, Fla.
5041. Percy Edward Benjamin b. August 19, 1895 at Milford Conn.; m. July 19, 1919 Grace Elizabeth Lyon, dau of Fred and Nellie Grace (Banks) Lyon, b. Jan. 18 1894 at Greenwich, Conn. They had:
1. David Martin Benjamin b. July 31, 1921; m. July 14, 1944 Edith Trollop.
2. Janice Alice Benjamin b. Oct. 6, 1922 at Stamford, Conn.; m. Jan. 26, 1946 David Perkins Smallidge at Braintree, Mass.
3. Nancy Marion Benjamin b. October 6, 1922.

Resources: Research of W. C. Palmer of Milford, Conn.; Recourds of Percy Benjamin of S. Weymouth, Mass.

3129. DR. WILLIAM VIRGIL WILSON[8] (Julia[7], John[6], Barz.[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born December 26, 1845 at Milford, Conn.; the son of Elisha and Julia Ann (Benjamin) Wilson; died 192? at North Adams, Mass. He married Nelly Hubbell Brayton of N. Adams, Mass. on November 7, 1867 at Hossiac Corners. She was the dau. of William P. Brayton and was born March 7, 1845 at North Adams, Mass.

Dr. Wilson is the person who did so much research on the Benjamin family in the late 1800's, with the intention of publishing a family genealogy. Unfortunately, he died before his dream was accomplished. His widow donated his notes to the National Archives. In this publication, in a listing under resources, will often be found the notation--Dr. Wilson's records. Those are the one's refered to.

He graduated from the Dept. of Medicine at Yale in 1867.

Children of William and Nelly (Brayton) Wilson:

5042. Cornelia Gertrude Wilson b. Nov. 10, 1869 at Brooklyn, N.Y.; d. Nov. 30, 1878 at Elizabeth, N.J.

5043. Phillip Elisha Wilson b. Jan. 18, 1872 at Elizabeth N.J.; was corporal in Col. A., 19th U.S. Infantry Regt. in Spanish American War; in 1901 was in Cebu Cebu Island in the Phillipines.

5044. Nelly Adeline Wilson b. November 5, 1878 at S. Brunswick, N.J.; m. May 4, 1899 Edward W. Bradley in W. Haven, Conn.

5045. Nettie Wilson b. July 17, 1881 at Chambersburg, (now Trenton), New Jersey.

5046. Elizabeth Brayton Wilson b. January 3, 1884 at S. Brunswick, N.J.

Resources: Records of Dr. Wilson.

3203. WILLIAM BENJAMIN[8] (Thomas[7-6], Josiah[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 12, 1818 at Stillwater, Saratoga Co., New York; the son of Thomas and Margaret (Cooper) Benjamin; bapt. September 18, 1818 at the Stillwater Cong. Church (cr); died January 6, 1892 at Hortonville, Wisconsin. He m/1 about 1838 in Rensalaer Co., New York Elyda (Alida) Ann Haynes. She was the dau. of David and Martha (Pettit) Haynes and was born December 24, 1822 in Rensalaer Co., New York and died December 1872 in Fon du Lac Co., Wisconsin. He m/2 December 10, 1872 at Outagamie Co., Wis. (vr 1-135) Caroline (Tinsley) Norton, the dau. of Lawrence and Emeline Tinsley. She was born October 6, 1813 in New York and died March 5, 1920. She m/3 January 30, 1891 at Outagamie Co., Wis. Wesley Haynes.(brother of Elyda Ann.)

William lived in Saratoga Co., N.Y. until 1841, when he moved to Dayton, Cattaragus Co., N.Y. and then came to Wisconsin about 1858. He first lived in Waupun Township, Fon du Lac Co., then to Maplegrove, Waupaca Co., and fin-

ally to Hortonville, Outagamie Co., Wis.

Children of William and Elyda (Haynes) Benjamin:

5047. Thomas Hiram Benjamin b. June 25, 1839 at Saratoga Co., N.Y.; d. January 24, 1917 at Belmont, Portage Co., Wis.; m. October 15, 1863 at Waupaca Co Wis. (vr 1-301) Maria L. Hilyer, dau. of William and Dianna (---) Hilyer, b. March 9, 1848 in New York; d. June 22, 1943 at Belmont, Portage Co., Wis. Issue:

1. Eugene Benjamin b. Dec. 8, 1864 at Maple Grove Wis.; d. March 7, 1871 at Maple Grove, Wis.
2. Dianna Benjamin b. Aug. 26, 1866; d. March 7, 1871 at Maple Grove, Wis.
3. William John Benjamin b. Nov. 6, 1867 at Maple Grove; d. Jan. 6, 1949 at Bancroft, Wis m. July 22, 1891 Mary Collier b. Sept. 30, 1868; d. May 1, 1933/4.
   a. Earle Clarence Benjamin b. Sept. 13, 1893 at Belmont, Wis.; d. Jan. 26, 1961 at Bancroft, Wis.; m. May 18, 1920 at Heffron Agnes Mildred Smith, b. Mar. 17, 1895 at Almond, Wis.
   b. Ward John Benjamin b. Nov. 29, 1895; d. June 11, 1956; m. June 27, 1928 Nora Bertha Rein b. July 25, 1900.
   c. Floyd Charles Benjamin b. March 8, 1899; m. June 24, 1924 Remuda Ferdellis Gratton b. March 9, 1899.
   d. George Benjamin b. April 5, 1905 at Friendship, Wis.; m. Dec. 23, 1923 Augusta Fuerbringer b. Feb. 10, 1901.
4. Florence Benjamin b. July 17, 1871; d. Jan. 18, 1961 at Waupaca, Wis.; m. December 13, 1890 at Stevens Point, Wis. to Edward Theodore Minton b. June 13, 1858 at Waupaca, Wis. d. Feb. 20, 1917 at Portage, Wis.
   a. Frank Minton b. Nov. 17, 1895 at Portage Co., Wis.; m/1 July 30, 1923 Wilma Hammon m/2 April 30, 11950 Amanda Larson.
   b. Grace Inex Minton b. May 18, 1901; m. Jan 1931 James Hobart Slattery b. June 13, 1904; d. Nov. 14, 1962.
   c. Jessie Mary Minton b. June 7, 1903; m. Sept. 3, 1933 Irvin B. Erickson b. March 2, 1894 at Waupaca, Wis.
   d. Thomas Minton b. June 11, 1905; m. Sept. 1, 1925 Edna McAuley b. April 24, 1904.
   e. Evelyn Mae Minton b. June 26, 1912; m. Nov. 23, 1943 Leonard G. Duescher b. Sep 23, 1917.
5. Uriah Charles Benjamin b. April 6, 1875 at Maple Grove, Wis.; d. February 10, 1962 at

Waupaca, Wis.; m. July 18, 1900 Cora Belle Russell b. Jan. 16, 1875 at Lemond, Steele Co Minn., d. December 11, 1943 at Belmont, Portage Co., Wis., the dau. of Gilbert H. and Henrietta (Coats) Russell. He was a farmer.

a. Thelma Mae Benjamin b. Dec. 17, 1902 at Lemond, Steele Co., Minn.; d. May 20, 1970 at Racine, Wis.; m/1 August 10, 1927 Erwin Peter Wall b. April 6, 1897 at Roxbury, Wis., d. Sept. 5, 1959 at Racine, Wis., the son of Edward Stephen and Anna E. (Connors) Wall, parents of GloriaBicha.

6. Guy Benjamin b. Feb. 18, 1878 at Belmont, Wis d. April 6, 1957 at Belmont, Wis.; m/1 Mar. 2 1904 Isabelle Young b. Aug. 28, 1877, d. Mar. 6, 1919; m/2 Dec. 4, 1919 Anna Marie (---) Hanson b. 1878; d. Apr. 26, 1963.

7. Roy Benjamin b. October 1, 1800 at Belmont; d. Feb. 14, 1959; m. March 31, 1913 Caroline Bertha Schrader b. July 4, 1894, d. 1970 at Waupaca, Wis.

a. Erwin A. Benjamin b. June 28, 1915; m. Dec. 16, 1939 Irene DeClaire b. April 21, 1920.

b. Orville Benjamin b. May 1, 1922; m. Nov. 1941 Lorna Miller b. Aug. 4, 1922.

8. Ida May Benjamin b. Jan. 1, 1883 at Belmont; d. 1976 at Waupaca, Wis.; m. Aug. 9, 1905 at Almond, Wis. to Francis A. Peterson b. Oct. 11, 1884 at Amherst, Wis., d. Jan. 29, 1958 at Waupaca, Wis.

a. Linder Roscoe Peterson b. Jan. 8, 1906; d. June 31, 1957 at Waupaca, Wis.; m. Dec 12, 1934 at Stevens Point to Gladys Boelter b. June 6, 1910.

b. Aaron Colbe Peterson b. Feb. 3, 1908; m. Apr. 3, 1935 to Lorena Boelter b. Aug. 23 1913.

c. Letha Leora Peterson b. Oct. 8, 1910 at Belmont, Wis.; m. Apr. 9, 1929 Dean Hebard b. June 14, 1904.

d. Ivis May Peterson b. Nov. 14, 1918 at Amherst, Wis.; m/1 Feb. 22, 1935 Elmer Schlichting b. June 4, 1916, d. May 3, 1945; m/2 Eddie Stowe.

9. Ira Benjamin b. August 5, 1885 at Belmont, Wis.; d. April 1, 1887 at Belmont.

10. Myra Benjamin b. Nov. 13, 1887 at Belmont; d. March 14, 1964 at Waupaca, Wis.; m. Dec. 25, 1906 at Almond, Wis. to George Peter Jansen b. Jan. 14, 1883 at Lenark, Wis.; d. Dec. 16, 1963 at Waupaca, Wis.

a. Ray T. Jansen b. July 7, 1907 at Almond,

Wis.; m/1 June 30, 1929 at Fremont, Wis. to Marian V. Jorgensen b. May 25, 1911; m/2 Dec. 31, 1963 Geniveve Reiniger b. July 20, 1911 at Milwaukee, Wis.

b. Ruth Marie Jansen b. June 16, 1912 at Almond, Wis.; m/1 Mar. 26, 1929 John Weller b. Dec. 12, 1907 at Rosholt, Wis.; d. Dec. 17, 1951 at Milwaukee; m/2 Phillip Cook b. May 30, 1918 at Waupaca, Wis.

c. Nila Mae Jansen b. July 27, 1923 at Almond, Wis.; m. Sept. 2, 1944 at Waukegan, Ill. Robert J. King b. Dec. 2, 1913 at Browerville, Minn.

5048. James J. Brisbin Benjamin b. February 27, 1841 at Saratoga Co., New York; d. June 29, 1920 at Hortonville, Wis.; m/1 Jan. 25, 1863 at Waupaca Co., Wis. Denice Electa Southworth, dau. of Ralph Burns and Susanna Kelly (Ward) Southworth. She was born June 2, 1847 at Lake Geneva, Wis. and d. Dec. 20, 1908 at Waupaca Co., Wis. He m/2 Sophia Schroeder Waters on July 5, 1913 at New London, Wis. She was b. Nov. 19, 1848 in Germany and d. April 21, 1927 in Waupaca Co., Wis. Issue:

1. Andrew Jackson Benjamin bc. 1864 at Waupaca Co., Wis.; m. June 27, 1893 at Weyauwega, Wis Carrie Bell Green, dau.of Hiram and Andelia (Webb) Green. She was b. in Jefferson, Wis..
2. Lepha Elvira Benjamin bc. 1866; m. Dec. 26, 1888 at Waupaca Co., Wis. to Samuel McNeeley, son of Richard and Clara (Battie) McNeeley. He was b. in Port Huron, Mich. and they lived Waters River, Michigan.

5049. David Haynes Benjamin b. July 28, 1843 at Saratoga Co., New York; d. February 27, 1920 at Waupun, Wis. and buried in the National Military Cem. in Kansas City, a private and sergeant in the 9th Battery of Wis. Volunteers in the Civil War.; m/1 Feb. 25, 1893 at Outgamie Co., Wis. to Amarett Allen b. Oct. 20, 1847, d. Oct. 5, 1892; he m/2 Aug. 3, 1893 at Outgamie Co., Wis. Henrietta Saeger b. in Germany and d. 1894, the dau. of Fred and Lasllia (Lemke) Saeger; m/3 November 16 1898 Marietta (or Nannette) Allen who d. 1899.

1. Alice Isabelle Benjamin b. Feb. 23, 1867; d. April 2, 1894.
2. Millie P. Benjamin b. Mar. 18, 1868; d. Aug. 23, 1869.
3. Nellie Amelia Benjamin b. Dec. 23, 1869; d. Nov. 29, 1941; m/1 Dec. 24, 1892 Edward D. Filmore b. Apr. 18, 1856 at Hartland, Wis.; d. June 29, 1934; m/2 Oct. 15, 1920 John Heintz. She had no issue.
4. William Corlis Benjamin b. July 14, 1873; d.

Sept. 16, 1933; m. Sept. 16, 1902 Pearl M. Smith.; resided in Kansas.
a. Francis Benjamin b. Jan. 20, 1916.
b. David Benjamin b. Aug. 10, 1919.

5. Alfred H. Benjamin b. Mar. 1, 1874; d. Feb. 19, 1879.

6. Arthur Lester Benjamin b. March 19, 1876; d. Oct. 1951; m. Oct. 29, 1900 Bertha Koepsell, b. Sept. 17, 1877, d. July 17, 1957
a. Irene Elda Benjamin b. Mar. 28, 1901; d. 1972; m. Sept. 6, 1920 Otto Meyer; reside Stambaugh, Mich.
b. Hartland Sylvester Benjamin b. July 29, 1903; d. Feb. 2, 1961.

7. Gertrude Estelle Benjamin b. Aug. 6, 1878 at Hortonville, Wis.; d. Dec. 13, 1943 at Horton ville; m. Nov. 16, 1898 Frak Hough b. Sept. 10, 1869 at Hortonia, Wis. and d. Nov. 14, 1956, the son of Horatio G. and Sarah (Muller Hough.
a. Marie Watson Benjamin (adopted) b. Mar. 7 1900; m. Aug. 29, 1940 Earl Thern; reside New London, Wis.

8. Harvey Lee Benjamin b. Jan. 8, 1882; d. Aug. 21, 1963; m/1 Jan. 26, 1902 at Hortonville to Effie Belle Clark, dau.of Jerome M. and Sophia (Puckham) Clark b. Sept. 29, 1882, d. June 29, 1948; m/2 July 2, 1949 Cynthia Rudeback b. Feb. 24, 1898, d. Dec. 24, 1962.
a. Beatrice Benella Benjamin b. July 27, 1902 at Hortonville; d. Mar. 14, 1903.
b. Neita Mary Benjamin b. Oct. 9, 1903; m. Oct. 20, 1926 John Cyril Hyland b. Feb. 9 1902, d. Feb. 11, 1956.
c. Ruth Inez Benjamin b. Oct. 31, 1905; d. Feb. 5, 1921.
d. Donald H. Benjamin b. Aug. 18, 1916 at Hortonville, Wis.; m. Aug. 17, 1940 to Helen Kamps b. May 3, 1917 at Neenah, Wis
e. Eunice Betty Benjamin b. Dec. 29, 1920; m Feb. 20, 1939 Forrest B. Landreth b. Aug. 25, 1910.
f. Marjorie Ellen Benjamin b. 1926; d. 1926.

5050. Mary Jane Benjamin b. 1854 at Cattaragus Co., New York; d. ?; m. August 22, 1869 at Waupaca Co., Wis. (vr 2-42) to Daniel (David) Lamb Jr., the son of Daniel and Elizabeth (---) Lamb. He was b. at Hartford, Conn. Daniel may have been m. before this m. and possibly again after.

1. Libbie Lamb died in 1930; m. Charles Hill, who died in 1938; resided at Beloit, Wis.

2. Albert J. Lamb b. Aug. 23, 1870; d. Jan. 9, 1936; m/1 May 21, 1893 Adella S. Birmingham

b. Sept. 30, 1871 in Wis., d. Jan. 9, 1920. He m/2 June 6, 1920 Grace Birmingham.

3. Frank Lamb d. 1935; m. Catherine Colling b. d. Dec. 29, 1880 at Seymour, Wis., d. 1965.
4. Charles Lamb; d. May 16, 1958; m. Elizabeth Shepherd.
5. Alvin D. Lamb b. May 14, 1874 in Wis.; d. Jun 16, 1938 m/1 Dec. 11, 1894 Sarah Mabel Christion; m/2 Feb. 21, 1900 Ruby Lucy Tarr b. July 7, 1879, d. Feb. 14, 1960.
5. Ira H. Lamb b. Sept. 24, 1881 at Hortonville, Wis.; d. 1950; m/1 Flossie Damon b. Jan. 22, 1878, d. 1947; m/2 Ella ---.
6. Daniel Lamb Jr. b. Apr. 20, 1886 at Hortonville; d. Aug. 28, 1886 of cholera.
7. Robert Lamb b. Aug. 7, 1888.
8. Evan Lamb.
9. Florence Lamb.

5051. Sarah Frances Benjamin b. 1857 at Cattaragus Co., New York; d. November 12, 1917; m. October 21, 1872 at Waupaca Co., Wis. (vr 2-175) George William Batten, the son of John and Sophia (Allen) Batten. He was b. Jan. 8, 1842 at Grand Rapids, Wis. and d. Feb. 22, 1926 at Waupaca Co., Wis.

1. Lyda Amelia Batten b. 1875 in Waupaca Co., Wi d. June 26, 1959; m. George Jorgenson b. Sept 13, 1860; d. Dec. 4, 1950
2. John W. Batten b. March7, 1876; d. Nov. 11, 1943 at Waupaca, Wis.; m. April 24, 1901 to Blanche Fletcher b. Dec. 15, 1878 at Lebanon, Wis., d. Nov. 26, 1952 at Milwaukee, Wis.
3. James T. Batten b. April 1, 1878; d. April 20 1955 at Washara Co., Wis.; unm.
4. Luther Wesley Batten b. Feb. 2, 1880; d. Nov. 15, 1960 at Marathon Co., Wis.; m. July 12, 1906 Elizabeth L. Barrington b. Apr. 14, 1884 at Washara Co., Wis.
5. Eliza Jane Batten b. Jan. 3, 1883 at Waupaca, Wis.; d. Feb. 1965; m. Jan. 1, 1905 Thomas Witte (Witty).
6. Henry Hiram Batten b. April 26, 1884 at Waupaca Co., Wis.; d. Feb. 19, 1957 at Weyauwega Wis., unm.
7. George Washington Batten b. Jan. 23, 1886 at Waupaca Co., Wis.; d. Feb. 17, 1959 at Shemington, Wis.; m. Dec. 14, 1908 Emma (Prell) Ravey; res. Camp Douglas, Wis.
8. Arthur David Batten b. Apr. 18, 1887; d. July 16, 1952; unm.
9. Martin Tenus Batten b. Dec. 29, 1888 at Waupaca Co., Wis.; d. Nov. 15, 1960 at Waupaca; m. May 22, 1907 Gertrude M. Durant, b. Jan. 1, 1889 at Waupaca; d. Apr. 15, 1954.

10. Anna Frances Batten b. Sept. 4, 1891; d. Jan. 31, 1963; unm.
11. Dora Etta Batten b. July 24, 1893; m. March 25, 1915 Joseph Irwin b. Mar. 9, 1881; d. May 4, 1957; resided Prairie du Chien, Wis.
12. Elsie Sophia Batten b. March 9, 1895; m/1 July 28, 1914 Maurice Petty b, Jan. 29, 1893, d. Mar. 15, 1923; m/2 Aug. 28, 1937 Earnest Mortenson b. Jan. 29, 1903 at Stoughton, Wis. Resided: Milton, Wis.
13. Sarah May Batten, was adopted, and her named changed to Margaret Marie Mittlestady b. Oct. 4, 1897; d. Oct. 16, 1918 at Westfield, Wis.; m. Albert Lepperb of Westfield

5052. Caroline Amelia Benjamin b. January 14, 1859 at Waupun Twp., Fon du Lac Co., Wis.; d. October 2, 1917; m. April 22, 1877 at Waupaca Co., Wis. (vr 2-82) James Elliott Leach b. May 27, 1850; d. June 5; 1935.
1. Chloe Armyn Leach b. Jan. 17, 1879 in Kansas; d. Dec. 26, 1915; m. Feb. 10, 1904 Irwin F. Spurgeon. He m. again. No issue of this m.
2. Earl Allen Leach b. Jan. 21, 1884 at Hortonville, Wis.; d. Dec. 1, 1923; m. Mar. 4, 1908 Mabel Ainata Lathrop b. Feb. 27, 1882.
3. Ray Clifton Leach b. July 2, 1885 at Hortonville, Wis.; d. Aug. 27, 1946; m/1 March 22, 1911 Grace Lathrop b. Feb. 9, 1889 in Minn., the dau. of Theo. and Addie (Golley) Lathrop, d. Feb. 20, 1924. He m/2 June 23, 1925 Romona Cottrell b. Feb. 20, 1903. She m/2 Louis Steichen; resided Neenah, Wis.
4. dau. b. 1888; d. 1888.
5. Arnold Leach b. Dec. 23, 1892; d. Feb. 5, 1934; m. Feb. 14, 1912 Tinnie --- b. March 30 1892; d. Oct. 18, 1957; resided New London.

5053. John Wesley Benjamin b. February 3, 1861 at Waupun Twp., Fon du Lac Co., Wis.; d. Nov. 1, 1918 at Hortonville, Wis.; m. May 8, 1884 Katherine Washusock, the dau. of Frank and Susan (Pulaski) Washusock b. Jan. 28, 1864 in New London, Wis.; d July 19, 1945. No issue of this m.

5054. Charles Van Order Benjamin b. August 2, 1863 at Hortonville, Wis.; d. August 6, 1941 at Hortonville; m/1 Oct. 5, 1884 Elizabeth Jennie Jacquot b. Aug. 12, 1866 at Hortonville, the dau. of Louis A. and Clarice C. (Risso) Jacquot, d. Sept. 28, 1908. He m/2 August 27, 1918 Mrs. Mary (Mae) Fourney b. 1871, d. April 27, 1947.
1. Bessie B. Benjamin b. Nov. 6, 1885; m. Nov. 4, 1912 in Winnebago Co., Wis. to Borneman Lendved; resided in Green Bay, Wis.
2. Ward (Archie) Benjamin b. June 26, 1890; d.

Nov. 16, 1964 in Milwaukee, Wis.; m. May 14, 1921 Valborg Meier.

3. Louis Van Order Benjamin b. Aug. 5, 1879 at Hortonville, Wis.; d. April 5, 1967 at Otien, N. Carolina (while on a trip); m. June 27, 1917 Estelle Arlene Meyer; resided at Appleton, Wis.

Resources: Research of Gloria Wall Bicha of Racine, Wis.; Wisconsin Vital Records; Correspondence of relatives.

3226. MARY ROBERTS[8] (Esther[7], Mary[6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born September 5, 1810 at South Egremont, Mass.; the dau. of Abijah and Esther (King) Roberts. She married May 24, 1832 in Mt. Washington, Mass. DeMorris Pratt, the son of Jesse and Ruth (Shaw) Pratt, b. December 25, 1806 at Cambridge, New York.

They traveled with her parents to Ohio, and settled in Olena, Ohio.

Children of DeMorris and Mary (Roberts) Pratt:

5055. Abijah Roberts Pratt b. at Cambridge, N.Y. April 28 1833; m. October 2, 1854 Emeline S. Johnson of Fitchville, Ohio. She was the dau. of Hezekiah and Cornelia (Freyer) Johnson of Green Co., N.Y. Abijah removed to Michigan.

5056. Jesse Pratt b. Fitchville, Ohio July 14, 1836; d. July 19, 1958 in Texas of consumption.

5057. Ruth Esther Pratt b. March 28, 1828; d. Aug. 22, 1828.

5058. Philip DeMorris Pratt b. June 11, 1839; m. Ellen Augusta Turner, dau. of Josiah and Elizabeth (Sealy) Turner of Great Barrington, Mass. She was b. in Grafton, Ohio and they moved to Mich.

5059. Julius Fletcher Pratt b. Sept. 30, 1841; m. March 13, 1865 Frances M. Turner (sister to Ellen). She was b. Grafton, Ohio on May 6, 1856. He was in the Civil War and resided in Ohio.

5060. Mary Frances Pratt b. March 7, 1844; m. Jared Frisbie Pond of Hartland, Ohio on March 7, 1866. He was b. April 18, 1839 at Waybridge, Vermont, the son of Dan Platt and Emeline (Frisbie) Pond.

5061. John Lovejoy Pratt b. Sept. 7, 1852; m. Sarah Delia Manahan, the dau. of Lewis and Sarah (Chapen) Manahan, b. at Olena, Ohio on July 7, 1852.

Resource: Wilson Papers, which included letters from Mary (Roberts) Pratt.

3228. WILLIAM KIBBE BENJAMIN[8] (Orson[7], Jos.[6], Nathan[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 18, 1818 at Canandaigua, Ontario Co., New York; the son of Orson and Mary (Kibbe) Benjamin; died May 5, 1897 at San Francisco, California. He married November

13, 1849 at New York City to Frances Maria Bellows. She was the dau. of Orlando and Maria (Blauvelt-Blomvelt) Bellows and was born September 17, 1831 at New York City, New York.

He enlisted at the age of 22 (c.1840) in the 14th Artillery at Buffalo, N.Y. He went to Post Comfort, Virginia. He became a teacher of the post school and tutored 3 children in Latin and math, which paid him well. He was made corporal, and then in 1846 was ordered to Mexico. He was appointed superintendent of supplies for 4 compani on the ship, which sailed for Brazos, Santiago. In a month they were there. In 2 months, they marched to Santiago, 120 miles away. They camped there for 2 months, and then started for Monteray, traveling over Mabru. Some were wounded. Next they marched to Sallitto, 150 miles away. He had a furlough for a month, because of fever and argue. He had a letter from a Major Phelps, urging him to remain with them until they reached Mexico City, where he would be made an officer, but he had had enough of warfare so he went home.

Soon after his marriage, he went to San Francisco, where he obtained a position in the U.S. Mint, which he held until near his death.

Children of William and Frances (Bellows) Benjamin:

5062. Frances Maria Benjamin b. January 8, 1851 in New York City; m. April 15, 1874 Daniel Newberry Place, son of Ephraim B. and Jane Cordelia (Perry) Place, b. Jan. 18, 1844 in New York City.
   a. Charles Augustus Lewis Place b. Jan. 2, 1875; m. April 3, 1898 Mabel Thompson, dau. of Jeremiah D. and Susan (---) Thompson.
   b. Francis Perry Place b. April 9, 1876; d. Dec. 20, 1876.
   c. Daisy Florence Place b. May 1881; m. April 5, 1905 William Jacobs, son of Nathan and Delia (---) Jacobs.

5063. Orson Clark Benjamin b. October 30, 1854 at Springvale, California; m/1 November 10, 1875 Eleanor Reymer (Reimer), dau. of Morris and Nonora (---) Reymer, who died in 1881. e m/2 July 12, 1894 Mary Cocoran, dau. of William and Elizabeth Raymond (Dillon) Corcoran. She was born September 17, 1831 at New York City and died October 20, 1907 at Fruitvalle, Calif. Issue:
   a. William Kibbe Benjamin b. September 6, 1876 at San Francisco, Calif.; d. November 2, 1876.
   b. Edna Eleanor Benjamin b. December 25, 1881 in San Francisco, Calif.
   c. Francis Bellows Benjamin b. December 15, 1895 in San Francisco., Calif.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Colonial Fam. in U.S., Vol. I.

p. 20, McKenzie, 1911; p. 170 Bellows Gen., Peck, 1898.

3229. JULIA MARIA BENJAMIN[8] (Orson[7], Jos.[6], Nathan[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born February 7, 1820 at Canandaigua, Ontario Co., New York; the dau. of Orson and Mary (Kibbe) Benjamin. She married, as his second wife, Henry Van Bergen of Laurel, Indiana on October 14, 1845 at Canandaigua. He was the son of William and Catherine (Person) Van Bergen and was born July 28, 1800 at Catskill, New York and died June 8, 1877 at Newark, New Jersey. His first wife was Emma Louise Benjamin, dau. of Joseph Benjamin. (See #1593 for information regarding children of that marriage.)

Children of Henry and Julia (Benjamin) Van Bergen:

5064. Emma Louise Van Bergen b. July 3, 1846 at Laurel, Indiana; m. November 22, 1866 George Harvey Newell, of New York City. He was the son of Darius and Irene (Barnum) Newell. Issue:
   a. Henry Edgar Newell b. Jan. 10, 1868.
   b. Grace Emma Newell b. Nov. 3, 1872, d. Apr. 26 1888.

5065. Henry Van Bergen Jr. b. December 15, 1849; d. April 16, 1854 at Cincinnati, Ohio.

5066. Charles Miles Van Bergen b. August 31, 1852 at Cincinnati, Ohio; d. Apri. 28, 1883. He was a twin, and the other child died at birth.

5067. Edmund Burke Van Bergen b. May 20, 1854 at Cincinnatti, Ohio; m. May 29, 1877 at Newark, N.J. to Matilda Matthews, dau. of Aaron and Sarah (Hedden) Matthews. She was born at Newark Oct. 23, 1854. Edmund died June 11, 1881 at Elizabeth, N.J.
   a. Harold Newell Van Bergen b. April 1, 1878.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

3230. CAROLINE ADELAIDE BENJAMIN[8] (Orson[7], Jos.[6], Nathan[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 5, 1822 at Canandaigua, Ontario Co., New York; the dau. of Orson and Mary (Kibbe) Benjamin; died December 31, 1901 at New York City, New York. She married Rev. William Wilson Hall of Lyme, Conn. and Glen Cove, N.Y. on November 5, 1844 at Canandaigua, N.Y. He was the son of William and Mary Thomas (Haines) Hall and was born March 16, 1812 at Brooklyn, N.Y. and died November 10, 1889 at New York City.

He graduated from the University of the City of New York in 1828. (1835?) His first charge was Ludlow, Mass. and he afterward settled in Ohio. He was the oldest alumni at the time of his death. After retirement, he devoted himself to literary work. He wrote a history of the Dutch Republic and many other articles. He contributed to the Magazine of History, Evening Post, and many religious papers. He was known as a linguist.

Children of William and Caroline (Benjamin) Hall:

5068. George Benjamin Hall b. April 18, 1847 at Canandaigua, N.Y.; d. July 29, 1851 at Hunter, N.Y.

5069. Mary Kibbe Hall b. Sept. 15, 1849 at Milton, N.Y.; d. August 2, 1851 at Hunter, N.Y.

5070. Henry Daling Hall b. November 17, 1851 at Canandaigua, N.Y.; d. Feb. 17, 1890 at New York City; m. March 27, 1878 at Orange, N.J. to Mary Montgomery Ruton, b. Aug. 24, 1849 in N.Y. and died with the birth of a child Feb. 13, 1879. No children. He did not re-marry.

5071. Adalaide Caroline Hall b. Feb. 18, 1854 at Bound Brook, N.Y.; m. October 25, 1887 at N.Y.C. to Ludwig Bernhard Rudolph Henermann, who was born in Germany Feb. 3, 1841, the son of Dr. Justus and Clara (Kerkseig) Henermann.

1. Adelaide Elizabeth Henermann b. Sept. 3, 1890 in New York City.

5072. William Haines Hall b. August 2, 1856 at Austinberg Ohio; unmarried.

5073. Julia Mary Hall b. May 13, 1863 in Java, N.Y.; unm. in 1896.

Resources: Halls of New England, David Hall, 1880; Letter to Dr. Wilson by Julia Mary Hall; Wilson Papers.

3231. ELLA CORNELIA BENJAMIN[8] (Orson[7], Jos.[6], Nathan[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born October 17, 1823 at E. Bloomfield, New York; the dau. of Orson and Mary (Kibbe) Benjamin. She married Thaddeus Sylvester Scoville of Corning, New York on November 17, 1845 at Canandaigua, N.Y. She was the son of Sylvester Pamelee and Elizabeth (Elmore) Scoville and was born June 13, 1820 at Sherburn, N.Y.

Children of Thaddeus and Ella (Benjamin) Scoville:

5074. Julia Ella Scoville b. August 11, 1846 at Corning, New York; m. May 10, 1865 at Williamsport, Penn. to Walter W. Lance, son of William Lyman and Frances Mitchell (Rose) Lance, b. September 30, 1844 near Pottsville, Penn. Issue:

1. Frances Cornelia Lance b. Dec. 7, 1865 at Geneva, N.Y.
2. Hattie Rose Lance b. July 7, 1872 at Plymouth Penn.; m. June 30, 1900 Nathaniel Conkling Hall in Wilkesbarre, Penn.
3. Martin Eno Lance b. Jan. 5, 1874 at Plymouth.
4. Sunbeam Lance b. Apr. 3, 1876; d. Dec. 13, 1876.
5. Julia Edith Lance b. May 16, 1878; m. June 22, 19? to Warren Barnes.
6. Harold Benjamin Lance b. July 30, 1882 at Plymouth, Penn.
7. Walter Norwood Lance b. Feb. 1, 1886; d. June 1, 1890.

8. Theodore Dwight Lance b. Oct. 30, 1889 at Wilkesbarre, Penn.

5075. Hattie Dean Scoville b. August 11, 1851 at Corning, N.Y.; d. May 14, 1858 at Buffalo, N.Y.

5076. Annie Flora Scoville b. October 22, 1855 at Glen Haven, N.Y.; m. June 3, 1879 to Robert Savage Hobbs, b. Oct. 23, 1839 at Flushing, Long Island, N.Y., the son of Thomas McClelland and Helen Maria (Savage) Hobbs. Issue:

1. Ernest Haviland Hobbs b. Jan. 14, 1881 at E. Orange, N. J.
2. Arthur Hobbs b. July 26, 1883; d. 1883.
3. Ralph Sidney Hobbs b. Dec. 15, 1884; d. May 17, 1885.
4. Gertrude Wellington Hobbs b. July 3, 1885 at Plymouth, Penn.

5077. Walter Latimer Scoville b. May 7, 1863 at Williamsport, Penn.; d. Jan. 20, 1888 at Philadelphia, PA

Resources: Wilson Papers.

3232. HARRIET ANGELICA BENJAMIN[8] (Orson[7], Jos.[6], Nathan[5], Jos.[4-3-2] John[1]) born October 2, 1962 at East Bloomfield, New York; the dau. of Orson and Mary (Kibbe) Benjamin; died February 28, 1897 at Williamsport, Penn. She married James Fenton Dean on September 18, 1849 at Canandaigua, N.Y. He was the son of Erastus and Mary (Fenton) Dean and was born Feb ruary 19, 1814 at Laurens, Otsego Co., New York and died June 3, 1876 at Williamsport, Penn.

He was educated at Utica, New York and entered busines in New York City with his brother and later engaged in mercantile permits at St. Paul, Minn.; Copperstown, N.Y.; and subsequently (1865) in Williamsport, Penn. He was a photographer.

Children of James and Harriet (Benjamin) Dean:

5078. Edmond Augustus Dean b. August 3, 1851 at Laurens, N.Y.; m. Feb. 1, 1893 at Penn Yam, N.Y. to Anna Mary Comings, dau. of Morris W. and Anna (Romaine) Comings.

5079. Mary Cornelia Dean b. June 7, 1853 at Oneonta, N.Y. m/1 May 31, 1882 Alfred Bolton in Chicago, Ill.; m/2 Solomon Haley, son of Solomon and Mary Anna (Reed) Haley b. July 28, 1819 in England.

5080. Jeannie Benjamin Dean b. Sept. 27, 1854 at Oneonta, N.Y.; m. June 7, 1893 at Rochester, N.Y. to William H. Ketcham of Penn Yam, N.Y.

5081. William Fields Dean b. Nov. 28, 1856 at Canandaigua N.Y.; m. April 16, 1885 at Plymouth, Penn. to Mehitable Sophia Kerr (Kern), dau. of John and Sophia (Craigh) Kerr.

5082. Clara Dean b. Feb. 2, 1861 at Rochester, N.Y.; d. August 25, 1897 at Buffalo, N.Y.; unm.

5083. James Fenton Dean Jr. b. May 20, 1865 at Laurens, N.Y.; m. Nov. 22, 1888 Mathilda Kock of Williamsport, Penn. at Elmira, N.Y. She b. July 4, 1870 in Germany. They had:

1. Clara May Dean b. July 25, 1890 at Williamsport, Penn.
2. William Andrews Fenton Dean b. Oct. 15, 1892 at Williamsport, Penn.
3. Martha Grigsby Dean b. Sept. 4, 1897. (another note says this child was named Edward Grigsby Dean.)

Resources: Wilson Papers; which included a letter from James F. Dean Jr. dated 1896.

3233. EDMUND BURKE BENJAMIN[8] (Orson[7], Jos.[6], Nathan[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born July 16, 1828 at E. Bloomfield, New York; the son of Orson and Mary (Kibbe) Benjamin; died May 20, 1894 at the age of 66 at New York City, New York. He married Sarah Mitchell on March 1, 1856 at San Francisco, Calif., the dau. of Marcus and Betsey (Hough) Mitchell. She was born June 29, 1832 at either Syracuse or Delhi, N.Y. and died January 26, 1899 in New York City.

He settled in San Francisco and became a wholesale merchant. About 1867 he moved to New York City. He maintained residences at 689 West End Avenue in NYC and 1703 Q Street in Washington, D.C.

Children of Edmund and Sarah (Mitchell) Benjamin:

5084. Marcus M. Benjamin b. January 17, 1857 in San Francisco, Calif.; died November 22, 1932 at San Francisco; m. June 16, 1892 in NYC to Carolyn Gilbert the dau. of Joseph Loring and Caroline C. (Etcheburry) Gilbert. She was born June 20, 1866 in N.Y.C. He graduated from the School of Mines of Columbia University in 1878. In 1883 he was a chemist at the Appraiser's stores in N.Y.C.Later he was Sanitary Engineer of the N.Y.C. Board of Health. In 1886 he joined the staff of Appleton Cyclopedia of American Biography. Then he contributed to many books and authored many scientific, historical, and biographical papers. He was secretary of Section of Techinical Chemistry at the First Congress of Arts and Sciences at St. Louis. He was President of the Society of War of 1812 in 1898. He had the mineral, Benjaminite, named in his honor. He was historian of the Society of the Sons of American Revolution, historian of the Society of Colonial Wars, historian of the Society of the War of 1812; and deputy governor of the Society of Mayflower Descendants. He continued his brother's interest in the Benjamin Genealogy.

5085. Mary Benjamin b. March 11, 1859; d. Nov. 1, 1859 at San Francisco, Calif.

5086. Frank Benjamin b. March 27, 1861; d. Feb. 11, 1863 at San Francisco, Calif.

5087. Edmund Benjamin b. April 20, 1863 at New York City; d. June 23, 1882. He was of the class of 1883 at Columbia University, but was drowned during his junior year near New London, Conn. He had done a great amount of writing letters for a Benjamin Genealogy, especially on his own line. This was taken over by his brother Marcus after his death.

5088. Irving Johnson Benjamin b. August 24, 1865 in NYC; m. June 1, 1899 Jennie T., Smith.

5089. Eva Mae Benjamin b. May 6, 1867 in NYC; m. in NYC June 14, 1893 Rev. Leonard B. Richards, the son of Leonard E. and Mary Elizabeth (Burbank) Richards, b. June 8, 1867 at Stamford, N.Y.

5090. Grace Benjamin b. March 14, 1869 at NYC.; d. March 8, 1895; m. C. A. Meir in August 1894 in Oakland, Calif. They were married secretly, while he was getting a divorce. She was found ded in his apartment. She had been asphyxiated while taking a bath, as the large gas burner had exhaused the oxygen. Apparently quite a scandal at the time, since their marriage wasn't known.

5091. Sarah Isabel Benjamin b. November 2, 1871 in NYC; m. June 5, 1902 Fredrick Clarence Keely, b. Oct. 18, 1857.

5092. Arthur Benjamin b. August 9, 1873; m. June 16, 1895 Edith Emelie Theodora Young, the dau. of Samuel Wilderspin and Emilie Maria Jane (Flodman) Young b. Nov. 1, 1869 in Ripon, Yorkshire, England. They had:

1. Ernest Arthur Benjamin b. May 9, 1896 in NYC.

Resources: Am. Ancestry Vol. 8 p. 110; Nat. Cyctopaedia of Am. Biog. Vol. XL p. 28; (This is a listing of his ancestors, compiled by Marcus Benjamin). Vol. I Colonial Fam. in U.S., McKenzie; Hist. of Ancient Woodbury, Conn., Cothren, Mayflower Index #3166.

3234. ORSON AUGUSTUS BENJAMIN[8](Orson[7], Jos.[6], Nathan[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born November 12, 1830 at E. Bloomfield, New York; the son of Orson and Mary (Kibbe) Benjamin; bapt. December 12, 1830; died December 7, 1862, at the age of 32, at Canandaigua, New York. He is buried in the West Avenue Cemetery. He married Abiah Athearn Hartwell on February 27, 1857 at Cincinnati, Ohio. She was the dau. of George Henry and Eliza Williams (Athearn) Hartwell and was born August 3, 1835 at Cincinnati, Ohio and died August 14, 1893 at Washington, D.C. She m/2 John Dearing Bartlett on June 29, 1869.

He was a shoe merchant for about 10 years in Elmira,

N.Y. Then he became a manufacturer of straw goods, but that didn't work out. He visited his sister, Mrs. Van Bergen of Cincinnati, and became engaged to Abiah. He went to St. Paul, Minn. and then became a clerk in the Treasurery Dept. in Washington, D.C., until he became ill and had to resign.

Children of Orson and Abiah (Hartwell) Benjamin:

5093. Fredrick Hartwell Benjamin b. March 16, 1860 at Cincinnati, Ohio; m. November 17, 1886 Leona Marian Broughton (Bouton) at Washington, D.C. She was the dau. of Charles and Jerusha (Andrews) Broughton and was born August 13, 1860 at Grafton, Ohio. He was an attorney in patent law. He moved to Washington, D.C. in childhood and was educated there in public and private schools; graduated from the National University in Washington DC in 1881; moved to Chicago, Ill. in 1898. He was a Republican, a Congregationalist, and resided in Oak Park, Ill. Issue:
   1. Hartwell Benjamin b. Sept. 19, 1887 at Linden Maryland.
   2. Charles Boughton Benjamin b. June 4, 1889 at Linden, Maryland.
   3. John Allen Benjamin b. Jan. 11, 1891 at Linden.
   4. Martha Marion Benjamin b. March 10, 1893 at Linden, Maryland.

5094. John Hartwell Benjamin b. December 3, 1861 at Rochester, N.Y.; d. August 3, 1862 at Washington, D.C.

Children of John and Abiah (Hartwell Benjamin) Bartlett:
Nina Bartlett b. Feb. 6, 1871; m. April 3, 1895 William D. Wirt.
William Goode Bartlett b. May 20, 1873.
Esther Bartlett b. March 31, 1878.
Bessie Bartlett b. April 13, 1875.

Resources: Vol. 1 p. 20 Colonial Fam. in U.S., McKenzie; p. 213 Bouton Fam.

3239. JOSEPH AUGUSTUS BENJAMIN[8] (Nathan[7], Jos.[6], Nathan[5], Jos.[4-3-2] John[1]) born September 1, 1817 at S. Egremont, Mass.; the son of Nathan and Lucy (Bacon) Benjamin; died June 29, 1876 at South Egremont, Mass. He married Harriet Frances Robinson of Wyoming Co., Penn. on December 24, 1843 at Skinner's Eddy. She was the dau. of Dr. Royal and Fanny (Fassett) Robinson and she was born April 3, 1824 at Cherry, Penn. and died February 15, 1895 at Great Barrington, Mass.

Children of Joseph and Harriet (Robinson) Benjamin:

5095. Arthur Augustus Benjamin b. February 24, 1854 at S.

Egremont, Mass. (vr); m. December 14, 1881 at Egremont, Mass. to Jennie Melissa Karner, the dau. of Andrew Pliny and Phebe (Brown) Karner. She was born October 23, 1856. Arthur was her second cousin. Andrew Karner was the son of Eliza Bacon, sister of Lucy Bacon. Issue:

1. Ruth Gaylord Benjamin b. May 2, 1886 at S. Egremont, Mass.
2. Edna Langdon Benjamin b. Jan. 19, 1888.
3. Andrew Karner Benjamin b. Nov. 13, 1889 at S. Egremont, Mass.
4. Ralph Arthur Benjamin b. May 11, 1892 at Millertown, N.Y.

5096. Ethleen/Ethelene Benjamin b. May 7, 1855 at S. Egremont, Mass.; m. November 10, 1886 to Charles Hopkins Bell, son of Seth and Harriet Amelia (Langdon) Bell. They had:

1. Harriet Taylor Bell b. Feb. 9, 1889 at Great Barrington, Mass.
2. Edith Benjamin Bell b. Oct. 29, 1892 at Great Barrington, Mass.

5097. Lucy Bacon Benjamin b. November 20, 1856 at South Egremont, Mass.; d. August 26, 1859.

5098. Newell Gaylord Benjamin b. July 18, 1858 at S. Egremont, Mass.; m. March 8, 1881 Ida May, dau. of William and Jane Ann (Smith) May of Sheffield, Mass. She was born September 20, 1858 at Chaghticoke, N.Y. and m/2 Dr. W. W. Leantt (Leavtt) b. Sept. 1, 1837.

1. Winifred Benjamin b. May 1, 1882 at W. Egremont, Mass.
2. Harriet Frances Benjamin b. March 13, 1884 at W. Medway, Mass.
3. Joseph Augustus Benjamin b. July 9, 1889 at Geneva, N.Y.
?4. Newell Gaylord Benjamin. Either he or his father died at Pittsfield, Mass.

5099. Dr. Walter Robinson Benjamin b. December 27, 1861 at S. Egremont, Mass.; d. October 16, 1905 at Great Barrington, Mass.; unmarried.

Resources: Wilson Papers; p. 90-1 Upson Fam. in Am., Fam. Assc., 1940; p. 68 Skinner's Eddy, a Penn. Newspaper.

3240. LUCY MARIA BENJAMIN[8] (Nathan[7], Jos.[6], Nathan[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born October 20, 1820 at South Egremont, Mass.; (vr the dau. of Nathan and Lucy (Bacon) Benjamin; died January 6, 1845 at Madison, Indiana, of consumption. She married Edward A. Roberts of Manchester, Vermont on September 10, 1840 at S. Egremont, Mass. He was the son of General Martin and Betsey (Stone) Roberts and was born March 23, 1812 at Manchester, Vermont and died in New York City, New York He m/2 April 23, 1847 Irene (Robinson) Bartlett, dau. of

Dr. Royal and Fanny (Fasset) Robinson b. July 29, 1820 at Wyoming Co., Penn. There were 5 children from the second marriage.

Children of Edward and Lucy (Benjamin) Roberts:

5100. Nathan Benjamin Roberts b. June 25, 1841 at Brooklyn, N.Y.; m. October 17, 1867 to Mary Elizabeth Burr, b. September 10, 1847.

5101. Edward Augustus Roberts b. May 18, 1843 at Brooklyn N.Y.; m. December 18, 1868 to Emily Sophia Wilcox, dau. of Edwin Rollin and Jane Catherine (Cudner) Wilcox, b. May 27, 1846 at Brooklyn, N.Y.
   1. Lucy Maria Roberts b. April 5, 1869.
   2. Emily Jane Roberts b. Sept. 13, 1871.
   3. Sadie Wilcox Roberts b. Nov. 13, 1873.
   4. Edward Augustus Roberts Jr. b. Dec. 9, 1875.
   5. Annie Lee Roberts b. Dec. 31, 1877.
   6. Richard Rollin Roberts b. Feb. 18, 1881.

5102. Gardiner Roberts b. Nov. 12, 1844; d. May 7, 1845.

Resource: Wilson Papers, which included a letter from Edward Roberts dated 1881.

3242. NATHAN ORSON BENJAMIN[8] (Nathan[7], Jos.[6], Nathan[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born September 15, 1830 at South Egremont, Mass.; the son of Nathan and Lucy (Bacon) Benjamin; died June 15, 1863, at the age of 33, at Port Hudson, Louisanna. He married Mary Eveline Upson of South Egremont on March 14, 1855 at Great Barrington, Mass. She was the dau. of Philo and Sarah (Curtis) Upson and was born August 5, 1834 at S. Egremont and died June 16, 1882 at Egremont, Mass. and is buried there.

He graduated from Williams College in 1851. During the Civil War he was a Lieutenant in Co. D. of the 131st N.Y. Volunteers. He was mortally wounded in the assult on Port Hudson on June 15, 1863.

Children of Nathan and Mary (Upson) Benjamin:

5103. John Yates Sommers Benjamin b. February 10, 1858 at New York City, N.Y.; d. August 19, 1878. He was killed by the breakingof a bridge in Great Barrington, Mass.

5104. Mary Curtis Benjamin b. June 20, 1860 at S. Egremont, Mass.; d. August 24, 1936 at either Colorado Springs or Ft. Worth, Texas. She m. October 2, 1889 at New Canaan, Conn. to George F. Owen, who d. Nov. 20, 1900. They had:
   1. George Curtis Owen b. June 5, 1896 at Colorado Springs, Colorado; m. 1929 Corinne McFarland.

Resources: Wilson Papers, which included a letter from Mrs. E. U. Benjamin in 1881; p. 298 The Upson Fam. in Am., Fam. Assc., 1940.

3244. CLARK MOSES BENJAMIN[8] (Moses[7], Jos.[6], Nathan[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born September 8, 1820 at Unadilla, Chenango Co., New York; the son of Moses Gaylord and Sophia (Chittenden) Benjamin; died February 9, 1867 at Bangor, LaCross Co., Wisconsin. He married Jane Van Duzen at Guilford, Chenango Co., New York.

Children of Clark and Jane (Van Duzen) Benjamin

5105. Gaylord Benjamin; served as a private in the 37th Regt., Co. C., of the Wisconsin Volunteers in the Civil War; his residence was listed as Caledonia, Racine Co., Wis. He enlisted Aug. 26, 1864 and was mustered out June 4, 1865.

5106. Joseph Benjamin.

5107. Oliver Benjamin.

5108. Emma Louisa Benjamin.

Resource: Wilson Papers.

3245. ANN JEANETTE BENJAMIN[8] (Moses[7], Jos.[6], Nathan[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born May 5, 1829 at Bambridge, Chenango Co., New York; the dau. of Moses Gaylord and Sophia (Chittenden) Benjamin. She married Edward Barrows on June 25, 1851 at Baimbridge, N.Y. He was the son of Thomas and Elizabeth (Boswoth/Boswell) Barrows and was born July 30, 1828 at Dedham, Mass. and died February 1, 1881 at Lowell, Mass.

He was the agent for the Merrimack Woolen Mills at Dracut, Mass.

Children of Edward and Ann (Benjamin) Barrows:

5109. Josephine Clark Barrows b. December 12, 1852 at New York City; d. August 7, 1896 at Dorchester, Mass.

5110. Jeanne Adele Barrows b. January 8, 1855; d. Oct. 1, 1894 at Danville, N.Y.

5111. Sophia Benjamin Barrows b. December 23, 1856 at New York City; m. September 26, 1883 at Lowell, Mass. to Lewis Sherman Adams, son of Stephen and Harriet (Sherman) Adams, b. August 16, 1855 at Beloit, Wis. Issue:

1. Marion Barrows Adams b. Dec. 29, 1884 at Lowell, Mass.
2. Lewis Sherman Adams Jr. b. July 17, 1887 at Lowell, Mass.
3. Charles Malcolm Adams b. August 16, 1889 at Dorchester, Mass.

5112. Edward Barrows Jr. b. September 15, 1860 at Dedham, Mass.; d. March 26, 1882 at Minneapolis, Minn. of typhoid fever.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

3246. LUCRETIA MARSH BENJAMIN[8] (Joseph[7-6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born January 28, 1833 at Carbondale, Penn.; the dau. of Joseph and Martha (Mellen)Benjamin; died February

14, 1880 at Honesdale, Penn. She married Samuel Erskin Dimmick on January 28, 1855 at Elizabeth, New Jersey, the son of Alfshens Dimmick. He was born December 24, 1822 at Bloomingsburg, Sullivan Co., New York and died October 12, 1785 at Harrisburg, Penn.

He came to Honesdale at the age of 22 and studied law with his cousin, William H. Dimmick. He was the first Republican canidate from his district for Congress and was ever a leader of his party. He was a delegate to the Constitutional Convention of Penn. in 1872. Early in 1873 he became Attorney General of Penn. His health failed and he went to Europe, but returned and worked energetically until he died.

Children of Samuel and Lucretia (Benjamin) Dimmick:

5113. Walter Erskin Dimmick b. October 15, 1858; d. January 16, 1882 in New York City; m. October 22, 1881 at Scranton, Penn. to Mary Scott Lord. She m/2 April 16, 1882 Benjamin Harrison, former President of the United States.

5114. Joseph Benjamin Dimmick b. October 15, 1858 at Honesdale, Penn.; m. Nov. 9, 1881 at Hartford, Conn. to Louise Hunt, dau. of Ebenezer and Mary C. (---) Hunt.

5115. George DuBois Dimmick b. November 29, 1859; m. June 8, 1881 at Scranton, Penn. to Frances Byington Boyd, dau. of Dr. George B. Boyd.

5116. Charles Hunter Dimmick b. January 3, 1862; d. Sept. 21, 1862 at Honesdale, Penn.

5117. John Carr/Curr Dimmick b. August 13, 1865; d. Nov. 24, 1865 at Honesdale, Penn.

5118. Fredrick Marsh Dimmick b. June 8, 1867; d. August 21, 1867 at Honesdale, Penn.

5119. Martha Mellen Dimmick b. November 7, 1868 at Honesdale, Penn.; m. October 3, 1906 Morris Fox of Morristown, N.J.

5120. Maude Dimmick b. June 4, 1871 at Honesdale, Penn.

Resources: Wilson Papers; p. 438 Marsh Gen., Marsh, 1895.

3248. JOSEPH RITNER BENJAMIN, M.D.[8] (Jos. 7-6, Nathan[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born July 25, 1839 at Carbondale, Penn.; the son of Joseph and Martha (Mellen) Benjamin; died October 30, 1885 at the age of 46, at Troy, Rensselaer Co., New York. He married Abby Benjamin Sabin on November 23, 1871 at New York City, N.Y. She was the dau. of Dr. Henry Lyman and Abby Seymour (Benjamin) Sabin and was born April 26, 1847 at Williamstown, Mass. She m/2 Edward Lasdell/Laselle Briggs of Chicago, Illinois. He was the son of George Washington and Lydia (Laselle) Briggs and was born February 26, 1857. (See #3290 and #1565.)

He graduated from Yale in 1865 and from the Medical Dept. of Columbia University in 1868. He graduated from

the College of Physcians and Surgeons in New York City in 1868. Before practicing medicine, he was with the firm of Pryer and Benjamin, wholesale provisioners for 2 years. He died suddenly en route from New York City to Troy, on the steamer "Saratoga". He resided at 261 Madison Avenue in New York City.

Children of Joseph and Abby (Sabin) Benjamin:

5121. Benjamin Benjamin b. November 1, 1872 at NYC; d. November 6, 1872.

5122. Bessie Sabin Benjamin b. October 6, 1873 at N.Y.C.; d. January 9, 1874.

5123. Martha (Meta) Sabin Benjamin b. November 15, 1874 at N.Y.C.; m. October 2, 1895 at Harrisburg, Penn. Gilbert Herr Hassler, son of John Peter and Amelia Matilda (Herr) Hassler, b. October 20, 1856 at Philadelphia, Penn.

5124. Lucy Seymour Benjamin b. February 22, 1877 at N.Y. C.; m. October 16, 1900 Harold C. Woodruff in Harrisburg, Penn.

5125. Elizabeth (Bessie) Harriet Benjamin b. April 5, 1883 in New York City, N.Y.

Resources: Vol. 25 p. 123 DAR Lineage Book; p. 832 Brewster Gen., Emma Brewster, 1907; p. 568 Desc. of John Whitman of Weymouth, Mass., Farnam, 1889; Wilson Papers; p.465 Gen. of Vanderpool Fam.,Vanderpool, 1912.

3249. SUSAN MARIA CLARK[8] (Susan[7], Jos.[6], Nathan[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born December 27, 1820; the dau. of John C. and Susan M. (Benjamin) Clark; died December 2, 1853. She married in Washington, D.C. on March 1, 1841 to William Burnet, son of Jacob and Rebecca (Wallace) Burnet/Barnett. He was born April 2, 1806 in Cincinnati, Ohio.

He was the grandson of William Burnet, Surgeon General of the Revolutinnary War.

Children of William and Susan (Clark) Burnet:

5126. John Clark Burnet b. February 28, 1842 at Cincinnati, Ohio; was paymaster in the U.S. Navy.

5127. William Burnet b. September 24, 1843; resided at Lake George, Florida.

5128. Wallace Claypole Burnet b. Nov. 2, 1846; d. Nov. 27 1858.

5129. Josephine Clark Burnet b. December 3, 1848; m. June 19, 1867 Peter Rudolph Neff Lanison, son of Peter Rudolph Neff and Isabella Howard (Freeman) Lanison., but June 19, 1832 at Philadelphia, Penn. He had m/1 on June 30, 1855 Caroline Margaretta Barnett, dau. of William and Margaretta (Cursiy) Barnett. Issue:

1. Peter Rudolph Neff Lanison b. April 17, 1868.
2. Josephine Clark Lanison b. Feb. 7, 1870.
3. Hope Lanison b. Aug. 31, 1872.

4. Rudolph Neff Lanison b. Jan. 25, 1876.
5. Susan Clark Lanison b. April 11, 1877.
6. Robert Barnett Lanison b. May 20, 1878.

5130. Samuel Warren Burnet b. July 1851.

Resources: Wilson Papers, which included letters from Edward Warren Clark; Josephine Clark; and William Burnett.

3259. JANE ELIZA BENJAMIN[8] (Calvin[7], Jos.[6], Nathan[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born May 17, 1827 at South Egremont, Mass.; the dau. of Calvin W. and Elizabeth (Moore) Benjamin; died January 17, 1919. She m/1 Marvin Welcher/Welsher on October 10, 1849, the son of Jesse and Abigail (Hiler) Welcher. He was born October 8, 1827 and died January 28, 1850. There were no children of this marriage. She m/2 Edson Finch on July 14, 1854, the son of John and Lucretia (---) Finch. He was born August 8, 1824 and was a locomotive engineer. They lived at Pana, Illinois.

Children of Edson and Jane (Benjamin Welcher) Finch:

5131. Calvin Wells Finch b. September 10, 1858.

5132. Emma Julia Finch b. May 22, 1861; m. George Ellis. They had children named: Iola; Caroline; Ida; and Ivan Ellis.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Colonial Fam. in the U.S., McKenzie.

3260. GEORGE EDWARD BENJAMIN[8] (Calvin[7], Jos.[6], Nathan[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born June 29, 1828/9 at South Egremont, Mass.; the son of Calvin Wells and Elizabeth (Moore) Benjamin; died June 6, 1862 at Elmira, New York and is buried at South Egremont, Mass. He married Elizabeth M. Sterling/Starling on December 18, 1850. She was born December 23, 1829 and died August 27, 1907 and is buried at S. Egremont. She m/2 S.V.R. Ely of Tecumseh, Michigan.

He was a conductor on the Erie Rail Road.

Children of George and Elizabeth (Sterling) Benjamin:

5133. Joseph Augustus Benjamin b. August 9, 1852 at Canandaigua, N.Y.; d. July 20, 1948 at Webster, N.Y. m. September 8, 1878 at Elmira, N.Y. to Julie E. Blaisdell. She b. July 18, 1852 at Springfield, Illinois and died July 20, 1948 at Webster, N.Y.

1. Alice Augusta Benjamin b. June 25, 1879 at Elmira, N.Y.; d. June 4, 1957; unm.
2. Lillian E. Benjamin b. March 5, 1880 at Elmira, N.Y.; d. Jan. 1, 1951; m. Oct. 5, 1904 George K. Fulton at Rochester, N.Y.
3. George W. Benjamin b. May 30, 1882 at Elmira; d. Jan. 4, 1960; m. June 3, 1908 Grace Thomas. Had a son J. William Benjamin living at Royal Oak, Mich.
4. Bertha Ethelene Benjamin b. May 12, 1884; d.

Oct. 20, 1917 at Pittsford, N.Y.; m. Sept. 25, 1906 Arthur D. Hill.

5. Harry Sayre Benjamin b. Feb. 27, 1888; m. Dec 23, 1907 to Florence Philo at Rochester, N.Y. She b. 1886, d. Apr. 3, 1961.
6. Joseph E. Benjamin d. Oct. 28, 1950; m. May 29, 1903 Bertha Birr, who d. Feb. 5, 1931 at Webster, N.Y.
7. Elizabeth (Betsey) Benjamin bc. 1854; m. Porter Kinsman. They had a son: Charles Kinsman b. March 8, 1884 at Elmira, N.Y.; m. Avis Ida Durfee.

Resources: Colonial Fam. in U.S., McKenzie; Records of Harry Sayre Benjamin Jr. of Royal Oak, Michigan; p. 563 Desc. of Thomas Durfee of Portsmouth, R.I., Reed, 1905.

3265. SUSAN EMMA BENJAMIN[8] (Calvin[7], Jos.[6], Nathan[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born April 19, 1839 at South Egremont, Mass.; the dau. of Calvin W. and Elizabeth (Moore) Benjamin; died November 19, 1877. She married Roscoe Chauncy Taft of South Egremont, Mass. on September 14, 1864. He was born February 22, 1836.

They resided in South Egremont, Mass.

Children of Roscoe and Susan (Benjamin) Taft:

5134. Archibald William Taft b. July 21, 1865 at S. Egremont, Mass.
5135. Grace Rood Taft b. August 22, 1871; m. Oct. 19, 1898 Henry S. Poloubet.
5136. Anna Benjamin Tabt b. February 26, 1873.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

3278. ADELINE MARIA BENJAMIN[8] (George[7], Nathan[6-5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born September 10, 1838 at Cleveland, Ohio; the dau. of George W. and Adeline (Powell) Benjamin. She married George Wilbur Yerks on July 8, 1868 at Albany, New York. He was the son of William Henry and Mary Ann (Clark) Yerks and was born at Unionville, Westchester Co., N.Y.

He was a wholesale dealer in fancy groceries in Albany, New York.

Children of George and Adeline (Benjamin) Yerks:

5137. LeRoy Yerks b. August 27, 1869; d. July 20, 1870.
5138. Adeline Yerks b. January 1, 1875.
5139. Bessie Yerks b. Jan. 6, 1876; d. July 15, 1880.

Resources: Wilson Papers, which included a letter from George W. Benjamin dated 1881.

3279. CORNELIA (NELLIE) BENJAMIN[8] (George[7], Nathan[6-5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born September 3, 1843 at Albany, New York; the dau of George W. and Adeline (Powell) Benjamin; died April 26,

1879. She married Adam Van Allen Jr. of Albany, N.Y. on June 15, 1871. He was the son of Adam and Eleanor (Sluigerland) Van Allen and was born in Albany, N.Y.

He was engaged in the manufacture of wire.

Children of Adam and Cornelia (Benjamin) Van Allen:

5140. Fredrick Van Allen b. June 11, 1872; d. June 26, 1872.
5141. Eleanor Van Allen b. March 21, 1875.
5142. George Van Allen b. May 11, 1877.
5143. Edith Van Allen b. February 10, 1879.

Resource: Letter to Dr. Wilson by George W. Benjamin dated 1881.

3280. GEORGE POWELL BENJAMIN[8] (George[7], Nathan[6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born March 12, 1850 at Albany, New York; the son of George W. and Adeline (Powell) Benjamin; died April 26, 1921. He m/1 Julie DeForest on November 29, 1883 at New York City, N.Y. She was the dau. of Cornelius Vanderbilt and Katherine (McDonald) DeForest. She died February 1886. He m/2 Elise Josephine Cordier on September 18, 1907 at New York City. She was the dau. of Charles Xavier Cordier.

He worked with his father until 1877, and then went in to the hardware commission business in Newark, New Jersey. He was vice president of the Newark Stamping Co.

Children of George and Julie (DeForest) Benjamin:

5144. Julie DeForest Benjamin b. February 19, 1886; m. Roger Saul Howson.

Resources: Nat. Cyclopeadia of Am. Biog. Vol. 32 p. 307; p. 563 Desc. of John Whitman, Farnam, 1889; Letter to Dr. Wilson by George Whitman Benjamin in 1881.

3291. SAMUEL GADDING (?GREEN) WHEELER BENJAMIN[8] (Nathan[7-6-5], Jos. 4-3-2, John1) born February 13, 1837 at Argos, Greece; the son of Nathan and Mary Gadding (Wheeler) Benjamin; died July 19, 1914, age 77-5-6, at Burlington, Vermont. (vr). He m/1 Clara Stowell on October 20, 1863 at Brookfield, Mass.; the dau. of Ephraim Child and Mary (Abbot) Stowell. She was born March 13, 1845 at Chicago, Illinois and died October 29, 1880 at Brookfield, Mass. He m/2 Mrs. Fannie (Nichols) Weed on November 1882. She was the dau. of F. K. and Fannie (Boynton) Nichols and was born in 1838 and died March 7, 1924 at Burlington, Vermont, age 86 yrs. (vr).

He graduated from Williams College in 1859 and recieved his A.B. in 1863 and his A.M. in 1869. He was the assistant librarian at Albany, but resigned in 1864. He was an artist and author. He began his art education with Brindesi, of the Spanish and Italian School. He opened an art studio in Boson in 1870, doing largely marine paintings. In 1877 he moved to New York City. He furnished cuts for "Illustrated London News", and was elected a mem-

ber of the Boston Art Club in 1873. He was appointed as the first U.S. Minister to Persia in 1883 by President Arthur. He wrote to Dr. Wilson on stationery with the heading of "Northend and Benjamin, Counselors at Law" in Salem, Mass. Charles A. Benjamin and William D. Northend were members in this firm.

Children of Samuel and Clara (Stowell) Benjamin:

5145. Edith Benjamin b. October 20, 1868 in Mass.; died July 10, 1923 at the age of 44-8-20 at Burlington, Vermont (vr); unmarried.

Resources: Am. Gen. Biog. Index; Desc. of John Whitman of Weymouth, Mass., Farnam, 1889; p. 387 Desc. of George Abbott of Rowley, Mass.,Abbott, 1906; p. 406 Stowell Gen., Stowell, 1922; p. 737 Hist. of Albany, N.Y. 1609-1886, Nowell and Tenney; Letter written to Dr. Wilson by Samuel G. W. Benjamin.

3293. FRANCES SEYMOUR BENJAMIN[8] (Nathan[7-6-5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born February 19, 1840 at Argos, Greece; the dau. of Nathan and Mary Gadding (Wheeler) Benjamin; died March 19, 1881. She married Rev. Amos Howe Johnson of Boston and Middletown, Mass. in 1859. He died May 1896 at Salem, Mass.

He was first a minister and preacher, but his health compeled him to give this up. He studied medicine and received his medical degree in 1865.

Children of Amos and Frances (Benjamin) Johnson:

5146. Samuel Johnson; m. Josephine Forbush of Boston. They had:
  1. Josephine Johnson.
  2. Seward Johnson.

5147. Meta Benjamin Johnson; m. Francis Bergen of Brooklyn, N.Y. and had a dau. Ruth Bergen.

5148. Amy Howe Johnson; unmarried in 1901.

5149. Charles Alfred Johnson; m. Lucy Braman of Boston; had dau. Barbara Johnson.

5150. Ralph Seymour Johnson b. 1869; d. Sept. 1898; he enlisted with Torrey's Rough Riders in 1898 in the Spanish American War and died of enteric fever in Camp at Jacksonville, Florida.

Resources: p. 563 Desc. of John Whitman of Weymouth, Mass. Farnam, 1889; Wilson Papers.

3295. CAPT. CHARLES ALFRED BENJAMIN[8] (Nathan[7-6-5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born November 4, 1843 at Athens, Greece; the son of Nathan and Mary Gadding (Wheeler) Benjamin. He married Louise Huntington Northend of Salem, Mass. on November 15, 1870. She was the dau. of Hon. William D. Northend.

He prepared for college, but abandoned it to join the Army at the age of 17. He enlisted in the Civil War and

was mustered out as a Brevet Captain in November 15, 1870. He served one year with the 127th N.Y. Volunteers and three years with the 21st N.Y. Volunteer Calvary, one time as acting adjuntant general of the 1st Brigade of the 1st. Calvary. After leaving the army, he spent one year in Como, Mississipp planting cotton. He then studied law and went into partnership with his father-in-law in Salem, Mass. He MAY have m/2 Anna DeBaun in 1889. She was born May 14, 1866.

Children of Charles and Louise (Northend) Benjamin:

5151. Charles Seymour Benjamin b. August 31, 1872 at Salem, Mass.

5152. Ann Northend Benjamin b. October 6, 1874 at Salem. She was a lecturer and writer. She left New York for Tapa, remained there until embarkation of troops for Cuba. She then took passage to Guantaname, Cuba; explored Santiago, the Spanish trenches and battlefield. She was special correspondent for "The Outlook", the McClure Syndicate, "The Herald", the"Post", and other New York newspapers. She was the only woman writer, who, after being with the Army in Tampa and Key West, succeeded in getting to Cuba.

5153. Francis Seymour Benjamin b. March 19, 1881 at Salem.

Children of Charles and Anna (DeBaun) Benjamin:

?5154. Marguerite Benjamin b. 1892.

?5155. John DeBaun Benjamin b. 1894.

?5156. Abram Cornelius Benjamin b. 1897.

Resources: p. 563 Desc. of John Whitman of Weymouth, Mass. Farnam, 1889; Wilson Papers.

3302.JOHN L. BENJAMIN[8] (Ira[7-6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born January 23, 1817 at Cicero, Onondaga Co., New York; the son of Ira and Elizabeth (Adams) Benjamin; died March 8, 1887 at Washington, D.C. He married Kate A. ---. She died in 1902. He was a soldier.

Children of John and Kate (---) Benjamin:

5157. May Belle Benjamin; d. November 24, 1925.

5158. Libbie Benjamin; d. April 17, 1943 at White Plains, New York; m. --- Donelson.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

3302. LEWIS ADAMS BENJAMIN[8] (Ira[7-6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born September 12, 1818 at Deckertown, New Jersey or at Newburg, New York; the son of Ira and Elizabeth (Adams) Benjamin; died June 5, 1887 and is buried in the Greenwood Cemetery in Brooklyn, New York. He married Esther Jane Tarbell of Goshen, Orange Co., New York in 1847. She was born August 8, 1822 and died June 28, 1898.

He became well known for his concerts. He established a free violin school at Newburgh, N.Y.

Children of Lewis and Esther (Tarbell) Benjamin:

5159. Sarah Elizabeth Benjamin b. November 4, 1848; d. February 9, 1920; m. --- Hunt.
5160. Emma Gertrude Benjamin b. January 11, 1851; m. E.G. Ostrum.
5161. Mary Belle Benjamin; d. 1856, age 2 yrs.
5162. Anne Josephine Benjamin; d. 1856, age 9 mos.
5163. Jesse Benjamin; d. 1865, age 4 mos.
5164. Lewis Adams Benjamin Jr. b. February 3, 1857; d. December 10, 1926; m. Clara Drew.
5165. Charles Newton Benjamin b. 1860; d. 1882, age 22.
5166. Frank Tarbell Benjamin b. September 13, 1861 in New York; d. August 22, 1914 in Sussex, New Jersey; m. Ida Malone, dau. of --- and Helen (Wagner) Malone. She was b. 1850 and d. 1930.
    1. Richard Newton Benjamin b. May 5, 1904 at Philadelphia, Penn.; d. 1975/6; m. June 26, 1936 Linda Tabb, dau. of Herbert G. Tabb.

Resource: Records of Richard N. Benjamin of Westview, N.J.

3308. GABRIEL P. BENJAMIN[8] (Ira[7-6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) son of Ira and Elizabeth (Adams) Benjamin. His data is unknown, as is the name of his wife.

Children of Gabriel P. Benjamin:

5167. Gabriel P. Benjamin.
5168. William Benjamin.
5169. Clifford Benjamin.
5170. Julia Benjamin; m. --- Furey.
5171. Inez Benjamin; m. --- Combes.

Resource: Records of Richard N. Benjamin of Westview, NJ.

3315. GEORGE CALVIN BENJAMIN[8] Nathan[7], Josiah[6], Nathan[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born March 21, 1828 at Egremont, Mass.; the son of Nathan Calvin and Mary Ann (Kline) Benjamin. He married Marilla Jane Holibeck/Hollenbeck on December 12, 1850 at Egremont, Mass. (vr).

Children of George and Marilla (Holibeck) Benjamin:

5172. Ellen J. Benjamin b. January 1, 1852 at S. Egremont Mass. (vr).
5173. Elbert C. Benjamin.
5174. Frank Benjamin.
5175. Fred Benjamin.

Resources: Records of Dr. Wilson and Edmund Benjamin.

3321. JAMES MONROE (MCINROE) BENJAMIN[8] (Nathan[7], Nathan[5], Jos.[4-3-2] John[1]) born August 26, 1843 at Egremont, Mass.; the son of

Nathan C. and Mary Ann (Kline) Benjamin; died in 1911 and is buried in the Canaan, Conn. cemetery, lot #1-31. He married Catherine M. Miller, who was born in 1842 and is buried with her husband.

Children of James and Catherine (Miller) Benjamin:

5176. Harry Benjamin b. 1868; d. 1909; buried with his parents.

5177. Mary Benjamin b. 1869; d. Sept. 29, 1872, age 2 yrs 6 mos.; buried in theWinstead, Conn. Cemetery.

Resource: Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records.

3330. WILLIAM REILLY BENJAMIN[8] (Elisha[7], John[6], Nathan[5], Jos.[4-3-2], John[1]) born March 30, 1839 at Avon, Michigan; the son of Elisha and Lucinda (Stempson) Benjamin; died November 26, 1886, age 47, at Biddeford, Maine. He married Emmeline S. Thompson of Cape Elizabeth, Maine in 1864/5 at Royal Oak, Michigan. She died February 22, 1895.

He served in the Civil War and enlisted at Biddeford, Maine in 1861. He went to Michigan after the war, but returned to Watertown, Mass. for awhile, and then went back to Maine. Most of the children remained in Maine--Portland, Saco, and Cape Elizabeth.

Children of William and Emmeline (Thompson) Benjamin:

5178. Cora Benjamin b. February 12, 1866 at Corinna, Michigan; d. May 18, 1866.

5179. William Benjamin b. July 26, 1867 at Cape Elizabeth Maine.

5180. Rev. George A. Benjamin b. September 17, 1870 at Watertown, Mass.; m. Kate Cone, b. July 23, 1870, the dau. of William Henry and Charlotte A. (Neal) Cone; resided at Mechanics Falls, Maine.

5181. Ada Benjamin b. November 24, 1872 at Watertown.

5182. Ella Benjamin b. November 17, 1875 at Watetown, Mass.; m. Phillip C. Morse/Mosse of West Somerville, Mass.

5183. Charles L. Benjamin b. February 6, 1878 at Cape Elizabeth, Maine; resided at Saco, Maine.

5184. Harry W. Benjamin b. March 6, 1881 at Cape Elizabeth, Maine; resided at Portland, Maine.

5185. Florence Benjamin b. September 1, 1883 at Cape Elizabeth, Maine.

2 other children beside Cora died young.

Resources: p. 466 Acct. of the Cone Fam. in Am., Cone, 1903; Letter of Almira Benjamin to Dr. Wilson.

3332. MELVIN ELISHA BENJAMIN[8] (Elisha[7], John[6], Nathan[5], Joseph[4-3-2], John[1]) born August 10, 1841 at Avon, Michigan; the son of Elisha and Lucinda (Stempson) Benjamin; died August 15, 1899 at Ferndale, California. He married Mary Elizabeth Roberts on May 4, 1862 at Birmingham, Michigan. She was

born February 1, 1843 at Warsaw, Illinois.

Children of Melvin and Mary (Roberts) Benjamin:

5186. Clement J. Benjamin b. February 26, 1863 at Royal Oak, Michigan; d. April 13, 1864 at Royal Oak.

5187. Emma T. Benjamin b. December 2, 1864 at Cornima, Michigan; m. August 7, 1895 Walter Cook. They had: Violet, Bessie, Mabel, and Melvin Cook.

5188. William Melvin Benjamin b. July 20, 1867 at Cornima Michigan; m. October 25, 1896 Grace Van Why of Indiana. Child: Aleta Clair Benjamin.

5189. Julia A. Benjamin b. November 1, 1869; m. January 25, 1890 to Harry Edwards. Issue:
  1. Grace Ann Edwards b. Sept. 2, 1891 at Oakland Calif.
  2. Zella Clair Edwards b. Oct. 14, 1894 at Oakland, Calif.

5190. Sarah Alvira Benjamin b. July 2, 1871 at Owasso, Michigan.

5191. Melvina May Benjamin b. August 10, 1874 at Owasso, Michigan; m. June 19, 1895 Peter Bennett of Ferndale, Calif.

5192. Estella R. Benjamin b. January 13, 1877 at Owasso.

5193. Leuella Lucinda Benjamin b. March 3, 1879 at Ferndale, Calif.

5194. Mary Gertrude Benjamin b. July 22, 1880; d. Dec. 4, 1882.

5195. Georgie Valentine Benjamin b. February 14, 1886 at Ferndale, Calif.

Resource: Letter to Dr. Wilson from Almira Benjamin.

3484. STEPHEN PETER BENJAMIN[8] (Daniel[7], Stephen[6], Obed[5-4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born January 28, 1837 at Pugwash, Nova Scotia, Canada; the son of Daniel and Jane (McNab) Benjamin; died March 15, 1912. He married Emma C. Orphen on May 19, 1863

Children of Stephen and Emma (Orphen) Benjamin:

5196. May Eliza Benjamin b. June 8, 1868; m. Edgar Smallman on July 10, 1910.
  1. Stephen Benjamin Smallman b. July 18, 1908,d. 1908.
  2. Emma Smallman b. Aug. 8, 1909; m. Gordon Bedford Steele in 1936.
  3. Aubrey Edgar Smallman b. July 26, 1911; m. Vivian M. Morris.

5197. Bessie Emma Benjamin b. Nov. 10, 1870; d. Dec. 28, 1890.

5198. Aubrey Edwin Benjamin b. 1879; d. 1898.

5199. Stephen Percy Benjamin b. November 30, 1881; d. May 28, 1917; m/1 Bessie Waterbury on Feb. 1, 1905; m/2 Junita Waterbury, who was b. 1887 and d. 1968.
  1. Laurette Benjamin; m. W. Arthur Neal.
  2. Bessie Benjamin; m. Jack Roach.

5200. Lillian Jane Benjamin; m. October 12, 1891 Rev. William Murray Smallman

Stephen P. Benjamin sold to Jabish Snow of Livermore 500 acres in Luneburg, his "by right of inheritance". Lot #1 on Cold River, etc. on April 3, 1873 and on May 20, 1904 the heirs of Daniel Benjamin sold to S. P. Benjamin of Wolfville for one dollar, lots in the Crown Grant. The deed indicates it was done to clear a question of inheritance.

Resource: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, R. Allen Benjamin, 1973.

3350. JAMES BENJAMIN[8] (Daniel[7], Stephen[6], Obed[5-4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born October 12, 1846 at Pugwash, Nova Scotia, Canada; the son of Daniel and Jane (McNab) Benjamin; died March 13, 1928. He married Drucilla Fancy Foster in 1871.

Children of James and Drucilla (Foster) Benjamin:

5201. Mabel Benjamin b. 1875; d. 1875.
5202. Ida Benjamin b. 1876; d. 1961; m. Thomas Knowlds.
5203. Gertrude Benjamin b. 1878; d. Jan. 1, 1966; m. Lloyd Elliot.
5204. May Benjamin b. 1880; d. April 1942; m. John Mark.
5205. Arthur Benjamin b. 1882; d. 1968 at Pugwash, Canada m. Jennie Miles. They had:
    1. Helen Frances Benjamin b. Dec. 9, 1922; m. Frank Benjamin (who supposedly came from Sweden.)
    2. Jean Ruth Benjamin b. July 17, 1925; m. Emerson Aubrey Chase.
    3. Ian Coreen Benjamin b. Dec. 24, 1928; m. Glover Langille.
5206. Ethel Benjamin b. Nov. 20, 1884; m. Stanford Gabriel.
5207. Fannie Benjamin b. August 27, 1887; d. June 24, 1964; m. Everett Cameron; no issue.
5208. Florence Benjamin b. April 2, 1890; d. June 1923; m. Charles W. Betcher b. 1882, d. 1970.
5209. Earl Benjamin; d. 1918 at Vimy Ridge, France in World War I.
5210. Winnie Benjamin b. Mar. 21, 1894; d. Sept. 28, 1894
5211. James William Benjamin, a twin, b. Mar. 21, 1894; d. Nov. 8, 1894.
5212. Eliza Benjamin.
5213. Henrietta Benjamin; m. James Gabriel; residedat Parrsboro.
5214. Esty Benjamin b. 1896; d. 1918.

Resource: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia; Benjamin; 1973.

3364. MARTHA AMELIA BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Stephen[6], Obed[5-4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born in 1826; the dau. of William and Rebecca

(Davidson) Benjamin. She married John Power.

Children of John and Martha (Benjamin) Power:
5215. Albert Power; resided in USA.
5216. Douglas W. Power.
5217. Martha Power.

Resource: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, Benjamin, 1973.

3365. MORIA ANN BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Stephen[6], Obed.[5-4], Jos.[3-2], John[1] born in 1830; the dau. of Wiliam and Rebecca (Davidson) Benjamin. She died in 1918. She married Robert Westcott, who was born in 1828 and died in 1915.

Children of Robert and Moria (Benjamin) Westcott:
5218. Elmira Elizabeth Westcott b. 1856; d. 1969.
5219. J. Eliplalet Westcott b. 1858; d. 1960.
5220. Lothrop Westcott; d. 1932; m/1 Ellen ---; m/2 Ida Allen.
5221. Delight Westcott; m. Isaac Newton Coldwell.
5222. Lenora Westcott; d. 1924; m. Nathan E. Coldwell.
5223. Cassie Westcott b. 1868; d. 1923; unm.
5224. Winnifred Westcott; m. Emily Coldwell.
5225. Archibald Westcott b. 1870; d. 1936; m. Ellen Swinamer.
5226. Frank Westcott; resided in USA; no issue.
5227. Libby Westcott; died at 12 yrs. of age.

Resource: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, Benjamin, 1973.

3368. SOPHIA DELIGHT BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Stephen[6], Obed[5-4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born in 1838; the dau. of William and Rebecca (Davidson) Benjamin. She married Jehiel Coldwell.

Children of Jehiel and Sophia (Benjamin) Coldwell.
5228. Eudora Coldwell; m. William Anderson.
5229. Adelbert Coldwell; m/1 Josephine Eagles; m/2 Clara Martin.
5230. Blanche Coldwell b. 1869; m. Fred Westcott.
5231. Alice May Coldwell b. 1875; d. 1972; m. Nathan O. Benjamin; no issue.

Resource: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, Benjamin, 1973.

3370. DOUGLAS WOODWORTH BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Stephen[6], Obed.[5-4], Jos.[3-2, John[1]) born in 1844; the son of William and Rebecca (Davidson) Benjamin. He married August 3, 1865 Pauline Duncanson.

Children of Douglas and Pauline (Duncanson) Benjamin:
5232. Etta Benjamin b. 1868; m/1 Truman Bishop; m/2 Marchant Martin; resided at Aylsford, N.Y.
5233. Lena M. Benjamin b. 1870; d. 1952; m. John A. Coldwell; no issue.
5234. Flora Z. Benjamin ; m. Renforth Martin; no issue.

5235. Lewis Stanley Benjamin; m/1 Betty Schofield; he moved to Boston, Mass; was married twice; had a son Douglas Benjamin, who resided in the USA.
5236. Florence Elizabeth Benjamin; unm.
5237. Leora Benjamin; m/1 Maxwell Lebant; m/2 William Pleadwell; resided in Buffalo, N.Y.
5238. Melvin Douglas Benjamin; m. Fannie Fielding; had dau. Florence Benjamin, who m. --- White; Leora Benjamin; and dau. Flate Benjamin, who resided in Ottawa, Canada.

Resource: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, Benjamin, 1973.

3386. GORDON (GERDEN) BENJAMIN[8] (Stephen[7-6], Obed.[5-4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born May 20, 1829; the son of Stephen and Anna (Scoflield) Benjamin; died January 2, 1906. He married Eunice Catherine Davidson on October 14, 1858. She was born July 14, 1837 and died September 3, 1897.

Children of Gordon and Eunice (Davidson) Benjamin:
5239. Irene L. Benjamin b. Nov. 24, 1859; m. Oscar Porter on May 30, 1874.
5240. Fred O. Benjamin b. Dec. 7, 1861; d. 1916; unm.
5241. Edward G. Benjamin b. July 10, 1864; d. 1933; m. Bessie May McInnis.
5242. Obed H. Benjamin b. Feb. 19, 1867; d. 1948; unm.
5243. Julia A. Benjamin b. Sept. 10, 1869; d. July 1, 1901; m. Dec. 12, 1874 Harding Fielding.
5244. Martha D. Benjamin b. Jan. 31, 1872; m. July 29, 1896 Bayard Lloyd.
5245. Mary E. Benjamin, a twin, b. Jan. 31, 1872; m. Dec. 21, 1897 Clarence J. Schofield.
5246. Lillian Pearl Benjamin b. Sept. 27, 1878; m. Edward McInnis.
?5247. Nova O. Benjamin b. March 4, 1893.

Resources: Recourds of Mrs. John Ellingwood of Machester, N.H.; Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, Benjamin, 1973.

3387. ALLEN ELIJAH BENJAMIN[8] (Stephen[7-6], Obed.[5-4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born April 5, 1834 in Nova Scotia; the son of Stephen and Anna (Schofield) Benjamin; died February 18, 1927. He married Mary Pick, who was born February 6, 1840 and died May 10, 1925. Allen was born at Black River and died at White Rock, Nova Scotia.

Children of Allen and Mary (Pick) Benjamin:
5248. Marioner Benjamin b. Dec. 22, 1858; d. May 16, 1879; unm.; drowned at sea.
5249. Sophia Benjamin b. Sept. 9, 1860; d. Dec. 29, 1862.
5250. Annie Benjamin b. Oct. 6, 1862; m. Harold Stivers.
5251. Laura Benjamin b. Aug. 10, 1864; d. June 15, 1867.
5252. Sarah Benjamin b. Dec. 12, 1866; d. Apr. 15, 1958; m. 1890 Harvey Coldwell.

5253. Frank Benjamin b. Feb. 10, 1869; d. Jan. 2, 1924; no issue.
5254. Rachel Benjamin b. June 8, 1871; d. Sept. 15, 1972.
5255. Erdly A. Benjamin b. Jan. 14, 1878; m. Mabel Forbes; moved to USA.
5256. Sidney Elijah Benjamin b. 1878; d. Mar. 1960; m. July 17, 1902 Jennie Brewster.
1. Maynard Marioner Benjamin; m. Marjorie Coldwell.
2. Charles Allen Benjamin; m/1 --- Melvin; m/2 Karherine Margerson; m/3 Lilda Hendersen.
3. Verna Benjamin; m. Wilson Lewis Benjamin.
5257. Arthur Benjamin b. Feb. 18, 1880; d. Aug. 23, 1959; was married had had issue:
1. Bertha Pauline Benjamin b. Feb. 28, 1926; m. 1947 Francis Gaul.
2. Greta May Benjamin; m. Delbert Walsh.
3. Frances Millie Benjamin; m. Aubrey Tracy.
5258. Lewis Benjamin b. July 3, 1882; m. 1913 Annie Clark
5259. Alice Mary Maude Benjamin b. Apr. 10, 1885; m/1 Albert Fancy and had a large family; m/2 --- Morrison in 1903. Moved to USA.
5260. Wiley Benjamin b. Mar. 7, 1889; m. Sept. 29, 1913 Elizabeth Kehoe.
1. Myrtle Louise Benjamin b. 1914; m. Victor May
2. Muriel Teresa Benjamin b. 1916; m. Albert Kinsman.
3. Marjorie Helena Benjamin b. 1918; m. Roy Bond
4. Marion Rita Benjamin b. 1920; m. Melbourne Hughie.
5. Bernard Douglas Benjamin b. 1926; m. Madaline Stevens.

Resource: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, Benjamin, 1973.

3388. MICHAEL LEANDER BENJAMIN[8] (Stephen[7-6], Obed.[5-4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born October 7, 1836 at Black River, Nova Scotia; the son of Stephen and Anna (Schofield) Benjamin; died May 2, 1916 at Nausau, New Hampshire (vr) and is buried at the Edgewood Cemetery. He married Anna Eliza Schofield, perhaps the dau. of Gideon and Lucinda (---) Schofield. She was born in 1847 at Gaspereau, Nova Scotia, Canada.

Children of Michael and Anna (Schofield) Benjamin.
5261. Gideon H. Benjamin b. March 21, 1866 at Gaspereau, N.S.; d. October 5, 1942 at Nashau, N.H.; m. Christina M. McGilvery, the dau. of Kenneth and Margaret (Scott) McGilvery. She was b. May 4, 1840 at White Rock, N.S. and died January 1, 1954 at Nashau. They are buried in the Edgewood Cem.
1. Joseph Benjamin; died young.
2. Delbert H. Benjamin b. Dec. 2, 1888 at White Rock, N.S.; d. Apr. 7, 1913 at Nashau, N.H.

m. Oct. 23, 1909 Annie Leaor at Nashau.

3. Murdick Alroy Benjamin b. Feb. 4, 1894; d. Aug. 13, 1956; m. Evelyn Lempron.
4. William H. Benjamin b. Dec. 28, 1896; d. July 1, 1908 at Nashau, N.H.
5. George Leon Benjamin b. Apr. 2, 1900; m. Nov. 10, 1823 Pearl L. Barnes. (Note: on some records his mother's name is given as Christina Scholfield.)
6. Kenneth Eugene Benjamin b. Aug. 8, 1907; d. Jan. 11, 1908 at Nashau. (vr).
7. Annie Margaret Benjamin b. Apr. 1, 1910; d. Apr. 22, 1910 at Nashau., (vr).
8. John Leander Benjamin b. Oct. 4, 1902; d. Nov. 25, 1920; unm.
9. Arthur Brean Benjamin b. Sept. 4, 1905 at Nashau; d. Feb. 23, 1967; m/1 Mar. 23, 1935 Gladys Heath; m/2 Irene Latouche.
10. Mary Arietta Haseltine Benjamin b. Sept. 14, 1911 at Nashau; m/1 Dec.1929 David Sewall Ford; m/2 Laurie Suomenin in 1968.

5262. Erastus Eugene Benjamin b. Aug. 11, 1873 at Gaspereau, N.S., Canada; d. Feb. 21, 1959 at Nashau, N.H. and buried in theEdgewood Cemetery. He m. Catherine Corbin, dau. of Stanley and Elizabeth (Webb) Corbin born July 8, 1877 at Kentville, N.S

1. Roxie A. Benjamin b. Nov. 18, 1895 at White Rock, N.S.; m. Apr. 24, 1920 Milfred R. Risteen.
2. Finley Leverett Benjamin b. May 5, 1899 at Whiterock, N.S.; d. Jan. 12, 1954 at Nashau; m. May 21, 1921 Anna Louise McCutcheon.
3. James Earl Benjamin b. Dec. 29, 1903 at White Rock,, N.S.; m/1 Sept. 27, 1924 Lena Steere; m/2 1946 Madeleine E. Henderson. He d. July 10, 1971 at Nashau, N.H.

5263. Georgianna Benjamin b. April 23, 1863 at Gaspereau, N.S.; d. Jan. 18, 1927 at Nashau, N.H.; m. Jan. 20, 1886 William Henry Corey.

5264. Lucinda Belle Benjamin b. April 1868; d. June 21, 1870, age 15 mos.

5265. Emery M. Benjamin b. December 15, 1884 at White Rock, N.S.; d. April 1, 1969 at Nashau, N.H.; m. Dec. 15, 1903 Clara M. Earley of N.S. at Nashau. She dau. of Elisha and Weltha (Wright) Earley.

1. Muriel May Benjamin b. May 18, 1904 at Nashau m/1 Roscoe W. Goodale; m/2 1921 Joseph C. Therriault; moved to New Jersey.

Resources: Vital Records of New Hampshire; Records of Mrs. John P. Ellingwood of Manchester, N.H.; Vol. 5 p. 732 Woodstock, Conn. Gen.; Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, Benjamin, 1973.

3414. IRAD BENJAMIN[8] (Perez[7], Abel[6], Obed[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born October 23, 1816; the son of Perez Martin and Sarah (Stevens) Benjamin; died in 1907. He married Catherine Ann Davidson.

Children of Irad and Catherine (Davidson) Benjamin:

5266. Thomas Erwin Benjamin; m. Mary Lockhart; no issue.
5267. Rebecca Benjamin; m. Rufus Forsyth.
5268. Harriet Benjamin; m. Chipman Vaughn.
5269. Clara Inez Benjamin; m. James Stevens.
5270. Mary Benjamin; m. John Jordan.
5271. Nathan Owen Benjamin; m/1 Rilda Martin and had 4 daus.: Gladys, Catherine, Blanche, and Harriet Benjamin. He m/2 Alice May Coldwell.(See#5231.)
5272. Annie Alice Benjamin b. and d. 1859.

Resources: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, Benjamin, 1973

3441. WILLIAM ANDREW BENJAMIN[8] (Ezekiel[7], Jacob[6], Obed[5-4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born August 15, 1831 at Gaspereau, Nova Scotia, Canada; the son of Ezekeil and Phoebe (Illsley) Benjamin; died March 23, 1906. He married on August 16, 1863 Mrs. Catherine A. Saxton (Sexon).

He was a shoemaker in Glastonbury, Nova Scotia.

Children of William and Catherine (--- Saxton) Benjamin:

5273. Minnie Jane Benjamin b. May 24, 1864; d. June 12, 1864.
5274. Wyllie Holmes Benjamin b. May 24, 1865 at Horton, N.S.; moved to the USA.
5275. Fredrick Lothrop Benjamin b. April 19, 1867 at Horton, N.S.; moved to USA.
5276. Aubray Wildon Benjamin b. October 22, 1869 at Truro N.S.; moved to Dorchester, Mass. Issue:
    1. Aubrey C. Benjamin; resided in Chelsea, Mass.
    2. Dr. L. Burton Benjamin; resided Weymouth, Mass.
    3. Maybelle Irence Benjamin b. Aug. 19, 1904; m. Albert Joseph Simkins.
5277. Luther Head Benjamin b. Dec. 21, 1871; d. Sept. 8, 1926; m. 1906 Mary Elizabeth Sarsfield.
    1. Kathryn Marion Benjamin b. Dec. 21, 1907; m. Robert Trites.
    2. Margaret Philip Benjamin b. June 1, 1909, d. Dec. 1937; m. Manuel Maderias.
    3. Avon Dawson Saxon Benjamin b. Jan. 28, 1915; m. Mrs. Meta Baker; no issue.
    4. Carman Luther Benjamin b. Oct. 21, 1914; m. Margaret Keigan.
    5. Marvin England Head Benjamin b. May 26, 1916; d. 1917.
    6. Mary Elizabeth Benjamin b. Dec. 15, 1915; m. Harry Lohnes.
    7. Gloria Rose Benjamin b. Nov. 5, 1921; m.

Harold Fisher.

5278. Annie Amelia Benjamin b. April 12, 1876 at Truro.

Resources: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, Benjamin, 1973 p. 735 Desc. of John Whitman of Weymouth, Farnam, 1889.

3459. HENRY A. BENJAMIN[8] (James[7], Jacob[6], Obed[5-4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born in 1841 at Gay's River, Nova Scotia; the son of James Harvey and Mary Jane (McHeffey) Benjamin; died January 2, 1917 at Gay's River. He married Jane Cook who was born January 29, 1846 and died April 4, 1917.

He remained on the farm his father established at Gay's River, and it was passed on to his son John Cook Benjamin.

Children of Henry A. and Jane (Cook) Benjamin:

5279. James Williard Benjamin b. Dec. 12, 1867 at Gay's River; d. Aug. 19, 1886; unm.

5280. John Cook Benjamin b. Aug. 30, 1869; d. June 20, 1939 at Gay's River; m. 1904 Melissa Jane Thompson b. 1881, d. 1965, dau. of George P. Thompson.
   1. Winnifred Margaret Benjamin; m. John Lowell Hartwell; resided Cape Cod and Florida.
   2. Cady Thompson Benjamin; m. Bessie Frame; no issue; resided Gay's River.
   3. Henry Watson Benjamin b. Aug. 27, 1908; m. Edna Alexander Kerr.
   4. Arthur John Benjamin b. Jan. 27, 1915; m. Gladys McPhee in 1939; res. Berwick.
   5. Leola Gertrude Benjamin b. Apr. 12, 1916; m. Ralph Reid in 1940; res. Milford.

5281. Georgina Sadie Benjamin b. 1872; m. Arthur McHeffey

5282. Henry Albert Benjamin b. July 30, 1873; m. three times; moved to British Columbia.

5283. Rupert Benjamin b. 1876; d. 1938; unm.

5284. child; d. April 29, 1879; age 3 weeks.

5285. Ernest Benjamin b. June 15, 1879; d. Dec. 18, 1966; m. June 25, 1890 Emma Kent.
   1. Marion Irene Benjamin b. Aug. 10, 1909; m. Ernest Boudreau in 1935.
   2. Frank Rupert Benjamin b. Oct. 25, 1910; m 1939 Irene Gertrude Creelman; res. Brookfield
   3. Lorne Ilsey Benjamin b. June 18, 1914; m. Mary Blanche Keith in 1934; res. Wolfville.
   4. Ernest Sydney Benjamin b. Jan. 31, 1920; d. May 24, 1964; m. Lorna Spears.
   5. Shirley Georgina Benjamin b. 1927; m. Jack Castle.

5286. Emily Ann Benjamin b. 1881; d. 1939; m. Harry Burgess, who d. Nov. 18, 1958.

5287. Lucy Benjamin b. 1884; d. Aug. 1942; m. Edwin Woodworth, b. 1882; d. Oct. 1958.

5288. Mary Elida Benjamin b. Sept. 9, 1886; m. John

Jodrey, the son of John and Elyda (McKenzie) Jodrey; resided at Middle Musquodoboit.

5289. Sarah Jane (Sadie) Benjamin b. 1890; m. J. Vincent O'Reilly; no issue; resided at Dedham, Mass.

Resource: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, Benjamin, 1973.

3461. ROBERT EDWIN BENJAMIN[8] (James[7], Jacob[6], Obed[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born December 7, 1847 at Gay's River, Nova Scotia; the son of James Harvey and Mary Jane (McHeffey) Benjamin; died March 18, 1916 at Brookfield, Colchester Co. He married Margaret Ann O'Brien of Noel Shore, Hants Co. on September 18, 1873. She was the dau. of William Davidson O'Brien and was born January 13, 1851 and died November 30 1932.

After he was married he settled at Gay's River, but in a few years he moved to Brookfield and opened a general store at the cross roads of Halifax and Stewiacke Roads. The original store grew into a large merchandising business, with large warehouses and storage areas. Later a three story hotel was established on the opposite corner and then an ice cream parlor until he had a business operation on all four corners of the cross road.

Children of Robert and Margaret (O'Brien) Benjamin:

5290. Haliburton Brown Benjamin b. 1875; d. May 1964; m. 1902 Maggie Hamilton; no issue.

5291. Embro Davidson Benjamin b. May 9, 1878; d. Nov. 9, 1933; m. Nellie Grace Remby, b. Dec. 12, 1893; d. Nov. 4, 1961.
   1. Fredrick Remby Benjamin b. June 16, 1916; m. 1946 Margarette MacGregor b. Sept. 26, 1922.
   2. Margaret Elena Benjamin b. August 12, 1918; m. H. F. Hammer; no issue.
   3. Gladys Evelyn Benjamin b. March 31, 19??; m. 1943 George Jackson.
   4. Mary Roberta Benjamin b. Apr. 29, 1923; unm.

5292. Edwin Glendon Benjamin b. June 9, 1880; d. Dec. 2, 1930 (at sea); m. Sarah Rapp b. Aug. 25, 1909, d. March 28, 1927.

5293. Frank Harlan Benjamin b. March 21, 1886; d. Feb. 11 1967; unm.; resided British Columbia.

5294. Hattie Benjamin b. Aug. 16, 1888; d. April 21, 1965; unm.

5295. Henry Stanley Benjamin b. Dec. 24, 1889; d. Dec. 30, 1969; m. 1920 Veta Collicutt.
   1. Shirley Ann Benjamin b. Aug. 1, 1920; m. 1941 William Halliburton Roberts.
   2. Robert Manning Benjamin b. July 27, 1921; m. Verne Lockhart.
   3. Brian Stanley Benjamin b. April 1927; m. Eileen Hannon.
   4. Joyce Marie Benjamin b. Nov. 24, 1928; m.

1952 Douglas LeRoy Gorton.

5296. Stairs Benjamin b. June 8, 1891; d. March 21, 1936 at Dartmouth, N.S.; m. Dec. 24, 1919 Frances Helen Titus, b. Apr. 23, 1898, d. Apr. 23, 1950.
   1. Robert Allen Benjamin b. Nov. 3, 1920; m. Elizabeth May Jones on Oct. 18, 1946. He is the one that compiled the Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia Genealogy.
   2. John Fenwick Benjamin b. Jan. 9, 1923; m. 1949 Amy Pauline Beatrice Webber.

Resource: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia, Benjamin, 1973.

3464. ALFRED E. BENJAMIN[8] (James[7], Jacob[6], Obed[5-4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born March 22, 1862 at Gay's River, Nova Scotia; the son of James Harvey and Mary Jane (McHeffey) Benjamin; died June 10, 1908. He married Ida H. Annand who was born in 1871 and died in 1949.

Children of Alfred and Ida (Annand) Benjamin:

5297. Percy Alvin Benjamin b. 1896; d. May 6, 1934; m. Alice Christina Lawlor, b. Jan. 1893.
   1. Albin Blakey Benjamin b. Jan. 1918; m. Beulah Haynes.
   2. Alfred Irvin Benjamin b. Mar. 1921; m. Muriel Harding.
   3. Aubrey Lawrence Benjamin b. July 1, 1927; m. Ruth Cook.
   4. Ralph Benjamin b. Oct. 9, 1929; m. Beverley McCarl.
   5. Elizabeth Yvonne Benjamin b. April 1, 1933; m Audley Lowe.

5298. Elida Benjamin; m. Elmer Elliott.

5299. George Parker Benjamin b. 1900; unm.

5300. Lawrence J. Benjamin b. 1901; unm.

5301. Margaret Jane Benjamin b. 1904; m/1 Wendell Torry; m/2 Ernest Windisch; no issue.

5302. Wallace Benjamin b. 1906; m. Abbey ---.
   1. Jayne Benjamin; m. Harris Gray.
   2. Nancy Benjamin.

Resource: Obadiah Benjamin of Nova Scotia; Robert Allen Benjamin, 1973.

3472. GEORGE GREEN BENJAMIN[8] (Ephraim[7], Asa[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born February 11, 1813 at Preston, Conn.; the son of Ephraim and Sarah (Green) Benjamin; died March 27, 1893 at Preston, Conn. and is buried in the Preston Cemetery, lot #3-72. He married Elizabeth Marie Avery on March 29, 1843 at Poquetanuck, Conn. She was the dau. of Henry Clinton and Sarah (Chapman) Avery and was born June 22, 1817 at Poquetanuck, Conn. and died December 11, 1886 at Preston, Conn. and is buried with her husband.

He remained on the home farm until he was 17 years of age, his educational advantages being limited to his home town. From boyhood, he cherished the idea of going to sea, and as soon as he was old enough, he presented himself to Major Thomas W. Williams, of New London, who immediately employed him and sent him out as a common sailor before the mast, in his ship "Connecticut". This first voyage was a whaling expedition to the South Seas and he was gone 10 months. He made six different voyages to the South Seas, and elsewhere, before he was made captain of a vessel named "Clematis", owned by Williams and Barnes. In this, he made two voyages, both successful, but the first voyage was the one of his whole career which perhaps merits special notice. The "Clematis", fitted out by Williams and Barnes, arrived July 4, 1841 after a voyage around the world of 10 months and 29 days, and brought home 2548 barrels of oil. This voyage, when the time and distance sailed and the quantity of oil brought home are considered in connection, deserves to be ranked among his remarkable achievements. He made 2 voyages in the ship "Lowell" and then was given his third ship, the "Montezuma". Besides visiting the South Seas very frequently, he circumnavigated the globe 7 times and visited nearly all the important islands. He commanded different vessels for 16 years, working in all more thatn 23 years as a whaler, until 1854, when he settled in Preston, in that part of the town known as Poquetanuck, and lived there until his death. He was a Democrat and in 1856 was elected to the legislature by both parties, only one vote being cast against him. He also held at various times the other principal offices of the town. He was a liberal supporter of the Episocopal Church, although his wife belonged to the Baptist denomination.

Children of George and Elizabeth (Avery) Benjamin:

5303. Henrietta Avery Benjamin b. March 16, 1849 at Poquetanuck, Conn.; d. March 2, 1864, age 15 yrs. at Preston, Conn. (vr 8C-21).

5304. Amanda Williams Benjamin b. June 26, 1854 (gs says b. 1855); d. January 27, 1927 (gs); buried in the same cemetery lot as her parents; m. January 10, 1894 Henry Adams Spauldings, son of Henry Wright Spaulding, b. Sept. 1, 1850 in Brooklyn, Conn. and d. July 9, 1900.

Resources: p. 614 Groton Avery Clan, Avery, 1912; p. 619 Spaulding Memorial, Spaulding, 1897; Bromley Gen., Bromley 1911; Hale Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records; Gen. and Biog. Rec. of New London, Conn., Beers, 1905.

3473. HARRIET BENJAMIN[8] (Ephraim[7], Asa[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born January 17, 1815 at Preston, Conn.; the dau. of Eprhaim and Sarah (Green) Benjamin; died at Griswold,

Conn. She married George D. Palmer.

Children of George and Harriet (Benjamin) Palmer:
5305. Eunice Maria Palmer; m. Clark Whitney Reynolds.
5306. George B. Palmer.
5307. William D. Palmer; resided at Meriden, Conn.

Resources: DAR Lineage Book; Gen. and Biog. Rec. of New London, Conn., Beers, 1905.

3475. WILLIAM BENJAMIN[8] (Ephraim[7], Asa[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born March 29, 1818 at Preston, Conn.; the son of Ephraim and Sarah (Green) Benjamin; died at Mystic, Conn. and buried in the Preston, Conn. Cemetery, lot #3-72. He married Cynthia Palmer on March 29, 1848. She was born October 27, 1820 and died May 29, 1903 and is buried in the same cemetery lot as her husband.
He was also a captain of a whaling vessel.

Children of William and Cynthia (Palmer) Benjamin:
5308. William C. Benjamin b. April 14, 1854 at Mystic, Conn.; d. June 12, 1890 at Preston, Conn. and is buried in the same cemetery lot as his parents.
5309. Charles Benjamin; resided at Mystic, Conn.

Resources: Bromley Gen., Viola Bromley, 1911; Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records; Gen. and Biog. Rec. of New London, Conn., Beers, 1905.

3479. CAPT. EDWIN BENJAMIN[8] (Ephraim[7], Asa[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born September 3, 1833/4 at Preston, Conn. (vr 2-384); the son of Ephraim and Sarah (Green) Benjamin; died 1919 at Preston, Conn. and is buried in the Preston Cemetery, lot #3-72. He married Phrozenia Barnes on April 13 1864 in Conn. She was born in 1834 and died in 1913 (gs) and is buried with her husband.
Edwin, like his brothers and father, followed the sea for namy years, during which time he made many whaling trips to different parts of the world. About 35 years of age he retired from the seafaring life and located a homestead at Preston, where he lived for 50 years. His wife, Phrozenia, was a teacher at the Broadway School in Preston for a number of years. Mr. Benjamin was a man of strong principles, free hearted and charitable and a friend of all who knew him. He attended the Preston Baptist Church and was a staunch Democrat. He represented the town of Preston in the Legislature for two sessions.

Children of Edwin and Phrozenia (Barnes) Benjamin:
5310. Mary Benjamin b. 1866; d. 1885 (gs), age 19 yrs.; buried with her parents.
5311. Fredrick E. Benjamin b. 1871; d. 1948 (gs); resided at Preston, Conn.
5312. Grace S. Benjamin b. 1874; d. 1947 (gs); a school

teacher; apparently unm.

Resources: Bromley Gen., Bromley, 1911; Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records; Gen. and Biog. Rec. of New London, Conn., Beers, 1905.

3480. ORSON BENJAMIN[8] (Abel[7], Sam.[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born in 1819 in New York; the son of Abel and Achsah (---) Benjamin; died November 26, 1866 at Otsego Co., New York. He married Caroline ---.

His will is on file at Cooperstown (Book 14 p. 274), New York and names his wife and James Furness as executor and guardians. It is witnessed by John Wiley and Francis Hecox. His dau. was an infant and John Wiley was appointed as special guardian.

Children of Orson and Caroline (---) Benjamin:
5313. E. Cornelia Benjamin.

Resource: Research of Mrs. Gorton Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

3482. SILAS BENJAMIN[8] (Solomon[7], Sam.[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John born in 1813 in New York; the son of Solomon and Dorcas (Hecox) Benjamin. He married Abigail ---, who was born in about 1817 in New York.

He was a farmer. He was listed in the 1840 census at Howard, Steuben Co., N.Y. and in the 1880 census of Fremont, Steuben Co., N.Y. He was listed in the 1868/9 Steuben Co. Directory as living at Haskinville, Fremont and that son Ledran H. was living at Dansville.

Children of Silas and Abigail (---) Benjamin:
5314. La(e)dran H. Benjamin bc. 1840 in New York; m. Pheba ---, born about 1851 in N.Y. Issue:
1. Chase Benjamin bc. 1872.
2. Oliver Benjamin bc. 1874.
3. May Benjamin bc. 1877.
4. Mabel Benjamin bc. 1889.

Resources: Census records; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y. and F. Everett Benjamin of Oswego, N.Y.

3494. SAMUEL SMITH BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Sam.[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born March 1829 at Otsego, New York; the son of William and Elizabeth (Richards) Benjamin; died February 20, 1908, age 78-11 (vr) at Snowdon, Oswego Co., N.Y. (vr) and is buried at Fly Creek, Otsego Co., N.Y. He married Esther Wiley, dau. of John and Sally (---) Wiley and was born in 1830 in New York and died before 1908.

On July 8, 1892 Smith Benjamin was called to New Lisbon, to the funeral of his uncle, John Benjamin, who was over 90. (Newspaper account). His will was dated August 1905 and is on file at Cooperstown, (Book 60 p. 283). Charles Irish was named executor and S. Wilson Cheney and

David G. Lindsay of Fly Creek were witnesses.

Smith Benjamin was listed in the 1855, 1865, and 1875 census records of Otsego, Otsego Co., N.Y.

Children of Samuel S. and Esther (Wiley) Benjamin:

5315. Charlotte A. Benjamin b. 1854; m. Charles Irish of Fly Creek, N.Y.

5316. Diantha Benjamin b. April 29, 1857; m. Jan. 17, 1877 Frank U. Russell of Pierston, N.Y. He was the son of Levi N. and Nancy P. (Joslyn) Russell and was b. Jan. 6, 1856. He was a teamster and resided at Cooperstown, N.Y.
   1. Maude Esther Russell b. Sept. 17, 1881; m. 1909 Cylde Davis.
   2. Bertha May Russell b. Oct. 28, 1884.

5317. Julia Benjamin b. 1860.

5318. Byron L. Benjamin b. 1863 at Wileytown, N.Y.; d. Dec. 23, 1955 at Milford, Otsego Co., N.Y.; m. Allie Cole. Issue:
   1. Earl Byron Benjamin b. 1898; m. Jan. 12, 1921 at Otsego Co., N.Y. Helen May Purple, b. Dec. 20, 1903, the dau. of Wesley and Nellie (Haggerty) Purple. She was b. at Warner, Herkimer Co., N.Y. They were divorced and she m/2 Harold White.
   2. Daisy Ida Esther Benjamin b. 1895; m. 1919 Hess Worthington Talbot at Oaksville, N.Y.

5319. Carrie Benjamin b. 1871.

Resources: Census records; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.; Records of Gloria Schouw of Huntington Beach, Calif.; p. 141 Howland Heirs, Emery, 1919.

3495. RODOLPHUS S. BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Sam.[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born 1830/1 in Otsego Co., New York; the son of William C. and Elizabeth (Richards) Benjamin. He married Marietta Ferns, the dau. of John and Hannah (---) Ferns. She was born in 1833 and died March 1897.

Her will was dated Oct. 12, 1896 and is on file at Cooperstown, N.Y. (Book 46 p. 313), and leaves everyting to her husband and upon his death it is to go to Emma V. House, wife of Walter House and her brother James P. Ferns, and sister Jane A. Pearsall.

Children of Rodolphus and Marietta (Ferns) Benjamin:

5320. Emma V. Benjamin; m. Walter House.
   1. Maude House b. Jan. 19, 1886 at Oaksville, N.Y.; m. May 15, 1905 at Laurens, N.Y. to Justice Richardson Edson, son of Henry and Helen (Ward) Edson b. July 22, 1881 at Laurens, N.Y.

Resources: p. 711 Edson Fam. Hist. and Gen., Edson; Probate and Census Records; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther.

3498. EZRA M. BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Sam.[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born in 1839 at Otsego Co., New York; the son of William C. and Elizabeth (Richards) Benjamin; died June 29, 1892 at Oneonta, New Yorkand is buried in the Fly Creek Cemetery at Hartdwick, N.Y. He married Helen M. Irish. She was born in 1847 and died in 1900 (gs), and is buried with her husband.

Their names are on the same grave stone as the names of: William Edgar Bresee 1836-1898; Martha E. Irons, wife 1846-1887; and Idalla H. Bresse 1862-1863.

Children of Ezra and Helen (Irish) Benjamin:

5321. Sarah Benjamin b. December 23, 1865 at Oaksville, N.Y.; m. May 9, 1885 at Oaksville to Arthur Johnson Perrine b. March 8, 1868 at Oneonta, N.Y.

Resources: Daniel Perrin and his Desc. in Am., 1910; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

3503.?HIRAM BENJAMIN[8] (Asa[7], Solomon[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born perhaps between 1820-25; a possible son of Asa and Lucinda (---) Benjamin; probably died about 1901 at Amithy Allegany Co., N.Y. The name of his wife is unknown.

Letters of administration were filed Oct. 31, 1901 in Allegany Co. Probate (5:455) and he names his dau. Ortha Barrett and other heirs as: Orrena Benjamin; Orminda Sherwood; and Orrilla Margenson. (Perhaps they are all daus.) Apparently his wife had died before he did, since the letters of administration are given to his dau.

Children of Hiram Benjamin:

5322. Ortha Benjamin; m. --- Barrett.

?5323. Ormena Benjamin.

Resources: Allegany Co., N.Y. Probate Records.

3504. LEE BENJAMIN[8] (Asa[7], Solomon[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born about 1827 in N.Y.; the son of Asa and Lucinda (---) Benjamin; died in 1900. He married Loranda Adelaid ---, who was born about 1824 in New York.

He is listed in the 1850 census of New Hudson and the 1860 census of Birdsall Twp., both of Allegany Co., N.Y.

In the land records of Potter Co., Penn. (1-263) on June 5, 1865 Lee and wife Lurinda Benjamin sell land to Amos Benjamin of Hebron, Potter Co., Penn. Lee seems to be residing in Potter Co. at that time.

Children of Lee and Loranda (---) Benjamin:

5324. George R. Benjamin bc. 1847 prob. in Allegany Co., N.Y.; d. about 1897; m. Lovia D. Cartwright. She was bc. 1844 and dc. 1907. He is listed in the 1880 census of Amity Twp., Allegany Co., N.Y. Apparently Lovia was married before, since she had a son: Otto G. Cartwright bc. 1867, living with them in 1880.

1. Albert L. Benjamin bc. 1837.

2. Clayton Benjamin.

5325. Sarah Benjamin bc. 1848/9.

5326. Marion J. Benjamin bc. 1849/50; d. December 20, 1915; m. Lois A. ---. In the McKean Co., Penn. land records on Sept. 22, 1896 Marion J. and wife sold land to Albert E. Benjamin; on July 15, 1901 Marion J. and wife sell land to James Wesley Benjamin; and on April 6, 1898 L. Adelaide and Lois A. Benjamin sell land to Marion J. Benjamin.
   1. Edna C. Benjamin; m. --- Kuhn.
   2. Lena A. Benjamin.
   3. James Wesley Benjamin.

5327. LeRoy R. Benjamin; b. 1852; m. Phebe --- bc. 1855; listed in 1880 Amity Twp., Allegany Co., N.Y. census as a pedlar.

5328. Albert L./E. Benjamin bc. 1855.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

3511. RODOLPHUS BENJAMIN[8] (Caleb[7], Rodol.[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born September 14, 1829 at Exeter, near Burlington Flats, Otsego Co., New York; the son of Caleb F, and Abigail (Hathaway) Benjamin; died January 8, 1911, age 81. He married Electa Crosby, who was born in 1823 and died October 6, 1893 at Exeter Center, Otsego, Co, New York, age 69-3-19 (gs). They are both buried in the Exeter Cemetery at Otsego Co., N.Y.

He was a mechanic and blacksmith. He enlisted in Co. I, 152nd Regt. on August 20, 1862 and was discharged Sept. 6, 1865 during the Civil War. He was listed in the 1860 census of Burlington, Otsego Co., N.Y.

Children of Rodolphus and Electa (Crosby) Benjamin:

5329. Sarah Benjamin bc. 1852/3; m. --- Havens; resided in Indiana; had 2 children.

5330. Mary Abigail Benjamin bc. 1855/6; m. Alex Bonton/Bouton; had 2 children.

5331. Caleb DeWitt Benjamin; b. 1859/60; m. Lydia ---; moved to Detroit, Michigan and later to Elkhart, Indiana.

5332. Addie Elizabeth Benjamin bc. 1861; m. Charles Medbury; resided in Otsego Co., N.Y.

5333. Minnie Virginia Benjamin b. 1863; m. Delos Baulch (or DeLass Baukh).

5334. Henry E. Benjamin b. 1865; d. 1949; buried in the Exeter Cemetery in Otsego Co., N.Y.; m. Blanche Jackson b. 1864, d. 1932 (gs). Blanche C. was the dau. of Nathaniel and Emeline Veber, but was legally adopted as an infant by the Jackson family.

5335. Lindon/Lyndon/Linn M. Benjamin b. 1867; m. Grace Robinson b. 1864. Both are buried in the Exeter Cemetery.

5336. Carrie Benjamin bc. 1872; m. Eugene Card.

Resources: Benjamin Family Records from Helen B. Medbury (Mrs. Samuel) of New Berlin, N.Y.; Census Records; New England Gegister Vol. 3 p. 300; Hist. of Otsego Co., Hurd; p. 104 Foote Hist. and Gen.

3514. SETH HATHAWAY BENJAMIN[8] (Caleb[7], Rodol.[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos. 3-2, John[1]) born December 27, 1833 at Burlington, Otsego Co., New York; the son of Caleb F. and Abigail (Hathaway) Benjamin; died January 23, 1924 at Madison, Wisconsin and is buried at Lodi, Wisconsin. He married Margaret Storie (Story) on March 31, 1858 at Burlington, N.Y. She was born October 5, 1832 at Jedbury, Scotland and died August 12, 1893.

He was listed in the 1860 census records of Otsego Co. N.Y., but soon afterward went to Wisconsin.

Children of Seth and Margaret (Storie) Benjamin:

5337. Jane Clara Benjamin bc. 1860 in Burlington, N.Y.; d. before 1863; buried in the Garretsville Cemetery.

5338. Clara Jane Benjamin b. November 6, 1863 at Burlington, N.Y.; d. May 6, 1954 at Milwaukee, Wisconsin m. December 9, 1883 to Charles H. Batty b. Oct. 28, 1860 in Reo, Wisconsin and died Feb. 20, 1937 at Madison, Wis.
1. Helen Benjamin; m. Samuel Medbury.

5339. Arthur Benjamin b. 1867 at Dane Co., Wis.; died at age of 4 yrs.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Samuel Medbury of New Berlin, N.Y.; Census Records; Vol. 21 p. 228 Wis. Necrology.

3513. ABEL FRANKLIN BENJAMIN[8] (Caleb[7], Rodol.[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos. 3-2, John[1]) born August 9, 1836 at Burlington, Otsego Co., New York; the son of Caleb F. and Abigail (Hathaway) Benjamin; died July 11, 1908. He m/1 Caroline Beals. He m/2 December 27, 1871 at Eire, Penn. to Hulda Genette Swift, who was b. May 14, 1846 and died January 27, 1916.

He resided at Edinboro, Penn. He was a farmer and very clever with his hands in making things.

Children of Abel and Hulda (Swift) Benjamin:

5340. Celia Elizabeth Benjamin b. June 21, 1873 at Edinboro, Penn.; d. August 8, 1956 at Ann Arbor, Mich m.c. 1896 Michael Leo McLaughlin b. Nov. 18, 1869 d. Feb. 29, 1956. They were divorced about 1907.
1. Dean Benjamin McLaughlin b. October 25, 1901, d. Dec. 8, 1965. He taught at the University of Michigan until his death and held many honors during his lifetime. After his death, a crater on the moon was named McLaughlin, in his honor. He was an astronomer and geolo-

gist. His life is given in Encyclopedia of Am. Biog. Vol. 37 p. 57.

5341. Edith Abigail Benjamin b. July 16, 1875; d. 1941; unm.; a teacher in Detroit, Mich.

5342. Gladys Salina Benjamin b. March 20, 1877; d. June 1961; unm. a teaher in Detroit, Mich.

5343. Clara Charlotte Benjamin b. March 20, 1877; dc. 1934; unm.; teacher in Detroit, Mich.

5344. Blanche Louise Benjamin b. July 9, 1879; d. 1939; m. Charles Payne; resided in Buffalo, N.Y.; no issue.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Samuel Medbury of New Berlin, N.Y. and records of Mrs. J.C. Dawson of Littleton, Colo.

3516. DAVID BENJAMIN[8] (Caleb[7], Rodol.[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born in 1838 at Burlington, New York; the son of Caleb F. and Abigail (Hathaway) Benjamin; died in 1915. He m/1 an unknown wife. He m/2 Margaret Breretow, a widow with a son George and several daus.

He lived at Lodi, Wisconsin and was drafted for the Civil War on September 5, 1863.

Children of David Benjamin:

5345. Eugene Benjamin; died in his teens.

5346. Sidney Benjamin; died in his teens.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Samuel Medbury of New Berlin, N.Y.; Hurd's Hist. of Otsego Co., N.Y.

3517. JOHN BENJAMIN[8] (Caleb[7], Rodol.[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born in 1841/2 at Burlington, New York; the son of Caleb F. and Abigail (Hathaway) Benjamin; died in 1914 (gs) and is buried in the Garettsville or Butternut Valley Cemetery at Burlington, N.Y. He married Emeline E. ---, who was born in 1836 (gs). She is buried with her husband with no death date on her grave stone.

He lived at Pittsfield, Otsego Co., N.Y.

Children of John and Emeline (---) Benjamin:

5347. Allan Benjamin; had a son Henry Benjamin and 2 daughters.

5348. Nellie Benjamin; an adopted daughter; m. twice.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Samuel Medbury of New Berlin, N.Y.; Cemtery Records from Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

3531. FRANCIS WORTH BENJAMIN[8] (Alvin[7], Christ.[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos. 3-2, John[1]) born in 1851 at Barre, New York; the son of Alvin Fitch and Amanda (Watkins) Benjamin; died May 1932, age 81, at Grand Ledge, Michigan. He married Louisa P. Young of Watertown, Michigan on December 20, 1877 at Reading, Michigan. She was the dau.of George F. and Ruth Ann

(Benson) Young and she was born March 18, 1859 at Reading, Michigan and died in 1910 at Grand Ledge, Michigan.

Children of Francis and Louisa (Young) Benjamin:

5349. Claude Allen Benjamin b. August 28, 1880 at Riley, Michigan; m. Toria Worth. He died in Colorado. They had no issue.

5350. Alvin Clifford Benjamin b. March 12, 1889 at Oneida Twp., Michigan; d. Jan. 9, 1971 at Grand Ledge, Mich.; m. Sept. 8, 1915 at Wacusta, Mich. to Elizabeth Wesseler, the dau.of Henry Herman and Emma (Burke) Wessler, b. Aug. 10, 1891 at Wacusta.
   1. Bethany Louise Benjamin b. May 6, 1921 at Grand Ledge, Mich.; m. July 5, 1941 to Gordon Bryce Ginther b. Dec. 18, 1917 at Buffalo, N.Y. Mrs. Gither has been a most devoted N.Y. area researcher of Benjamin Genealogy.
   2. Donovan Victor Benjamin b. Sept. 24, 1924; m. March 1946 Betty Pearson.

5351. Ruth Irene Benjamin b. Oct. 24, 1890 at Oneida Twp. d. Dec. 28, 1954; unm.; buried with parents.

5352. Homer P. Benjamin b. March 1894; d. Sept. 1894.

5353. Amanda Benjamin b. Jan. 1893; d. Jan. 1893; 11 days

5354. Leonard Perry Benjamin b. May 23, 1896; m. Elizabeth Haverly; resided at Huntington, West Virginia

Resources: Diary of Henry D. Benjamin; Records of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

3537. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[8] (Russell[7], Lathrop[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born in 1827 at Union, Otsego Co., New York; the son of Russell and Abigail (---) Benjamin; died February 1898 at Union, Otsego Co., New York. He married Arvesta ---, who was born in 1833 in Broome Co., N.Y. and died in August 1915.

His estate is on file in Otsego Co., N.Y. in the Surogate's Office, file #882. He was a farmer and was listed in the 1855 Broome Twp., Union, Otsego Co., N.Y. census.

Children of Samuel and Arvesta (---) Benjamin:

5355. Sarah Benjamin b. 1852 at Broome, N.Y.

5356. Lucinda Benjamin b. 1855; m. Andrew Packard, son of Ira and Martha (Cleveland) Packard and resided at Binghamton, N.Y.

5357. Harvey/Henry Benjamin b. 1857; d. before his father; his will said he left no widow, but it named his children.
   1. Verna Benjamin b. February 28, 1880 at Maine, N.Y.; m. Frank K. Twining b. Jan. 31, 1866; m. 1899. He was the son of William F. and Eleanor (Keyes) Twining; was a farmer at Lestershire, N.Y.
   2. Mabel/Madge Benjamin b. 1882; m. --- Wage.
   3. Zera M. Benjamin b. 1883 at Maine, N.Y.

5358. Erwin/Irvine Benjamin b. 1860; d. 1926; buried in the New Ohio Cemetery at Colesville, N.Y.; m/1 ? and divorced; m/2 Martha Marion Scott; had dau. Josephine Benjamin who m/1 --- Chapman, m/2 --- Bury and resided at Buffalo, N.Y.

5359. Lyman Jerry Benjamin b. 1863; d. May 3, 1916; m. 1909 Jennie F. Rhodes. He d. at Union, N.Y.

5360. Charles F. Benjamin b. 1871.

Resources: p. 99 and 169 Twining Family, Twining, 1905; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

3540. LEWIS/LOUIS J./R. BENJAMIN[8] (Russell[7], Lathrop[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born January 27, 1837 at Otsego Co., New York; the son of Russell and Abigail (---) Benjamin; died September 28, 1875 and is buried in the Mt. Upton Cemetery in Chenango Co., New York. He married Emeline/Eunice L. Farrer, the dau. of Rufus and Margaret (---) Farrer and was born May 1, 1838 and died July 20, 1883 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He is in the 1865 census at Laurens, Otsego Co. with Rufus and Mary Farrer. The census said 4 children, but listed only 2, so 2 may have died young. He owned 1/4 acre of land in that town, but the only land records are from 1874 to 1882. In 1869/70 he is listed in the Chenango Co. Directory as a sawyer in Mt. Upton.

Children of Lewis and Emeline (Farrer) Benjamin:

5361. Sullivan F. Benjamin bc. 1861.; m. --- Smith. He was located in the 1905 census of Guilford, Chenango Co., N.Y. as a painter. With him was Flora J. who seems to be his sister. It would seem that his wife had died. Also listed are in-laws, Charles Smith (age 68 b. Germany) and Catherine Smith (age 67 b. Ireland). He owned land in Guilford in 1885 and 1908/9 and then seems to have disappeared. In 1885 he bought land from Marg. Farrer of Guilford, his grandmother, obtained in consideration of her support during her life.

1. Charles S. Benjamin b. 1891.

5362. Flora J. Benjamin bc. 1863/4 at Laurens, N.Y.

Resources: Vol. 1 p. 67 Church and Town Rec. of Chenango Co., N.Y.; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y

3542. CYLON S. BENJAMIN[8] (Russell[7], Lathrop[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born in 1845/6 at Otsego Co., New York; the son of Russell and Abigail (---) Benjamin. He married Anna ---, who was born in 1850 in Chenango Co., New York.

He was listed in the 1855, 1860, and 1865 census of Hartwick, Otsego Co. He was then gone until 1875, when he was again listed as a shoemaker in Oneonta, Otsego Co., NY

Children of Cylon and Anna (---) Benjamin:

5363. Ernie Benjamin b. 1871 in Wisconsin.
5364. Charlie Benjamin b. 1874 in Chenango Co., N.Y.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y

3549. LEROY BENJAMIN[8] (Darius[7], Eben.[6-5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born about 1820; the possible son of Darius R. and Mercy (Henry) Benjamin. He married Sarah ---, who was born in 1822.

He is located in the 1850 census of Remsen, Oneida Co. New York and is listed as a lumberman, age 30, and born in N.Y.

Children of LeRoy and Sarah (---) Benjamin:
5365. Manly Benjamin bc. 1840.
5366. Stanly Benjamin bc. 1842.

Resource: Census Recourds.

3574. MARTIN EVERETT BENJAMIN[8] (Eleazer[7], Wm.[6], Abel[5], Obed[4], Jos. 3-2, John[1]) born August 11, 1823; a possible son of Eleazer and Philina (---) Benjamin; died December 25, 1873. He married Sarah Merrill Shepherd in 1840, the dau. of John and Betsey (Stain) Shepard. She was born March 4, 1820 and died in 1891.

Childrenof Martin and Sarah (Shephard) Benjamin:
5367. Mary L. Benjamin.
5368. George Washington Benjamin b. August 13, 1850; d. November 3/4, 1925 at Mt. Vernon, N.Y.; m. in 1882 Mary Matilda Bachtler, who was born April 13 1860 and died July 2, 1954.
    1. George Benjamin b. 1884, d. 1959; m. Jeannette Greenlee in 1921.
    2. Edwin Benjamin b. Jan. 1, 1890; m. July 30, 1919 Martha Leslie Dobbs. She died in 1922. He m/2 in 1925 Edith McKinley.
    3. Irving Benjamin b. 1896; m. 1920 Gladys Love Shirmer. She died in 1967.
5369. Caroline Benjamin.
5370. John Benjamin.
5371. Lucy Benjamin.

Resource: Records of Erwin Benjamin of Mt. Vernon, N.Y.

3587. JAMES E. BENJAMIN[8] (Henry[7], Ben.[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born in 1838 at Oneida Co., New York; the son of Henry and Esther (Cooley) Benjamin. He married Mary L. Comstock on February 22, 1966 at Paris, Oneida Co., New York. She died in 1887.

In 1885 James E. Benjamin of Rose, Wayne Co., N.Y. sold land to Amos P. Benjamin of Westmoreland, N.Y. and in 1905 Levi Benjamin of Ansville, Oneida Co., N.Y. sold land to James E. Benjamin of Rose, N.Y. He was a member

of the 111th Regt. in the Civil War. In 1893 he owned land at Seelye's Corners that had once been owned by Mr. Gould, in District #5.

Children of James and Mary (Comstock) Benjamin:
5372. Grant Benjamin.
5373. Grace Benjamin.

Resources: p. 8 and 36 Rose, Neighborhood Sketches, Roe, 1893; Records of Mrs. John Keller of Lilitz, Penn. and Mrs Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

3588. AMOS P. BENJAMIN[8] (Henry[7], Ben.[6], Eben.[5], Obed.[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born in 1841 at Westmoreland, Oneida Co., New York; the son of Henry and Esther (Cooley) Benjamin; died in Westmoreland, N.Y. He married Martha Benjamin, the adopted dau. of George R. and Anna (Smith) Benjamin. (See #3600.) Martha ran away with another man, leaving Amos with six children. Amos m/2 --- Crowshaw, who was the Widow Brown.

James E. of Rose, N.Y. sold land in 1885 (437:213) to Amos P. Benjamin of Westmoreland, N.Y. and in 1890 Lathrop Mason and wife (the dau. of Riley Benjamin) sold land to Amos Benjamin (477:120).

The names of his children are unknown.

Resources: Land records of Oneida Co.; Records of W. S. Brush of Copake Falls, N.Y.

3593. MANLEY F. BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Ben.[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born in 1837 at Rose, Wayne Co., New York; the son of William and Nancy (Shaver) Benjamin. He married M. Jennie Stewart of Clyde, N.Y., the dau. of William Stewart.

Manley served his parents well. When he was of age, his father placed him in charge of a business. After his father's death, he bought the entire estate and kept it until 1875, when he sold it. There were several exchanges of land between Manley and Major Snyder, his brother-in-law.

Children of Manley and M. Jennie (Stewart) Benjamin:
5374. Roscoe Benjamin; died at age of 8 years.
5375. Carisle Benjamin.

Resources: p. 26 Landmarks of Wayne Co., N.Y., Cowles; Rose, Neighborhood Sketches, Roe, 1893.

3596. WILLIAM BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Ben.[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born April 21, 1844 at Rose, Wayne Co., New York; the son of William and Nancy (Shaver) Benjamin; died in 1923 at Newark, New York. He married Mary A. Weeks. She was born March 17, 1842 and died in 1926.

They lived at Clyde, Wayne Co., New York.

Children of William and Mary (Weeks) Benjamin:
5376. Jennie Benjamin b. August 11, 1877, d. February 27, 1957 at Denver, Colo.; m. September 8, 1897 at Galen, Wayne Co., N.Y. to William James Niles.
5377. Eugene Benjamin; owned a farm north of Clyde, N.Y.

Resource: Weeks Family Bible courtsey of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

3617. MARY L./S. BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Elijah[6], Eben[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born August 31, 1854 at Red Rock, Columbia Co., New York; the dau. of William H. and Martha (Kingsley) Benjamin. She married Chester B. Goodrich on February 6, 1878. He was the son of Asher B. and Addie N. (Brown) Goodrich and was born February 28, 1856.
They lived at Bloomington, Illinois.

Children of Chester and Mary (Benjamin) Goodrich:
5378. Arthur Goodrich; m. Bertha Percy.
5379. Ethel Goodrich; m. Harry Shirley.

Resource: p. 264 Goodrich Fam. in Am., Case, 1889.

3618. FRANK W. BENJAMIN[8] Wm.[7], Elijah[6], Eben[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born January 30, 1858 at Bloomington, Illinois; the son of William H. and Martha (Kingsley) Benjamin. He married Nettie Greenlee.

Children of Frank and Nettie (Greenlee) Benjamin:
5380. Paul K. Benjamin; m. Verna Bailen.
1. Paul Benjamin Jr.; m. Lois Simons.

Resource: Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind. and chart made by Edith Benjamin.

3620. WILLIAM GREGG BENJAMIN[8] (Leonard[7], Elijah[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born July 4, 1848, probably in New York City; the son of Leonard and --- (McKean) Benjamin; died January 28, 1908 and is buried in the Pleasant Plain Cemetery at White Rock, Kansas. He married Sarah Ann Cochran of White Rock, Kansas on December 7, 1874 at Smith Co., Kansas. (vr). She was born January 28, 1850 in Colorado and died January 3, 1918.
He bought land in White Rock in August and September 1878. He had a 160 acre homestead in the same area.

Children of William and Sarah (Cochran) Benjamin:
5381. Milton S. Benjamin b. 1876; d. 1946; m. Feburary 14, 1898 to Florence L. Clark b. 1879, d. 1934. He m/2 June 15, 1938 Nina L. Timberlake.
5382. Lydia Benjamin; died before 1918; m. --- Erchman.
5383. William Leonard Benjamin b. 1884; m. December 1909 Irene Ann Troyer, b. 1889, d. 1965.
5384. Earl S. Benjamin b. October 31, 1888 at White Rock,

Kansas, d. Jan. 7, 1897 at White Rock.
5385. Frank Benjamin b. 1891; d. 1966 at Colorado Springs Colo.; m. Nettie Troyer.
5386. B. Floyd Benjamin b. Dec. 9, 1892; d. Dec. 20, 1896

Resource: Records of Mrs. R. A. Chauvin of S. Carver, Mass

3623. DARIUS G. BENJAMIN[8] (Edward[7], Darius[6], Eben[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born April 23, 1849 at Kinderhook, Columbia Co., New York; the son of Edward D. and Christiana (Gray) Benjamin. He married Frances Sharp on December 31, 1872.

Children of Darius and Frances (Sharp) Benjamin:
5387. Nellie Benjamin; m. Creswell A. Emery.
5388. Herbert Benjamin; m/1 Nellie Williams; m/2 Gladys Cushing.
5389. Blanche Benjamin; m. Fred Flesher.
5390. Reuben Benjamin.

Resources: Benjamin Fam. of Columbia Co., N.Y., R.M. Benjamin, 1911; Chart by Miss Edith Benjamin.

3626. WALTER R. BENJAMIN[8] (Edward[7], Darius[6], Eben[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born November 10, 1860 at Benjaminville, McLean Co., New York; the son of Edward D. and Christiana (Gray) Benjamin. He m/1 Hattie Sharp on March 17, 1885 and m/2 Nellie Wolf on October 1, 1895.

Children of Walter R. Benjamin:
5391. Edna Benjamin; m. Oscar Geise.
5392. Theodore Benjamin.
5393. Ida Benjamin; m. Glenn Burroughs.
5394. Dorothy Benjamin.
5395. George Benjamin; m. Mildred Harler.

Resource: Benjamin Fam. of Columbia Co., N.Y., R. M. Benjamin, 1911; Chart by Miss Edith Benjamin.

3627. IDA B. BENJAMIN[8] (Edward[7], Darius[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born July 13, 1863 at Benjaminville, McLean Co., Illinois; the dau. of Edward D. and Christiana (Gray) Benjamin. She married John F. Moore.

Children of John and Ida (Benjamin) Moore:
5396. Christie Moore.
5397. Barbara Moore; m. William Carlson.
5398. Genevieve Moore; m. Herman Ritter.

Resources: Benjamin Fam. of Columbia Co., N.Y., R. M. Benjamin; 1911; Chart by Miss Edith Benjamin.

3631. ANNA LAURA BENJAMIN[8] (DeWitt[7], Darius[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born December 1, 1858 at Hudson, Illinois; the dau. of DeWitt C. and Sarah (Swartz) Benjamin. She mar-

ried Scott Price.

Children of Scott and Anna (Benjamin) Price:
5399. Reuben Price; m. Cora Hustin and had 2 sons.
5400. Rollo B. Brice; m. Bess Maxwell.
5401. George Price.
5402. Orlo Price; m. Ethel Witherell.
5403. Sarah Price; m/1 Corby Underwood; m/2 George B. Monroe.

Resource: Benjamin Fam. of Columbia Co., N.Y., R. M. Benjamin, 1911; Chart by Miss Edith Benjamin.

3640. REUBEN B. BENJAMIN[8] (Timothy[7], Darius[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born May 20, 1869 at Fulton, Oswego Co., New York; the son of Timothy and Harriet (Bullis) Benjamin. He married Anna Knotts on July 16, 1896.

Children Reuben and Anna (Knotts) Benjamin:
5404. Edith Benjamin; m. John Browning and had a son, John Browning.
5405. Grace Benjamin.
5406. Helen Benjamin.
5407. Mabel Benjamin; m. George Martin.
5408. Allan Benjamin.

Resource: Benjamin Fam. of Columbia Co., N.Y., R. M. Benjamin, 1911; Chart by Miss Edith Benjamin.

3641. DEBORAH BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Darius[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born July 23, 1851 at Chester Co., Penn.; the dau. of John R. and Sarah (Beaver) Benjamin. She married Thomas J. Moore on December 30, 1875.

Children of Thomas and Deborah (Benjamin) Moore:
5409. Francis Guy Moore; m. Flora Warlow.
1. Frances Jane Moore.
2. Fredrick Guy Moore.

Resource: Benjamin Fam. of Columbia Co., N.Y., R. M. BEnjamin, 1911; Chart by Miss Edith Benjamin.

3642. TIMOTHY BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Darius[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born April 9, 1853 probably at Chester Co., Penn.; the son of John R. and Sarah (Beaver) Benjamin. He m/1 Anne Coale, the dau. of Joshua and Sarah (Gatchell) Coale. She was born May 10, 1854 at Wayne Co., Ind. and died Apr. 24, 1879 in McLean Co., Ill. The first m. took place on March 10, 1875. He m/2 Agnes McBarnes on November 17, 1883.

Children of Timothy Benjamin:
5410. Arthur L. Benjamin; m. Grace E. Price.
5411. Sadie Benjamin.
5412. John M. Benjamin; m. Mary Fitzhenry.

5413. Russell J. Benjamin; m. Anna B. Layden.

Resource: p. 454 Hist. and Gen. of Harlan Fam., Harlan, 1921; Benjamin Fam. of Columbia Co., N.Y., R. M. Benjamin, 1911; Chart by Miss Edith Benjamin in records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

3643. MARTHA E. BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Darius[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born August 8, 1854 at Benjaminville, McLean Co., Illinois; the dau. of John R. and Sarah (Beaver) Benjamin. She married Willis B. Mills.

Children of Willis and Martha (Benjamin) Mills:
5414. Ernest Mills; m. Lulu Koehler.
5415. Floyd Mills; m. Ruth Watson.
5416. Clifford P. Mills; m. Florence Parrett.
5417. James Mills.

Resource: Chart made by Miss Edith Benjamin courtsey of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

3644. GEORGE D. BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Darius[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born August 1, 1865 at Benjaminville, McLean Co., Illinois; the son of John R. and Sarah (Beaver) Benjamin. He married Dora E. Wampler on December 18/20, 1883. She was born March21, 1865 at McLean Co., Illinois.

Children of George and Dora (Wampler) Benjamin:
5418. Harry J. Benjamin b. January 1890 at Holder, Ill.; m. Bessie Cornelison.
5419. Delmar Benjamin b. February 22, 1891 at Holder, Ill m. Mabel Mathers.
5420. Raymond P. Benjamin b. October 11, 1896 at Holder, Illinois; m. Catherine Lausterer.

Resources: Chart made by Miss Edith Benjamin courtsey of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.; p. 322 Talbot Fam. of W. River, Maryland.

3649. EGBERT S. BENJAMIN[8] (Daniel[7], Martin[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born about 1849 at Brunswick, Medina Co., Ohio; the son of Daniel L. and Eliza (Hulbert) Benjamin; died August 17, 1887, age 38-1-16, at Brunswick and is buried in the Bennett;s Corner Cemetery. He married Addie M. Bennett, who was born August 1, 1855 and died August 2, 1918 and is buried with her husband.

Children of Egbert and Addie (Bennett) Benjamin:
5421. There are infant children with no names buried with their parents.
5422. Clare Benjamin; m. A. Waite. They had: Edith; Earl; Allie; and Harold Waite.
5423. Anna Benjamin; m. John Fitts and had son Ralph Fitts.

5424. Alda (Allie) C. Benjamin b. 1875; d. August 5, 1898; buried in same cemetery as parents; m. John Johns.
5425. Glenn Benjamin; m. Bertha Johnson.
1. Eleanor Benjamin.
2. Ruth Benjamin.
3. Roger Benjamin; m. Mary Jane Vosburgh.
5426. Hazel Benjamin; m. Allison Clement.

Resources; Records of Earl Benjamin of Toledo, Ohio.

3651. EDGAR A. BENJAMIN[8] (Daniel[7], Martin[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born in 1856 at Brunswick, Medina Co., Ohio; the son of Daniel L. and Eliza (Hulbert) Benjamin; died in 1939 at Brunswick, Medina Co., Ohio and is buried in the Brunswick Cemetery. He married Mary P. Chidsey, who was born in 1858 and died in 1930 (gs) and is buried in the same cemetery.

Children of Edgar and Mary (Chidsey) Benjamin:
5427. Clayton H. Benjamin; m. Jessie Hodnott.
5428. Clifford Lovejoy Benjamin b. 1881; d. 1962 (gs) and is buried in the same cemetery as his parents; m. Clara A. Geckler b. 1880, d. 1961 (gs).
1. Elmer Benjamin; m. Theora Lytle.
5428. Archie Benjamin; m. Gertrude Waite.

Resource: Reoords of Earl Benjamin of Toledo, Ohio.

3652. IRVING BENJAMIN[8] (Daniel[7], Martin[6], Eben.[5], Obed[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born in 1859 at Brunswick, Medina Co., Ohio; the son of Daniel and Eliza (Hulbert) Benjamin; died in 1923 at Brunswick Township, Medina Co., Ohio and is buried in Bennett's Corners Cemetery. He married Anna --- who was born in 1862 and died in 1941 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Children of Irving and Anna (---) Benjamin:
5429. Earl Hulbert Benjamin b. 1887 at Brunswick, Ohio; m. Ruth Brainard.
1. Leslie Ralph Benjamin; m. Thelma Sexton.
2. Evelyn May Benjamin; unm.
3. Warren Earl Benjamin; m. Phylis Ligon.
5430. Lela Fay Benjamin; m. Howard Luke and had: Rowland; Earl; and Marion Luke.
5431. Alice Fern Benjamin.

Resources: Records of Earl H. Benjamin (above) of Toledo, Ohio.

3653. ORIN BENJAMIN[8] (Zener[7], Phineas[6-5], Jedediah[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born about 1810 in New York; the son of Zener and Ruby (---) Benjamin. He married Celesha ---, who was born either in 1816 or 1811 in Conn.

They are located in the 1840 and 1850 census records of Aurora Twp., Portage Co., Ohio.

Children of Orin and Celesha (---) Benjamin:

5432. Cecelia Benjamin bc. 1831 in Ohio; d. Sept. 28, 1860; age 28 yrs.

5433. Julius A. Benjamin bc. 1840 in Ohio; d. Jan. 22, 1864, age 23 yrs. 10 mos. He had a poem "Dear Husband" engraved on his grave stone, so apparent ly he was married.

5434. Eliza Benjamin bc. 1846 in Ohio; d. June 4, 1864, age 17 yrs. 9 mos.

Resources: Census records; p. 278 Vol. 7 Old Northwest Gen Quarterly--Gravestones in Old Southeast Bury. Ground at Bainbridge, Geauga Co., Ohio.

3663. PHILITUS LOTTIS BENJAMIN[8] (Bela[7], Simeon[6-5], Jed.[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born in 1849/50 at Dutchess Co., New York; the adopted son of Bela E. and Harriet (---) Benjamin. He married Ida F. Ellsworth. She was born in 1861.

When his children married, they indicated they had been from Dutchess, Broome, and Tioga Counties originally. In 1892 and 1905 he was living in Candor, Tioga Co., N.Y.

Children of Philitus and Ida (Ellsworth) Benjamin:

5435. Fannie Benjamin bc. 1878.

5436. George Erwin Benjamin b. 1880; m. 1901 Bertha Louella Hover, b. 1873.

5437. Lottie Benjamin b. 1882.

5438. Grace Benjamin b. 1884.

5439. Clara Benjamin b. 1887.

5440. Josephine Eliza Benjamin b. 1889; m. 1907 Norman Taylor Galgin.

5441. Walter Harrison Benjamin b. 1891; m. 1914 Anna Belle Eck.

5442. Marshall L. Benjamin b. 1894; m. 1916 Celia M. Coleman.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

3675. JOHN RENSSALAER BENJAMIN[8] (Jabez[7], Elam[6], Abial[5-4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born February 23, 1839 at Lisbon, Conn. (vr 1-47); the son of Jabez L. and Mary (Giddings) Benjamin; died September 5, 1899 at Lisbon, Conn. (vr). He married Sarah Jane Bailey on January 14, 1864 at Norwich, Conn. She was born March 12, 1841 at Goshen, Conn. and died February 21, 1924 at Winstead, Conn.

Children of John and Sarah (Bailey) Benjamin:

5443. Arthur Putnam Benjamin b. December 1, 1864; d. 1955

5444. Roscoe Benjamin b. September 8, 1874 at Winstead, Conn.; d. September 1, 1946 at Winstead; m. Louise Eastman Lee.

1. Janet Lee Benjamin; m. Leslie Emerson Steele.

5445. Alice Maud Benjamin b. January 31, 1874; d. 1947.

Resource: Recourds of Mrs. Leslie Steele of W. Hartford, Conn.

3676. GILBERT LYMAN BENJAMIN[8] (Jabez[7], Elam[6], Abial[5-4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born March 3, 1842 at Lisbon, Conn.; the son of Jabez L. and Mary (Giddings) Benjamin. He married Clara Louise Lyons on June 30, 1868 at Uniondale, Penn.

He lived in Buffalo, N.Y. and Fon du Lac, Wis. He was a book publisher and salesman.

Children of Gilbert L. and Clara (Lyons) Benjamin:

5446. Walter Lyon Benjamin b. 1871; d. Oct. 14, 1897; m. 1891 to unknown wife, who survived him.
1. Ernest Benjamin bc. 1892.
2. Vivian Benjamin bc. 1893; m. --- Wilcox.
3. Carl Benjamin bc. 1895.
4. child bc. 1899.

5447. Gilbert Giddings Benjamin b. December 6, 1878 at Fon du Lac, Wis.; profesor of History; m. Oct. 16, 1912 to Laura Goundrey.
1. Gilbert Giddings Benjamin Jr.
2. Mary Benjamin.

5448. Robert Earle Benjamin b. 1878.

5449. Clara Louisa Benjamin b. 1879, d. 1923; was married but had no issue.

5450. Mary E./Ann Benjamin b. 1882; m. Charles Mills DeForest.
1. Walter DeForest.
2. Jeanne DeForest.

5451. Paul Lyman Benjamin b. Feb. 4, 1886 at Fon du Lac; m. June 24, 1914 to Grace Seaman; he was a social worker.
1. Dr. Craigh Benjamin of Buffalo, N.Y.
2. another son.

5452. James DeWitt Benjamin b. December 29, 1887 at Fon du Lac, Wis. (vr 4-137); m. but had no issue.

Resources: Wilson Papers, which included a letter from Clinton J. Benjamin of Waterbury, Conn. who had written to G. L. Benjamin; Who's Who in Am. Vol. 15 1928-9; p. 190 Gittings Fam., Gittings, 1882.

3680. JAMES ELAM BENJAMIN[8] (Henry[7], Elam[6], Abial[5-4], Jos.[3-2], John[1] born September 29, 1839 at Preston, Conn. (vr 4-18); the son of Henry B. and Sarah (Spicer) Benjamin; died June 13, 1866 at Preston, Conn. (cr 1-342) and is buried in the Norwich Cemetery, lot #12-730, in his father's lot. Apparently he was married, but his wife's name is unknown.

Children of James E. Benjamin:

5453. James H. Benjamin bc. 1870; d. November 22, 1917, age 42 or 47 and is buried in the same lot with his father.

Resources: Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records and Conn. Church Records.

3735. ERNEST V. BENJAMIN[8] (Vincent[7], Arch.[6], Jesse[5], Abial[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born December 9, 1861 at New Lisbon, Juneau Co., Wisconsin; the son of Vincent L. and Eva (Smith) Benjamin; died January 1, 1919 at Cumberland, Wisconsin. He married Ida Muller/Miller on February 10, 1886, the dau. of John F. and Catherine (Huser) Muller. She was born January 30, 1866 at Carver City, Minnesota.

He was a Methodist, a banker, and owned a telephone company.

Children of Ernest and Ida (Muller) Benjamin:

5454. Eva Benjamin b. November 23, 1886; d. Apr. 25, 1912

5455. Lewis West Benjamin b. Sept. 3, 1888 at Mauston, Wis.; d. June 13, 1935 at Cumberland, Barron Co., Wis.; m. Dec. 26, 1912 Margaret Algeo, dau. of Frank and Ellen (Burns) Algeo. She was b. Oct. 24, 1888 and d. Sept. 8, 1918.
   1. John F. Benjamin b. March 26, 1914.
   2. Helen M. Benjamin b. Apr. 13, 1916.

   He m/2 Mary Magdalene Malinoosky on Sept. 12, 1924 and upon his death she m/2 in 1938 Nathan Coggleshell.

5456. Lila B. Benjamin b. August 1, 1890.

5457. Fredrick John Benjamin b. Aug. 3, 1892, d. March 1, 1911.

5458. John Benjamin.

Resources: p. 313 Hist. of Barron Co., Wis.; Family Group Sheet from the Library of the Latter Day Saints in Salt Lake, Utah.

3740. PARK BENJAMIN[8] (Park[7-6], David[5], John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born May 11, 1849 at New York City, New York; the son of Park and Mary (Western) Benjamin; died August 21, 1922 at Stamford, Conn. He married Helen Campbell on March 30, 1875. She was the dau. of John C. Campbell of New York and she died July 22, 1877 at Schnectady, New York. There was no issue of this marriage. He m/2 Isabel Torrans, who died about 1884. He m/3 in 1888 Ida Crane.

He graduated from the Naval Academy, made several cruises, and then resigned. He attended Albany Law School and was admitted to the bar in 1870. He was a well known patent lawyer and writer on scientific subjects. He was the editor of Appleton's Cycopedia of Applied Mechanics for 1881 to 1892 and the associate editor of Scientific American from 1872 to 1878.

Children of Park and Isabel (Torrans) Benjamin:
5459. Gladys Benjamin; m. 1910 to Fred W. Goddard.
5460. Margery Benjamin; m. John Clarke.
5461. Park Benjamin; m. Katherine W. Dorenns.

Children of Park and Ida (Crane) Benjamin:
5462. Romeyn P. Benjamin b. 1893; d. 1939.
5463. daughter.
5464. Dorothy Benjamin b 1893; d. Dec. 16, 1956; m. 1819 Enrico Caruso, the famous singer. He died August 2, 1921, age 28, at Napels, Italy. They had a child Gloria Caruso. Dorothy m/2 Captain Ernest Ingram and had a child: Jacqueline Ingram. She m/3 Dr. Charles H. Holder. She was the author of "Enrico Caruso, His Life and Death" and "Dorothy Caruso, A Personal History".

3742. DR. GEORGE HILLARD BENJAMIN[8] (Park[7-6], David[5], John[4], Jos.[3-2] John[1]) born December 25, 1852 at New York City, New York; the son of Park and Mary (Western) Benjamin; died November 10, 1927 at New York City. He m/1 Jane Miller/Millen Seymour on April 29, 1875 at Ogdensburg, New York, the dau. of George B. and Frances (Ford) Seymour. She was born November 21, 1849 and died October 24/26, 1897 at New York City. He m/2 Mrs. Grace H. (Tremaine) Smith of Buffalo, New York, the dau. of Dr. William Tremaine.

He graduated from Union College in 1872 and from the Albany Medical College in 1874. He completed his education in France and Germany and received his Ph.D. from the University of Freiberg in 1882. He practiced medicine 9 years in Albany, N.Y. He was admitted to the bar in 1884 and was a well known lawyer and patent attorney.

Children of George and Jane (Seymour) Benjamin:
5465. Frances Ford Benjamin b. May 5, 1876 at Albany, New York; m/1 April 21, 1897 Carl F. Page of Boston, and had 2 children; later divorced; m/2 Edgar C. Lackland.
5466. Mary Page Benjamin b. December 1, 1878; m. November 1, 1900 Henry Huddleston Rogers Jr; had 2 children.
5467. Rosalie deVillers Benjamin b. July 18, 1885.

Resources: p. 443 Seymour Fam., Seymour; p. 212 Hist. of Albany Co., N.Y., Howell, 1886; Am. Gen. Biog. Index.

3743. WALTER ROMEYN BENJAMIN[8] (Park[7-6], David[5], John[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born September 24, 1854 at Guildford, Conn.; the son of Park and Mary (Western) Benjamin; died September 28 1843, age 89 yrs., at New York City, New York. He m/1 Caroline Atkey/Attey Reid/Reed on October 20, 1885, a cousin. She was the dau. of Thomas and Mary Ann (Webb) Reid and was born August 25, 1861 at Guildford, Conn. and

died June 21, 1898 at New York City. He m/2 Rache Maria Caroline Toussant de Saint Seigne on November 1, 1899. She was the dau. of Lt. General, the Baron O'Hariano de Saint and was born January 14, 1875 at Florence, Italy.

He graduated from Union College in 1874; was the editor of a newspaper at Perth Amboy; and then spent 11 years on the "New York Sun". He then joined his brother, Will, in a rare book shop. In Nov. 1887 he left his brother to start his own autograph business and became one of the best known dealers in rare manuscripts and autographs. He was the publisher of the "Collector".

(Note: His first wife's Benjamin line was: Thomas Reed [8], m. 1860 Mary Ann Webb; Catherine Clarke[7], m. Sampson Reed; Lydia Sanderson[6], m. John Clarke; Lydia Hagar[5], m. John Sanderson; Joseph Hagar[4], m. Grace Bigelow; Sarah Benjamin[3], m. William Hagar; John Benjamin[2], John[1])

Children of Walter and Caroline (Reed) Benjamin:

5468. Walter Reed Benjamin b. August 8, 1886 at New York City; d. 1904.

Children of Walter and Carolina (de Saint Seigne) Benjamin

5469. Park Benjamin b. 1900.
5470. O'Hara Benjamin b. 1901; m. E. B. Smith.
5471. Celia Benjamin b. 1903; m. Edward C. Delafield.
5472. Maria Victoria Suzzane Benjamin b. 1905; did some writing; m. Harold G. Henderson.
5473. Yolanda Romeyne Benjamin b. 1914; m. Theodore E. Jaeckel.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Ruth Beck of Ft. Lauderdale, Florida; Wilson Papers; American Ancestry Vol. 5 p. 227.

3746. WILLIAM EVARTS BENJAMIN[8] (Park[7-6], David[5], John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born February 19, 1859 at New York City; New York; the son of Park and Mary (Western) Benjamin; died February 24, 1940 at New York City and is buried in the Sleepy Hollow Cemetery at North Tarrytown, New York. He married Anne Engle Rogers on November 17, 1886 at Fairhaven, Mass. the dau. of Henry Huddleston Rogers. She died in 1924.

Henry H. Rogers had accumulated a very larg fortune through his activities in the original Standard Oil Co. and as a builder of railroads. Upon his wife's death, William inherited about 14 million dollars. His investments were in a holding company known as "Taykair Corp."

Henry was educated at Union College in Schenectady, N.Y. He was in the employ of Dodd, Mead, and Co. until 1887, when he entered the rare book and autograph business with his brother Walter. He later became a publisher. He collected rare books and objects d'art. He endowed a chair of American History at the Library of Congress in 1927 for $75,000. He was director of the Virginia Railway Co. He maintained homes in Greenwich, Conn.; New York City; and in Westchester Co., New York.

Children of William and Anna (Rogers) Benjamin;

5474. Beatrice Mai Benjamin b. January 5, 1889; m/1 Alexander Dallas Bache Pratt Jr.; m/2 Preston Gibson; m/3 Charles A. Cartwright; m/4 Fredrick J. McEvoy.
   1. C. Ann Pratt b. 1910.
   2. Dallas B. Bratt b. 1914.

5475. Henry Rogers Benjamin b. September 4, 1892; d. Nov. 27, 1933; m/1 April 28, 1919 Dorothy Sinclair Rennard; m/2 Virginia K. (Gould) Poole b. June 9, 1904 at Front Royal, Virginia.
   1. H. R. Benjamin b. 1920.
   2. Anne Rogers Benjamin b. 1921.
   3. William Evarts Benjamin b. 1924.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Records in the Butler Library; Trial Records in Surr. Court May 15, 1841, p. 948.

3756. ELIJAH L. BENJAMIN[8] (Seabury[7], Elijah[6], David[5], John[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born March 18, 1824 at Preston, Conn. (vr 3-26); the son of Seabury N. and Lucy (Standish) Benjamin; died February 16, 1893 (gs) age 68, and is buried in the Norwich, Conn. Cemetery, lot #4-473. He married Desiah/Dezier Hancock of Preston, Conn. in 1846. She was the dau of Isaac and Ann (Hempstead) Hancock and was born March 8, 1828/9 and died February 12, 1872 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Elijah L. learned the trade of carpenter and accepted a position in the repair shops of the Norwich and Worcester Railroad and continued to labor there 39 years. He was a fine workman and built all the cabs for the engines. He possessed a good nature, was honest and in very way a good citizen. He was survived by his wife, three sons, and two daus. (from his obit.)

Children of Elijah and Desiah (Hancock) Benjamin:

5476. Francena Benjamin b. July 1, 1849 at Preston, Conn. (vr 5-7).

5477. dau. who m. E. L. Dewey; resided in Mexico in 1893.

5478. Robert Phelps Benjamin; m. Harriet Isabel Scofield; was a fireman on the Norwich and Worcester Rail-Road; had a dau. Vera Ione Benjamin b. at Preston on Aug. 25, 1886, m. at Mystic, Conn. Mar. 2, 1912 to William Evarts Beaman, b. Jan. 25, 1881 in New York.

5488. son who resided in Willimantic.

Resources: p. 299 Gen. of William Chesebrough, Widdey, 1903; Hale's Collection of Conn. Church and Cemetery Records; Death notice courtsey of Mrs. Jovino of Hartford, Conn.

3759. LEVI STANDISH BENJAMIN[8] (Seabury[7], Elijah[6], David[5], John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born July 2, 1830 at Preston, Conn.

(vr 3-26); the son of Seabury N. and Lucy (Standish) Benjamin; died April 4, 1898 (gs) at Preston, Conn. and is buried in the Preston Cemetery, lot #1-15. He married Ann Webb Hinckley on December 12, 1856. She was born in Dec. 21, 1834 at Norwich, Conn. and died October 27, 1898 and is buried with her husband. She was the dau. of Russell Hiram and Sophia (Fitch) Hinckley.

He was a farmer at Preston, Conn.

Children of Levi and Ann (Hinckley) Benjamin:

5489. George Benjamin b. August 30, 1857 at Preston; d. February 9, 1911; m. Emma M. Page.

5490. Edwin F. Benjamin b. 1859; d. 1920 (gs) and buried in the same lot as his parents; m. Annie B. Yerrington, who was born in 1862 and d. in 1917. (gs) and she is buried in the Preston Cemetery, lot #1-16.
   1. Vernon Benjamin b. 1904, d. 1915 and buried with his mother.
   2. Clarence Benjamin.
   3. Elizabeth McCracken Benjamin (perhaps McCrack en is her married name.)
   4. Daisy Benjamin.
   5. Allen Benjamin.

5491. Irving Henry Benjamin b. Nov. 3, 1869; d. Dec. 24, 1942 (gs) at Norwichtown; m. Dec. 3, 1892 to Lina Marx, dau. of Christian Friederich Marx.
   1. Anna Amelia Benjamin b. June 26, 1894; at Nor wich, Conn.; m. Howard Eugene Beetham.
   2. Ruth Emmaline Benjamin b. Sept. 29, 1898; m. Stanley G. Pelow.
   3. Philena Sophia Benjamin b. Mar. 2, 1896; m. Edward Stott.
   4. Thayer Marx Benjamin b. May 5, 1902; m. 1922 Dorcas Pauline Stubenrauch.
   5. Raymond Irving Benjamin b. Dec. 11, 1906; m. Evelyn May Corey.
   6. Dorothea Lydia Benjamin b. Apr. 26, 1910; m. Harold Allen Garceau.

Resources: p. 753 Hist. of New London, Conn., 1905; Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records; p. 376 Sherman Gen.

3762. JACOB DWIGHT BENJAMIN[8] (Seabury[7], Elijah[6], David[5], John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born July 2/3/12, 1836/38 at Preston, Conn.; the son of Seabury N. and Lucy (Standish) Benjamin; died October 20, 1906 at Preston, Conn. (gs) and is buried in the Preston Cemetery, lot #1-19. He married Harriet Emaline Main on February 7, 1859 at Preston, Conn. She was the dau. of Nathaniel N. and Mary A. (Frink) Maine and was born September 14, 1841/4 at North Stonington, Conn. and died September 16, 1922 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

As a lad of 18, he lost all of his fingers on the right hand in a threshing machine accident, but he did not let this handicap him. He began farming on the old homestead, where he remained until his marriage. In 1867 he purchased the Deacon Gates farm in Preston, which contained 100 acres. After 27 years, he purchased the Deacon Gustavus Andrews farm of 60 acres in Preston, and moved there, but ran both farms. He was a Democrat and a Baptist.

Children of Jacob and Harriet (Main) Benjamin:

5492. Charles Henry Benjamin b. November 26, 1859 at Preston, Conn.; d. March 4, 1932 and buried in the same lot as his father; m. Georgia Belle Park of Lebanon, Conn.
   1. Clara Belle Benjamin b. Dec. 5, 1884; m. Aug. 15, 1903 George Ansel Pendleton.
   2. Hattie Allice Benjamin b. Oct. 30, 1887.
   3. Herbert Henry Benjamin b. Sept. 23, 1890.
   4. Ethel Meribah Benjamin b. July 14, 1899.
   5. Edith Marian Benjamin, a twin, b. July 14, 1899; m. Fredrich Wilcox; res. Wallingford.

5493. Mary Esther Benjamin b. March 4, 1865; d. November 20, 1886; m. March 4, 1886 to Belfield O. Davis.

5494. Everett Dwight Benjamin b. October 23, 1879; d. Mar 12, 1933 at Preston, Conn.; buried in the Preston Cemetery, lot #1-17; m/1 Nov. 6, 1896 Bessie Brooks of New York; m/2 March 11, 1913 Minnie Swan.
   1. Fred White Benjamin b. July 20, 1899.
   2. Jerrerd Dwight Benjamin b. Jan. 26, 1914.
   3. Morgan Everett Benjamin.
   4. Russell Swan Benjamin.
   5. Carolyn Benjamin.
   6. Richard Lawrence Benjamin.
   7. Jennie Clift Benjamin.
   8. Hester Evelyn Benjamin.
   9. Winthrop Calivin Benjamin.

5495. Nettie Belle Benjamin b. June 17, 1882 at Preston; m. August 1, 1903 to Amasa Morgan Main, son of Isaac Main of N. Stonington, Conn. They resided in Preston.

Resources: P. 189 Babcock-Main Gen., Brown, 1910; p. 753 Hist. of New London, Conn.; Records of Jerrerd Benjamin of Portland, Maine.

3773. WILLIAM RUSSELL BENJAMIN[8] (Russell[7], Elijah[6], David[5], John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born in 1831/2 at Springfield, Otsego Co., New York; the son of Russell and Sally (Cooke) Benjamin; died October 11, 1904 at Otsego Co., New York. He married Helen Bingham, who was born in 1832 in Green Co., New York.

His death record said that his father was also named William Russell Benjamin. His will is on file at Cooperstown, N.Y. Probate Records in Book 56 p. 119. It gives dower rights to his wife, Helen; and one third to each of three children. Jonathan R. Neff is executor and A. Clark Rocknell and J. Earl George of Garretsville witnessed it.

Children of William R. and Helen (Bingham) Benjamin:

5496. Clark A. Benjamin b. 1859 in Otsego Co., N.Y.; d. 1913; m/1 Mertyle Leonard in 1901 at Oneonta. He m/2 Dora J. (---) White, who d. in 1909. He had one son: Leonard Benjamin.

5497. Chester E. Benjamin b. 1865; d. 1918; m/1 May ---, who died in 1902; m/2 Eva Markle. He was a carpenter and bought land in 1898 and 1902 in New Berlin, Chenango Co., N.Y. He also lived in Garrettsville, Otsego Co. N.Y. He had a son: Walter Benjamin b. 1902. On the assesstment rolls he is sometimes called Clarence Benjamin, and sometimes Chester.

5498. Mary Benjamin; m. --- Shore.

Resources: Probate Records; Census records; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

3776. PARK COOKE BENJAMIN[8] (Russell[7], Elijah[6], David[5], John[4], Jos. 3-2, John[1]) born in 1840/1 at Burlington Flats, Otsego Co. New York; the son of Russell and Sarah (Cooke) Benjamin; died September 1913 and is buried in the Burlington Flats Cemetery. He m/1 Sarah J. Town, who was born in 1839 and died in 1877. He m/2 Carrie J. Firman in 1879. She was born in 1859 and died in 1902. Both wives are buried with him.

Children of Park C. and Sarah (Town) Benjamin:

5499. Claude Benjamin.

5500. Dora Benjamin.

5501. Camilla Benjamin; died in 1950.

Children of Park C. and Carrie (Firman) Benjamin:

5502. Lena M. Benjamin; died as an infant.

5503. MinnieMay Benjamin b. 1884; d. 1885.

5504. Mildred Benjamin b. 1895; d. 1913; unm.

5505. Lynn Benjamin b. 1882.

5506. Charles DeMur (goes by the name Murray) Benjamin b. 1887.

5507. Cleon Benjamin b. 1885; resided in Morris, N.Y.

5508. Percy Benjamin.

Resources: p. 123 Vol. 6 Burlington Flats, N.Y. Cem. Inscriptions from the New England Register; Records of Murray Benjamin; The Lyon's Whelps, Miner.

3778. NATHAN H./U. BENJAMIN[8] (Nathan[7], Elijah[6], David[5], John[4], Jos.

3-2, John[1]) born January 19, 1834 at Preston, Conn.; (vr 2-145); the son of Nathan and Hannah (Cooke) Benjamin; died in 1909 (gs) and is buried in the Union Cemetery at North Stonington, Conn., lot #72-77. He married Frances E. Miner on August 27, 1862 at N. Stonington (cr 3-127). She was the dau. of Zebulon Brown and Huldah (Maine) Miner and was born April 5, 1840 and died in 1908 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Nathan was a teacher and in the grocery business in Stonington.

Children of Nathan and Frances (Miner) Benjamin:

5509. Nellie F. Benjamin b. 1863; d. Feb. 10, 1887 (gs); buried with her parents.

5510. Annie S. Benjamin b. 1874; d. 1900 (gs); and buried with her parents.

5511. Frank A. Benjamin b. 1876; d. Sept. 22, 1920 (gs); buried in same cemetery lot as parents.

5512. Lizzie Amber Benjamin b. Feb. 5, 1877; m. William Leeds Main, the son of Leeds and Sarah (Holdridge) Main, b. March 6, 1869.

5513. William N./M. Benjamin b. at Preston, Conn.; bapt. as an adult on May 11, 1890 at the Second Bapt. Church of Richmond, R.I.; m. Mary Ann Shaw of Middleton, England; the dau. of John and Priscilla (Sutcliffe) Shaw. They were m. at Greenwich, R.I.

5514. Mary Abbie Benjamin b. at Preston, Conn.; bapt. as an adult Feb. 22, 1891 at the Second Bapt. Church of Richmond, R.I.; m. March 3, 1895 at E. Greenwich, R.I. to Arthur Weldon Savage, the son of Asbury C. and Abbie L. (Crane) Savage. He was b. at Rockland, Maine.

Resources: p. 254 Babcock-Main Gen., Brown, 1910; Vital Records of Rhode Island, Arnold, 1891; Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records.

3779. DANIEL W. BENJAMIN[8] (Nathan[7], Elijah[6], David[5], John[4], Joseph 3-2, John[1]) born December 2, 1837/8 at Preston, Conn. (vr 3-145); the son of Nathan and Hannah (Cooke) Benjamin; died in 1899 (gs) and is buried in the Norwich, Conn. Cemetery, lot #4-373. He married Caroline/Cornelia H. Sholes on March 17, 1863 at Norwich, Conn. She was born in 1841 and died in 1922 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Children of Daniel and Caroline (Sholes) Benjamin:

5515. Daniel Webster Benjamin b. 1865; d. 1900 (gs); buried in the same lot as his father; m. Nellie Louise Demming on September 18, 1889. She was the dau. of Julius and Esther (Hall) Demming and was born July 2, 1867. There is a Carrie E. Benjamin b. 1896, d. 1904 that might be their child. She is bur. in Norwich Cem., lot #4-374.

5516. Carrie M. Benjamin b. March 11, 1868; d. March 4, 1888 (gs); buried in same lot as her parents.

Resources: p. 405 Deming Fam., Judson Deming, 1904; Hale's Collection of Con. Cemetery Records; Hale's Collection of Marriages recorded in Conn. Newspapers.

3793. EDWARD BENJAMIN[8] (David[7], Elijah[6], David[5], John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born December 19, 1839 at Scotland, Windham Co., Conn.; the son of David and Cornelia (Smith) Benjamin. He married Hannah Wade of Brooklyn, New York on April 27, 1865. She was the dau. of George and Hannah (Russia) Wade.

He was a Republican, a Presbyterian, and in 1865 was a manufacturer of bone wire, used in hoop skirts in Newark, New Jersey.

Children of Edward and Hannah (Wade) Benjamin:

5517. Edward Wade Benjamin b. January 13, 1867 at Brooklyn, N.Y.; d. December 19, 1903 at Roseville, New Jersey; m. October 10, 1894 Virginia Gregory. He was a lawyer in Newark, N.J.
   1. Virginia H. Benjamin b. Feb. 16, 1896.
   2. John Wade Benjamin b. Oct. 12, 1897.
   3. Edward G. Benjamin b. Jan. 14, 1899.
   4. Harold Benjamin b. July 27, 1900.
   5. Dorothy Benjamin b. Oct. 26, 1903.

5518. George Newton Benjamin b. May 10, 1868; d. as an infant.

5519. Frank Benjamin b. March 19, 1870 at Brooklyn, New York; m. April 5, 1904 Matilda Heaton Jube. He was a lawyer in Newark and Orange, N.J.

Resources: Wilson Papers; p. 163 Hist. of the State of New Jersey, Lee.

3794. ALFRED H. BENJAMIN[8] (David[7], Elijah[6], David[5], John[4], Jos.[3-2] John[1]) born April 25, 1843 at Scotland, Conn.; the son of David and Cornelia (Smith) Benjamin; died July 9, 1909 at Newton, New Jersey. He m/1 Eleanor Savery Hanson of Bristol, Conn. on May 29, 1867. She was the dau. of Rev. John Holliway and Caroline Annie (Rich) Hanson and was born in 1847 and die March 11, 1885. He m/2 Mary Anne Record/Ricord on Newark, N.J. on January 29, 1891. She was the dau. of Mayor Frederick W. Record. There was no issue of this second marriage. They are all buried in the Newton, N.J. Cemetery.

He was in the Navy during the Civil War, aboard the U.S. Steamer "Hetzel". This was the flagship of Commodore Davenport and covered the sounds and rivers of South Carolina. He entered the Quartermaster's Dept. of the Cumberland in the fall of 1863 and was at the battle of Nashville between Thomas and Hood.

Children of Alfred and Eleanor (Hanson) Benjamin:

5520. Alfred Hanson Benjamin b. August 27, 1870; m. October 25, 1897 to Ina Louise Handy of Orange, N.J. He was a merchant in New York.
1. Louise Benjamin.
2. Louis Benjamin.
3. Handy Benjamin.

5521. Annie Rich Benjamin b. July 19, 1872; m. April 8, 1896 Edward Nichols of Newark, N.J. They had a dau.: Mary J. B. Nichols.

5522. Eleanor Savery Benjamin b. June 15, 1874; d. 1914; buried in Newton, N.J. Cem.; m. October 4, 1906 Daniel Dodd Crane.

5523. Katherine Cornelia Benjamin b. Feb. 16, 1876; d. Aug. 2, 1877; buried with parents.

5524. Robinson Goldsmith Benjamin b. March 18, 1890; d. June 12, 1892; buried with parents.

5525. Webster Benjamin b. February 12, 1885.

5526. Cornelia Benjamin, a twin, b. Feb. 12, 1885.

Resources: p. 164 Hist. of State of New Jersey, Lee; Wilson Papers.

3795. MARTHA MEHITABLE BENJAMIN[8] (David[7], Elijah[6], David[5], John[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born September 19, 1845 in New Jersey; the dau. of David and Cornelia (Smith) Benjamin. She married Abraham Ryerson of Lincoln Park, New Jersey on September 2, 1868. He was the son of Judge George A. and Christina (Debow) Ryerson and was born January 4, 1842. He m/2 Melinda Jane VanNess.

He was a citizen of Morristown, N.J.; served in the Civil War; and was a sheriff.

Children of Abraham and Martha (Benjamin) Ryerson:

5527. Alice Ryerson b. Sept. 18, 1870; m. Oct. 1896 Ira Mitchell.

5528. Cora Ryerson b. June 13, 1873; died young.

5529. Clarabelle Ryerson b. Nov. 15, 1874; m. May 1898 Warren Parker, but had no issue.

5530. Alfred Bird Ryerson b. Oct. 25, 1879.

5531. Nellie Ryerson b. Jan.20, 1884.

5532. Christina Ryerson b. arch 22, 1886.

5533. Helen Ryerson b. October 6, 1887.

Resources: p. 232 Ryerson Gen., Albert W. Ryerson, 1916.

3796. THOMAS WILLIAM BENJAMIN[8] (David[7], Elijah[6], David[5], John[4], Jos 3-2, John[1]) born February 28, 1848 at the family homestead in Morris Co., New Jersey;the son of David and Cornelia (Smith) Benjamin; died December 24, 1922 and is buried in the Pompton Plains Cemetery. He married Leah Ann Jacobus on November 24, 1872. She was the dau. of Garret B. Jacobus of Towaco, Morris Co., N.Y. and was born August 7, 1851 and is buried with her husband.

He inherited the homestead and lived in it for about 20 years. He then sold it and moved to Pompton Plains, New Jersey. In addition to assisting his father in contract work, he was engaged in farming many years. Subsequently he opened a store in Newark, N.J. for a period of 2 or 3 years. He was a Republican and served as collector of Pequannock Twp. for 12 years. He was a member of the church at Pompton Plains.

Children of Thomas and Leah (Jacobus) Benjamin:
5534. Herbert Benjamin b. March 23, 1880.
5535. David Benjamin b. July 29, 1884 at Morris Co., N.J.
m. July 4, 1908 Ethel N. Tillotson of Boonton, N. J.
1. David Benjamin Jr.
2. Lucy Benjamin.
5536. Sidney Newton Benjamin b. August 13, 1890.

Resources: Records of Mrs. William Parker of Jackson, Miss., courtsey of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.; p. 231 Vol. II Hist.of Morris Co., N.J., 1914.

3797. CORNELIA ELIZABETH BENJAMIN[8] (David[7], Elijah[6], David[6], John[4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born May 16, 1851 in Morris Co., New Jersey; the dau. of David and Cornelia (Smith) Benjamin. She married Tilghman B. Koons.

He was a general freight agent for the New Jersey Central Railroad and lived in Plainfield, New Jersey.

Children of Tilghman and Cornelia (Benjamin) Koons:
5537. Olive Koons b. July 21, 1878 at Plainfield, N.J.
5538. Chauncey B. Koons b. March 20, 1881.
5539. Lucius T. Koons b. Jan. 13, 1885.
5540. Cornelia A. Koons b. March 30, 1884; died young.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

3818. WILLIAM JAMES BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Moses[6], David[5], John[4], Jos.[3-2] John[1]) born August 17, 1835 at New London, Conn.; the son of William P. and Mary Louise (Turner) Benjamin. He married Leonara Luther of New York on October 26, 1863 in New York.

Children of William and Leonara (Luther) Benjamin:
5541. Frank Leon Benjamin b. August 22, 1864 in New York.
5542. Daisy Grace Benjamin b. September 5, 1871.
5543. William Luther Benjamin b. June 7, 1875 in New York

Resources: Wilson Papers, which included a letter from William P. Benjamin in 1881.

3819. CHARLES ALFORD BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Moses[6], David[5], John[4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born May 20, 1847 at New London, Conn.; the son of William Park and Elizabeth (Remington) Benjamin. He married Mary E. Champlain/Chaplain on September 11, 1872

in New London. She was born in 1843 and died in 1920 (gs) and is buried in the New London Cemetery, lot #1-98.

Children of Charles and Mary (Champlain) Benjamin:
5544. William Park Benjamin b. November 22, 1874.

Resources: Wilson Papers, which included a letter from William Park Benjamin dated 1881.

3840. JAMES W. BENJAMIN[8] (Joseph[7], Rufus[6], John[5-4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born in 1825, probably in Green Co., New York; the son of Joseph and Polly (---) Benjamin; died October 14, 1869, age 43-9-2 (gs) at Ashland, Green Co., New York and is buried in the Suttien Hollow Cemetery, near Ashland. He married/1 February 21, 1850 at Ashland, N.Y. to Chole Sicklen of Delhi, Delaware Co., N.Y. She was born in 1827 and died January 16, 1857, age 30 (gs) and is buried with her husband. He m/2 Angeline Frisbee.

His will is on file in Ashland, Green Co., N.Y. Probate Records Box 23 file 701.

Children of James and Angeline (Frisbee) Benjamin:
5545. Charles Benjamin b. July 29, 1859 at Ashland, N.Y.; d. January 2, 1938 at South Gilboa, Schoharie Co. N.Y. and is buried in the Plesant Valley Cemetery in Green Co., N.Y. He married Lulu Gifford on December 5, 1887 (1889) at Ashland, N.Y., the dau of Jerome and Mary L. (Newcomb) Gifford. She was born January 30, 1865 at Big Hollow, N.Y. and died March 20, 1931, age 60 (gs) and is buried with her husband.
1. Grace E. Benjamin b. Feb. 22, 1896 at South Gilboa, N.Y.
2. Maude A. Benjamin b. March 2, 1889.
3. James H. Benjamin b. June 6, 1892.
4. Evelyn M. Benjamin b. Feb. 8, 1894.
5. William M. Benjamin b. Aug. 2, 1898 at South Gilboa, N.Y.

5546. George Benjamin, a twin, b. July 29, 1859; d. Feb. 29, 1862, age 2 yrs. 7 mos. (gs).
5547. Elizabeth Benjamin.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Grace Benjamin Decker of Stratford, N.Y.; Marriage Records from Delaware Gazette, Barber

3842. WITRESY (WHITELSEY) BENJAMIN[8] (Joseph[7], Rufus[6], John[5-4], Jos. 3-2, John[1]) born about 1839 in Green County, New York; the son of Joseph and Polly (---) Benjamin. He married Sasmentha/Samantha ---, who was born about 1856 in Delaware Co., N.Y.

In 1875 he resided in Cazenovia, Madison Co., N.Y.

Children of Witresy and Samentha (---) Benjamin:
5548. George A. Benjamin b. 1856 in Green Co., N.Y.

5549. Helen Benjamin bc. 1860 in Green Co., N.Y.

Resource: Census Record.

3845. JOHN D. BENJAMIN[8] (Augustus[7], Rufus[6], John[5-4], Jos.[3-2], John[1] born about 1836/7, probably in Green Co., New York; the son of Augustus and Naomi E. (---) Benjamin. He married Emerette ---, who was born about 1842.

In the 1860 census records they resided in Hunter, Green Co., New York.

Children of John and Emerette (---) Benjamin:
5550. William Benjamin bc. 1859 in Green Co., N.Y.

Resource: Census Records.

3848. HENRY BENJAMIN[8] (Augustus[7], Rufus[6], John[5-4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born about 1844/5 or 1847 probably in Green Co., New York; the son of Augustus and Naomi E. (---) Benjamin. He married Sarah J. ---, who was born about 1850.

In 1880 they resided in Hunter, Green Co., N.Y.

Children of Henry and Sarah (---) Benjamin:
5551. Alice Benjamin bc. 1870 in Green Co., N.Y.
5552. Clara C. Benjamin bc. 1873; d. 1937; m. Charles H. Goodrich, b. 1872, d. 1908. They are buried in the Maplewood Cemetery, near Hunter.
5553. Nellie Benjamin bc. 1879.

Resource: Census and Cemetery Records.

3857. RUFUS JOHN BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Rufus[6], John[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1] born July 3, 1831 at Hunter, Green Co., New York; the son of John and Levirah (Hitchcock) Benjamin; died October 6, 1918. He married Amanda Lelitia Bronson of Akron, Ohio on November 17, 1853. She was the dau. of Hiel and Mary D. (Nesmith) Bronson and was born January 7, 1831 and died May 13, 1898 at Princeville, Illinois.

He was listed in the 1860 census of Akron, Peoria Co., Illinois.

Children of Rufus and Amanda (Bronson) Benjamin:
5554. Mary Levisa Benjamin b. April 22, 1855 at Akron, Ill.; m. May 26, 1872 Julius H. Hopkins at Princeville, Ill. He was the son of John Turner Hopkins and was born March 30, 1845 at Peacham, Vt. He was an attorney at law at Princeville; a Republican; and an elder of the Reorganized Church of Latter Day Saints. He joined after his marriage.
1. Agnes Amanda Hopkins b. Aug. 15, 1873; m. Burdette Jared Beardsley.
2. Mary Geneva Hopkins b. Aug. 18, 1875, d. 1892 in Princeville.
3. Nina Adeane Hopkins b. Dec. 28, 1876; m.

Charles Wilbert Dawson.

4. Bessie Lee Hopkins b. Oct. 31, 1883; m. Thomas Benton Farquer.

5555. Alice Benjamin b. November 21, 1856; d. Sept. 8, 1857.

5556. Agnes Benjamin b. Feb. 28, 1858; d. Aug. 13, 1881.

5557. Hattie A. Benjamin b.Jan. 15, 1860; d. Apr. 3, 1887

5558. Abigail Benjamin b. Sept. 30, 1864; d. Sept. 23, 1865.

5559. Julia M. Benjamin b. July 17, 1872; m. March 29, 1892 Willard Henry Herman.

Resources: Hist. of Benjamin Family of Peoria Co., Ill., Franklin A. Benjamin; Records of Phillis Waits of Ocean Springs, Mississippi; p. 330 and p. 502 John Hopkins of Cambridge, Mass., Hopkins, 1932.

3858. JEDEDIAH HITCHCOCK BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Rufus[6], John[5-4], Jos.[3-2] John[1]) born July 21, 1833 at Hunter, Green Co., New York; the son of John and Levirah (Hitchcock) Benjamin; died March 7, 1908 at Zearing, Iowa. He m/1 Clara Ferguson in 1857 and m/2 Julia Maria (Tyrel) Sweney in 1868.

Children of Jedediah and Clara (Ferguson) Benjamin:

5560. Emma Levira Benjamin b. August 9, 1858; m. J. K. Laycock of Zearing, Iowa.

5561. Hattie E. Benjamin b. April 20, 1860; d. June 22, 1888.

5562. Ida Alice Benjamin b. August 24, 1865; m. H. N. Blanchard of San Jose, Calif.

5563. Sarah L. Benjamin b. Sept. 17, 1862; d. Aug. 30, 1863.

Children of Jedediah and Julia (Tyrel Sweney) Benjamin:

5564. Oscar John Benjamin b. July 28, 1869; m. December 19, 1900 Carrie A. Elliot at Nevada, Iowa.

5565. George Alonzo Benjamin b. October 24, 1871; m. Jan. 15, 1896 Grace Johnson at Nevada, Iowa.

5566. Edna Irene Benjamin b. Apr. 1, 1874; d. Feb. 10, 1882.

5567. Leitha Dial Benjamin b. Sept. 6, 1885; d. October 24, 1918.

Resources: Benjamin Family of Peoria Co., Ill., Fredrick A. Benjamin; Records of Mrs. Phillis Waits of Ocean Springs, Mississippi.

3859. MILO WASHINGTON BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Rufus[6], John[5-4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born January 31, 1836 at Hunter, Green Co., New York; the son of John and Levirah (Hitchcock) Benjamin; died March 16, 1910 at DeMoines, Iowa. He married Carrie M. Sabine in 1857 at Henry, Illinois. She was born in Conn. and died July 1883 at Oskaloosa, Iowa.

He was listed in the 1860 census of Orange, Ill. In

1867 Milo and the youngest brother, Alanzo, established the Benjamin Temple of Music at Danville, Illinois.

Children of Milo and Carrie (Sabine) Benjamin:

5568. Franklin Alonzo Benjamin b. October 13, 1858 at Henry, Ill.; d. February 29, 1945 at Danville, Ill.; m. Dec. 31, 1883 L. Louise Vierson at Pella, Iowa; the dau. of H. Y. H. Vierson, who was one of the founders of Pella, Iowa.
    1. Louise Pearl Benjamin b. Sept. 24, 1884 at Danville, Ill.; d. 1932 at Danville; m. 1909 to Capt. Benjamin C. English.

5569. Eleanor Leanora Benjamin b. August 9, 1860 at Peoria, Ill.; m. August 12, 1884 Jay Billingsley of Iowa City, Iowa at Oskaloosa, Iowa.
    1. Carrie Sophia Billingsley.
    2. Milo William Billingsley.

Resources: Benjamin Family of Peoria Co., Ill., F. A. Benjamin; Records of Horace V. Benjamin of Danville, Ill.

3860. HARRIET LEVIRAH BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Rufus[6], John[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born February 11, 1841 at Princeville, Illinois; the dau. of John and Levirah (Hitchcock) Benjamin; died May 1, 1907 at Chicago, Illinois. She m/1 Edwin L. Smith about 1864, and he died soon after entering service in the Civil War. There was no issue of this first marriage. She m/2 Joseph Stickney Barnum of Detrot, Michigan; the son of Jabez and Anna Larabee (Goodsell) Barnum. He was born May 3, 1832 at Detroit, Mich. and died January 13, 1898 at Shelbyville, Illinois.

Children of Joseph and Harriet (Benjamin) Barnum:

5570. Edwin Joseph Barnum b. Dec. 15, 1865 at Peoria, Ill d. in Calif.; m. Oct. 23, 1888 Lillian Jessie Wear. They had no issue.

5571. Dial Harriet Barnum b. June 26, 1867 at Peoria, Ill d. Jan. 25, 1949 at Techny, Ill.; m. July 10, 1889 Frank Kenyon Pennington. They had a son, Paul Bennington.

5572. Stella Barnum b. June 21, 1871; d. Jan. 16, 1914; unm.

5573. Emory Eugene Barnum b. July 16, 1879 at Princeville, Ill.; m/1 Ola Louise Hatch on July 11, 1901 and later divorced. He m/2 Lucille Alice Rassmussen on Feb. 11, 1926 and she d. March 10, 1950 at Chicago, Ill. He m/3 Myrtle Marie Livesey Wertlman on Feb. 9, 1952 and she d. Dec. 31, 1954. He m/4 Hazel Fern Henkle on April 22, 1855. Emory died June 9, 1968 in Chicago, Ill.
    1. Phylis Eleanor Benjamin; m/1 Floyd Kenneth Jermyn; m/2 David Lester Waits.

Resources: Hist. of the Benjamin Fam. of Peoria Co., Ill.,

F. A. Benjamin; Records of Mrs. David Waits of Ocean Springs, Miss.; Records of Paul Pennington of Evanston, Il

3863. ALONZO BUSHNELL BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Rufus[6], John[5-4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born July 3, 1846/9 at Peoria Co., Illinois; the son of John and Levirah (Hitchcock) Benjamin; died January 19, 1915 at Danville, Illinois. He married Angie W. Cook of Knox Co., Ill. on June 10, 1872. She was born in 1853 and died in 1936.

Children of Alonzo and Angie (Cook) Benjamin:

5574. Susan Leonara Benjamin b. March 29, 1873 at Princeville, Ill.; d. Jan. 1964 at Danville, Ill.; m. Aug. 10, 1895 at Danville to Fred J. Lovell, b. 1890 and d. 1960.

5575. Roy Alonzo Benjamin b. April 1, 1875 at Danville, Ill.; d. 1958 at Los Angles, Calif.; m. April 1900 Bessie Jeremy and had no issue. He m/2 Jessie Attwood on November 1906 and had:
1. Carlos Benjamin.
2. Fay Benjamin.

5576. Ruth Adenna Benjamin b. April 11, 1886 at Danville, Ill.; m. Feb. 19, 1907 to Robert Day Kelley of San Antonio, Texas.

5577. Horace Victor Benjamin b. March 2, 1890 ad Danville m. April 21, 1923 Helen Blair of Indianapolis, Ind. They had no issue.

Resources: Records of Horace V. Benjamin of Danville, Ill. Hist. of the Benjamin Fam. of Peoria Co., Ill., by F. A. Benjamin.

3864. CHARLES BENJAMIN[8] (Medad[7], Rufus[6], John[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born about 1832 in Green Co., New York; the son of Medad and Rhoda (---) Benjamin. He married Ann (Annie) E. ---, who was born about 1834/5.

They resided in Hunter, Green Co., N.Y. in 1860 and 1880.

Children of Charles and Ann (---) Benjamin:

5578. Leonard/ C. Sennard Benjamin bc. 1857/8 in Green Co.

5579. Sarah Jane Benjamin bc. 1859.

5580. Harrison A. Benjamin bc. 1860.

5581. Mary E. Benjamin bc. 1864; d. 1935; m. Daniel D. Ostrander, b. 1853, d. 1941; both buried in the Maplewood Cem. near Hunter, N.Y.

5582. Fletcher Benjamin bc. 1866.

5583. Lana Benjamin bc. 1870.

5584. Adelbert Benjamin bc. 1873; d. 1946; m. Emma J. --- who was b. 1878, d. 1971. They were both buried in the Maplewood Cem. near Hunter.

5585. Minnie Benjamin bc. 1876.

5586. Edith Benjamin bc. 1878.

Resources: Census and Cemetery Records.

3875. ANDREW J. BENJAMIN[8] (George[7], Rufus[6], John[5-4], Joseph[3-2], John[1]) born in 1844 in Green Co., New York; the son of George W. and Juliette (---) Benjamin; died in 1921. He married Adeline Jones in November 1865 at the Morris, N.Y. Baptist Church. She was born in 1839 and died in 1867.

He owned the Morris, Otsego Co., N.Y. Chair Manufacturing Co.

Children of Andrew and Adeline (Jones) Benjamin:

5587. Minnie Benjamin b. 1865/6; m. Ed. Everett Carr of Utica, N.Y.

5588. William A. Benjamin b. 1867; m. in 1888 Amanda Furbush, b. 1863, d. before 1915; had a dau. Rose Benjamin b. 1892.

5589. Samuel Tilden Benjamin b. 1876; d. 1950; buried in the Morris Cemetery; m. Lela C. Wood, b. 1879, d. 1967. He was an auto repair man in Morris.
1. Harold Leon Benjamin b. 1902; m. 1924 Helen Young.
2. Claude Leroy Benjamin b. 1907.

5590. Nellie Benjamin b. 1882; m. 1903 to George Edward Farmer of Leeds, N.Y.

Resources: Records of Harold L. Benjamin, courtsey of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

?3876. WILLIAM L. BENJAMIN[8] (Geo.[7], Rufus[6], John[5-4], Jos.[3-2], John[1] born about 1847 in Green Co., New York; the possible son of George W. and Juliette (---) Benjamin; died about 1895. He married Clara Louise Thomas of Milford in 1878, the dau of Alexander and Eliza (Thurston) Thomas.

He was a mechanic. In an old scrapbook of clippings was found "About 1895 William L. Benjamin, formerly of Morris, took poison while on a furlough from an Ohio Soldier's Home. He was a war veteran. He leaves several children, one dau. in Morris staying with relatives."

William is placed as a son of George because of his birth in Green Co. and his location in Morris.

Children of William and Clara (Thomas) Benjamin:

5591. Alice May Benjamin b. 1880; d. 1899; m. Alfred Harris.

5592. female bc. 1884.

5593. male bc. 1887.

Resources: Various records in the town clerk's office; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.; p. 448 Thurston Gen., Thurston, 1892.

3883. LEGRAND BENJAMIN[8] (Geo.[7], Rufus[6], John[5-4], Jos.[3-2], John[1]) born in 1863 in Otsego Co., New York; the son of George W.

and Juliette (---) Benjamin. He married Aretta/Celestia Johnson.

Children of LeGrand and Aretta (Johnson) Benjamin:
5594 child; died 1891, age 3 months old.
5595. Hobart L. Benjamin b. 1892; d. 1939; m. Wilhelmina Green. Issue:
1. Hobart L. Benjamin Jr. b. 1918; resided in Philadelphia in 1839.
2. Waldo C. Benjamin b. 1920; m. Shirley Farro.
3. David W. Benjamin b. 1922.
4. LeGrand C. Benjamin b. 1925; m. Betty Hughes.
5596. Ward L. Benjamin. (Perhaps he was the child who d. young.)

Resources: Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, NY

3885. JAMES H. BENJAMIN[8] (James[7], Ira[6], Barz.[5], Jabez[4], John[3], Jos. 2, John[1]) born December 22, 1859 at Stafford, Vermont; (vr the son of James S. and Nancy (Kimball) Benjamin; died December 9, 1908 at Stafford, Vermont. (vr). He married Elsie Sargent, who was born at Stafford, Vt.
He was a miner and was listed in the 1880 census of Stafford, Vt.

Children of James and Elsie (Sargent) Benjamin:
5597. Maud M. Benjamin b. April 12, 1879 at Stafford, Vt. (vr); m. 1899 at Stafford (vr) Alfred E. Blake.
5598. Marcia Benjamin b. May 3, 1881; d. May 31, 1881 at Stafford, Vt. (vr).
5599. Warren B. Benjamin b. June 11, 1883 at Stafford, Vt (vr); d. July 15, 1931; m. Feb. 19, 1904 at Norwich (vr) Etta L. Brown.
5600. James H. Benjamin b. May 2, 1892 at Stafford (vr).

Resources: Vital Records of Vermont.

3890. CHARLES E. (?F) BENJAMIN[8] (James[7], Ira[6], Barz.[5], Jabez[4], John 3, Joseph[2], John[1]) born September 5, 1868 at Stafford, Ver mont; (vr); the son of James and Nancy (Kimball) Benjamin. He married Kate J. Emerson on April 1892 at Stafford. (vr)

Children of Charles and Kate (Emerson) Benjamin:
5601. Carl Sidney Benjamin b. August 1, 1892 at Stafford, Vt. (vr).
5602. James George Benjamin b. July 21, 1895 at Stafford (vr).
5603. Ella May Benjamin b. Jan. 4, 1898 at Stafford (vr.
5604. Albert Andrew Benjamin b. July 17, 1900 at Stafford (vr); m. December 29, 1930 Loretta McCarty at Hanover, N. H. (vr).
5605. Melvin Archie Benjamin b. July 29, 1902 at Stafford (vr); m. Helen ---. Had issue: Diana; Genevieve; Althea; Dawson John Benjamin, who m. Shirley ---.

5606. O'Donald Lee Benjamin b. Feb. 6, 1907 at Stafford, Vt. (vr).

Resources: Vital Records of Vermont.

3912. JOHN BENJAMIN[8] (DeLucina[7], Aaron[6], John[5-4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born August 11, 1829 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of DeLucina and Susan (Curtis) Benjamin; died June 3, 1906 (gs) and is buried in the Stratford, Conn. Cemetery, lot #1-55. He married Hannah Seeley Parkinson. She was born October 8, 1836 and died April 27, 1918 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He occupied the old Nicoll mansion on Elm Street in Stratford in 1900.

Children of John and Hannah (Parkinson) Benjamin:

5607. Frank Parkinson Benjamin b. Sept. 12, 1858; d. Apr. 14, 1893; buried with his parents.
5608. John Parkinson Benjamin b. 1868; d. August 7, 1870, age 1 yr. 6 mos. (gs) and buried with parents.
5609. Adele Benjamin b. 1860; d. Oct. 22, 1871, age 10 yr 9 mos. (gs) and buried with parents.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records.

3914. WILLIAM HENRY BENJAMIN[8] Wm.[7], Aaron[6], John[5-4-3], Caleb[2], John born probably in New York City; the son of William M. and Sarah (Turk) Benjamin. He married Sarah Maria Bergen, who was born March 14, 1831 in New York.

He resided in New York City, N.Y. (See #3984.)

Children of Henry and Sarah (Bergen) Benjamin:

5610. Abraham Benjamin b. April 20, 1851; d. Apr. 6, 1852
5611. Mary Winifred Benjamin b. Sept. 24, 1853; d. Apr. 17, 1856.
5612. Harriet Oatman Benjamin b. July 14, 1858.
5613. Charles Manwaring Benjamin b. Feb. 16, 1856; d. May 20, 1857.

Some records indicate he was an Episcopal minister at Riverhead on the Hudson, N.Y. in 1900.

Resources: Wilson Papers; p. 180 Desc. of Hans Hansen Bergen, Bergen, 1876.

3915. SAMUEL NICOLL BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Aaron[6], John[5-4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born January 3, 1839 in New York City, N.Y.; the son of William M. and Sarah (Turk) Benjamin; died May 15, 1886 on Govornor's Island, N.Y. in the N.Y. Harbour. He is buried in St. Philip's Protestant Espic. Churchyard at Garrison, N.Y. He married Julia Kean Fish on December 8, 1868. She was the dau. of Hamilton and Julia Ursin Numcewicz (Kean) Fish and was born May 2, 1841 and died December 5, 1908 and is buried with her husband.

His gravestone bears the inscription "Asst. Adjuant General; Brevet Lt. Col. U.S.A." He attended the West Point Military Academy and graduated July 1, 1856. He was wounded and breveted in the Battle of Spottsylvania, Virginia for good conduct and gallant service. He was awarded the Medal of Honor on June 11, 1877 for particularly distinctive service as an officer from Bull Run, Va. to Spottsylvania. He served throughout the Civil War, and was breveted a number of times for gallantry on the field.

Hamilton Fish was a Congressman and Secretary of State under President Grant.

Children of Samuel and Julia (Fish) Benjamin:

5614. Elizabeth D'Hauterville Benjamin b. June 20, 1871; d. April 1, 1884; buried with her parents.

5615. William Massena Benjamin b. March 9, 1874 at Fort Monroe, Virginia; served with Troop A. in the N. Y. Calvary in 1898 at Camp Alger and Porto Rico, during the Spanish-American War. He was living in New York City in 1900.

5616. Hamilton Fish Benjamin b. January 21, 1877 in Washington, D.C. He was a graduate of Yale Scientific School in 1898 and living in N.Y. in 1900.

5617. Julian Arnold Benjamin b. January 21, 1877 at Washington, D.C.; graduated from the West Point Military Academy in June 1896; served as an officer in 2 foreign wars; retired in 1929.

Resources: Vol. 29 Nat. Cyclopaedia of Am. Biog; Vol. 5 p 229 ColonialFam. in U.S., McKenzie, 1911; p. 130 Vol. 2 Hist. of Southeastern, N.Y., 1946; Anc. of Hamilton Fish, Stuyvestant Fish, 1929; p. 80 Vol. 55 N.Y. Hist. and Gen. Record.

3917. EDWARD AUSTIN BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Aaron[6], John[5-4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born August 11, 1847 at New York City; the son of William M. and Sarah (Turk) Benjamin; died in 1911 and buried in the Stratford, Conn. Cemtery, lot #1-64. The name of his wife is unknown.

According to Dr. Wilson's notes, a Capt. Edward Benjamin was living at Preston, Conn. in 1899.

Children of Edward Benjamin:

5618. Mary Benjamin b. Sept. 16, 1875; d. Sept. 11, 1904 (gs) and buried in the same cemetery lot as the above Edward.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records.

3923. ANNA ELIZABETH BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Aaron[6], John[5-4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born January 3, 1844 at Stratford, Conn.; the dau. of John C. and Anna (Gillon) Benjamin; died in 1910. She married George W. Scott of Brooklyn, New York on January

19, 1865 in Conn.

Children of George and Anna (Benjamin) Scott:
5619. Annie Gillon Scott; m. Theodore D. Armour.
5620. Nellie Benjamin Scott.

Resources: Records of Mrs. W. Loring Lee Jr. of Sumter, South Carolina.

3924. JOHN-ANNA BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Aaron[6], John[5-4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born September 17, 1846 at Stratford, Conn.; the dau. of John C. and Anna (Gillon) Benjamin; died October 30, 1917 at Sumpter, South Carolina. She m/1 William Henry Fishburne on April 4, 1867. He was the son of Robert and Harriet Ann (Chalmers) Fishburne and was born May 4, 1846 and died February 1, 1891. She m/2 Samuel Gourdin Pickney of Charlestown, S. C. on June 12, 1893. He died March 26, 1902.

Children of William and Johnanna (Benjamin)Fishburne:
5621. Elizabeth Brisbane Fishburne b. Dec. 3, 1869; d. November 4, 1898; m. Feb. 13, 1890 Theodore DuBose Ravenal.(He m. twice more.)
1. William Fishburen Ravenal b. June 11, 1895.
2. Samuel Fitzsimmons Ravenal b. Sept. 28, 1908.
5622. Harriet Chalmers Fishburne b. 1873; d. 1957; m. W. Loring Lee, b. 1875, d. 1960.
5623. Charles Cochran Fishburne b. May 25, 1876; d. 1954; m. Sept. 14, 1898 Virginia Alma Ingram.
5624. John Benjamin Fishburne b. Feb. 8, 1878; d. 1927; m. Nov. 7, 1901 Jeanne Bentley Gibson.
5625. Alexander Gillon Fishburne b. Jan. 22, 1883; d. 1950; m. Feb. 16, 1911 Jane Hutchinson.

Resource: Records of Mrs. W. Loring Lee Jr. of Sumter, SC

3946. JULIA ANN BENJAMIN[8] (Meigs[7], Asa[6], John[5-4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born August 10, 1829 at New York City; the dau. of Meigs and Julia (Scott) Benjamin; died November 16, 1884 at Bayonne, New Jersey. She married Samuel Benton on July 20, 1854. He died about 1880.

Children of Samuel and Julia (Benjamin) Benton:
5626. daughter; wo died unm. in 1884.
5627. Edwin M. Benton; resided in New Jersey in 1900.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

3947. JOHN RUTHERFORD BENJAMIN[8] (Meigs[7], Asa[6], John[5-4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born May 14, 1832 in New York City; the son of Meigs and Julia (Scott) Benjamin; died April 2, 1879 at Lakeville, Conn. and is buried in the Bridgeport, Conn. Cemetery, lot #4-137. According to Dr. Wilson he was unmarried, but there is a DAR record that seems to indicate

he was married to Sarah Jane Bailey. (Note: There seems to be some confusion between this and #3675.)

Children of John R. and Sarah (Bailey) Benjamin:
5628. Alice Maude Benjamin; living in Winstead, Conn. in 1911.

Resources: Wilson Papers; DAR Lineage Book #31709.

3949. EASTBURN BENJAMIN[8] (Meigs[7], Asa[6], John[5-4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born February 5, 1837 at New York City; the son of Meigs and Julia (Scott) Benjamin; died September 8, 1874 in New York. He married Cornelia Augusta Prall on December 26, 1861. She was the dau. of Abraham Augustus Prall of New York.

He graduated from Columbia College in 1856 and was a lawyer and Episcopalian minister. He founded "The Home for the Destitute Blind" in New York City.

Children of Eastburn and Cornelia (Prall) Benjamin:
5629. Ida Benjamin b. October 4, 1862 in New York City.
5630. Aline Prall Benjamin b. August 18, 1866 in NYC.
5631. Harsen/Hassen Prall Benjamin b. January 19, 1869 in New York City.

Resource: p. 227-8 Hist. of Capt. Nicholas Stillwell, John Stillwell, 1930.

3960. GEORGE BALDWIN/BELDON BENJAMIN[8] (DeLucena[7], Gideon[6], George[5], John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born July 26, 1813 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of Delucena and Deroxa (Knapp) Benjamin; died March 20, 1888, age 75 (gs) at Danbury, Conn. and is buried in the Danbury Cemetery. He married Susan Jones of Norwalk, Conn. on January 1, 1850 at Danbury, Conn. (vr 7-161), the dau. of Samuel and Marie (Bruen) Jones. She was born October 2, 1824 at Philadelphia, Penn. and died September 27, 1878 at Danbury, Conn.

Susan Jones, wife of George Benjamin, was admitted to the First Cong. Church at Danbury on July 1, 1849 (cr 7-168).

Children of George and Susan (Jones) Benjamin:
5632. George Baldwin Benjamin Jr. b. February 4, 1851 at Danbury, Conn.; m/1 Nov. 29, 1870 Annie Hornblower, who d. August 24, 1896 at Danbury. He m/2 Edith M. Green of Rawayton, Conn.
5633. Mary Catherine Benjamin b. September 29, 1852/3 at Danbury; m. March 30, 1881 Dr. Frank P. Clark.
1. Sarah Benjamin Clark b. March 24, 1886.
2. Julia Andrews Clark, a twin, b. Mar. 24, 1886
5634. William Scofield Benjamin b. November 18, 1854; d. 1915 (gs) and buried in the Danville Cemetery, lot #1-114; m/1 Lizzie Garvin of Brooklyn, Conn.

and resided in Brooklyn and had 3 children; m/2 Alice McCormick and resided at Rochelle, N.Y.
1. Marie S. Benjamin.
2. Fred C. Benjamin.
3. Thomas B. Benjamin.

5635. Grace Benjamin b. November 18, 1854 at Danbury; umn residing in Danbury, Conn. in 1900.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Vol. 49 p. 157 DAR Lineage Book; p. 370, 677 Thomas Sanford 1632, Carlton Sanford, 1911.

3961. HIRAM B. (FRANK) BENJAMIN[8] (DeLucena[7], Gideon[6], George[5], John 4-3, Caleb[2], John[1]) born in 1815 at Danbury, Conn.; the son of DeLucena and Deroxa (Knapp) Benjamin; died November 21, 1875 at the age of 59 (gs) and is buried in the Danbury, Conn. Cemetery, lot #1-127. He married Margaret Odell of Albany, N.Y. on January 1847. She died at the age of 83 yrs. (no dates) and is buried in the same lot as her husband.

Children of Hiram and Margaret (Odell) Benjamin:

5636. John Benjamin; died young.

5637. Julia W. Benjamin b. 1853; d. January 10, 1897, age 44 yrs. (gs); unm.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records.

3963. HARRIET BENJAMIN[8] (DeLucena[7], Gideon[6], Geo.[5], John[4-3], Caleb[2] John[1]) born 1818 at Danbury, Conn.; the dau. of DeLucena and Deroxa (Knapp) Benjamin; died 1900 (gs) at Danbury, Conn. and is buried in the Danbury Cemetery, lot #1-127. She married David Gillette on September 1, 1836 at Danbury (vr 3-86).

Children of David and Harriet) Benjamin) Gillette:

5638. Helen Gillette; m. William Raymond of Peekskill, N.Y.; resided in Brooklyn, N.Y. in 1900; had 5 children.

5639. Emma Gillette.

5640. Maggie Gillette; m. Charles Geer of Bethel, Conn. and had 3 children.

5641. Hattie Gillette; died before 1900; unm.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

3964. CHARLES D. BENJAMIN[8] (DeLucena[7], Gideon[6], Geo.[5], John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born August 31, 1823 at Danbury, Conn.; the son of DeLucena and Deroxa (Knapp) Benjamin; died June 5, 1877, age 54 (gs) at Danbury, Conn. and is buried in the Danbury Cemetery, lot #1-311. He married Julia Augusta Fairchild of Danbury on October 5, 1853 at Danbury. She was the dau. of Dr. Franklin (Francis) and Eunice (Boughton) Fairchild and was born June 14, 1831 at Mill Plain,

Conn. and died in 1914 at Danbury (First Cong. cr). She is buried in the Danbury Cemetery, lot #1-312.

Julia was admitted to the First Cong. Church of Danbury on May 8, 1880 (cr).

Children of Charles and Julia (Fairchild) Benjamin:

5642. Francis Fairchild Benjamin b. Sept. 25, 1855 at Danbury; d. July 15, 1871 and is buried in the same lot as his father.

5643. Jennie A. Benjamin b. March 20, 1857; d. 1923; unm. and buried in the same lot as her mother.

5644. Florence Benjamin b. July 18, 1859; m. June 18, 1888 Fredrick K. Patrie (Petrie/Patrick) of Norwalk, Conn. at Danbury (cr 9-62).

5645. William Benedict Benjamin b. August 23, 1861 at Danbury; d. 1917 (gs) and buried in Danbury Cem., lot #1-312 (tho First Cong. cr gives death date as March 20, 1888); m. April 13, 1887 Lydia M. Starr, b. 1866, d. March 17, 1888, age 22 yrs. and buried in same lot as husband. She probably died in childbirth, and the death record of a William Benedict Benjamin in 1888 was probably a child. (cr 9-80).

5646. Fredrick Benjamin b. February 5, 1864 at Danbury, Conn.; m. November 1886 in Washington, D.C. to Lena M. Boughton, who was b. at Grafton, Ohio on August 1860.

5647. Thomas Boughton Benjamin b. December 1, 1868 in Danbury, Conn.

Resources: Wilson Papers; p. 213 and 381 Boughton Fam.; Nicholas Knapp Gen., Alfred Knapp, 1953; Family Group Sheet from Library of Latter Day Saints in Salt Lake City.

3966. SARAH BENJAMIN[8] (DeLucena[7], Gideon[6], Geo.[5], John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born probably in Stratford, Conn.; the dau. of DeLucena and Deroxa (Knapp) Benjamin. She married Orrin (Orlando) Wilcox of Danbury, Conn. on October 19, 1841 at Danbury, Conn. (vr 3-112).

Children of Orrin and Sarah (Benjamin) Wilcox:

5648. Charles Wilcox; m. Fanny Disbow of Danbury and had 4 children: Mary; Harry; Charles; and John, who died young.

5649. Arthur Wilcox; m. Jennie Goodale of Danbury, Conn.

5650. Eva Wilcox.

5651. Herbert Wilcox; resided in Danbury, Conn. in 1900.

5652. Emma Wilcox.

5653. Augustus Wilcox; m. Lillian Cowan; had 2 children.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

3983. SAMUEL W. BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Gideon[6], Geo.[5], John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born February 21, 1828 at Stratford, Conn.; the son

of William H. and Cynthia (McEwen) Benjamin; died August 16, 1898 at Stratford, Conn. and is buried in the Stratford Cemetery, lot #1-58. He married Amelia P. Plumb on January 25, 1851 at Stratford. She was born in 1828 and died in 1900 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He was a member of St. John's Lodge of A.F. and A.M. of Stratford; was W.M. from 1827 to 1833 and 12 times a representative to the Grand Lodge of the State of Conn.

Children of Samuel W. and Amelia (Plumb) Benjamin:

5654. Abigail Benjamin; m. Curtis or Samuel Peet,

5655. Mary Day Benjamin b. 1856; d. December 15, 1862, age 6 yrs; buried with her parents.

5656. Eva Benjamin; alive in 1900.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Orcutt's Hist. of Stratford, Conn.

3984. WILLIAM HENRY BENJAMIN[8] (Wm.[7], Gideon[6], Geo.[5], John[4-3], Caleb 2, John[1]) born February 16, 1830 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of William H. and Cynthia (McEwen) Benjamin; died June 11, 1911, age 82 (gs) at Stratford, Conn. and is buried in the Stratford Cemetery, lot #1-54. He m/1 Sarah Ann Meach am in 1855. She died on December 11, 1897, age 58, and is buried with her husband. He m/2 Miss Livingston. There was no issue of the second marriage.

He was an Episcopal clergyman at Riverside on the Hudson in 1900. (Note: Some confusion--See #3914.)

Children of William and Sarah (Meacham) Benjamin:

5657. Fannie Benjamin; m. Chester Russell of Bridgeport, Conn. They had son: William H. Russell.

5658. Susan Benjamin; m. Wallace Sturges; she died before 1911.

Resources: Wilson Papers, which included a letter form Charles Henry Benjamin, who sent a clipping of the death Of W. H. Benjamin; Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records.

4000. FRANK GEORGE BENJAMIN[8] (George[7], Gideon[6], Geo.[5], John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born in either Conn. or N.Y.; the son of George and Susan (Chichester) Benjamin. He married Jeanette Woodhull Brown on December 3, 1879. She was the dau. of Edwin Clark and Mary (Woodhull) Brown and was born January 1, 1854 at Oneida Co., New York.

Children of Frank and Jeanette (Brown) Benjamin:

5659. Edwin Benjamin b. March 30, 1881 at Cazenovia, Madison Co., New York; d. August 5, 1903 at Saranac Lake, N.Y.

5660. Leon Benjamin b. December 18, 1882 at Cazenovia, NY m. at Syracuse, N.Y. on December 31, 1902 to Mabel Brown, who was b. in Kansas; no issue.

5661. Bernice Benjamin b. September 15, 1884 at Ithaca, Tompkins Co., N.Y.; m. at Syracuse, N.Y. August 9, 1905 Grover C. Weed.

5662. Marie Benjamin b. July 6, 1886; m. at Syracuse, NY October 16, 1907 Henry Edwin Morton.

5663. Flossie Benjamin b. August 15, 1892; m. at Syracuse July 4, 1910 --- Boggs.

Resource: p. 187 Brown Gen., Cyrus Henry Brown, 1907.

4001. JOHN BENJAMIN[8] (Robert[7], Gideon[6], Geo.[5], John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born May 1, 1929 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of Robert Charles and Ann Cornelia (Fairchild) Benjamin; died in 1917, age 89 (gs) in Stratford, Conn. and is buried in the Stratford Cemetery, lot #1-55. He married Sarah Jane Plumb of Stratford on December 5, 1856. She was the dau. of Benjamin and Clarissa (Curtis) Plumb and was born October 12, 1828 and died August 12, 1883 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He was an active church member and head usher for over 30 years, and on the committee that built the Sunday School building in 1874. He joined the First Episcopalian Church in 1868. He was a Democrat.

Children of John and Sarah (Plumb) Benjamin:

5664. Frank Clifton Benjamin b. October 12, 1858 at Strat ford, Conn.; d. Oct. 2, 1890; buried with parents

5665. Clara Louise Benjamin b. October 12, 1859; m. October 13, 1885 Leverett LeGrand Hinman, who was b. Oct. 13, 1856.

5666. Walter Benjamin b. November 12, 1861; d. Sept. 11, 1862; buried with his parents.

5667. William Howard Benjamin b. February 7, 1865 at Stratford, Conn.; m. June 21, 1892 Tessa Hachett of St. Albens, Vt. She was b. 1869 and d. 1924. (gs) and is buried in the same lot as his parents

Resources: Vol. 8 p. 135 DAR Lineage Book; Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records.

4002. EDWARD GEORGE or GEORGE EDWARD BENJAMIN[8] (Robert[7], Gideon[6], Geo.[5], John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born December 7, 1830 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of Robert Charles and Cornelia (Fairchild) Benjamin; died February 17, 1915 at Stratford, Conn. and is buried in the Stratford Cemetery, lot #1-77. He married Caroline Elizabeth Curtis on October 23, 1851 at Stratford (vr 19-94), the dau. of Isaac and Sarah L. (Beers) Curtis. She was born September 29, 1831 and died February 29, 1902 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Dr. Wilson had a record of a Capt. Edward Benjamin that resided in Stratford, Conn. in 1899. This might be the one he was refering to.

Children of Edward and Caroline (Curtis) Benjamin:

5668. George F. Benjamin b. August 16, 1852 at Stratford, Conn.; d. August 10, 1859, age 7 yrs.
5669. Emma L. Benjamin b. July 30, 1854; d. August 11, 1856, age 2 yrs.
5670. Ida Louise Benjamin b. August 4, 1854 at Stratford; m. December 24, 1879 Charles Augustus Ellis, b. Oct. 21, 1853 at Huntington, Conn.
1. Ruth Whitney Ellis b. New Haven, Conn. Oct. 12, 1880.
2. Edward Benjamin Ellis b. Nov. 16, 1882; d. Oct. 31, 1893.
3. Ida Louise Ellis b. June 5, 1893.
4. George Marion Ellis b. New Haven, Conn. June 4, 1895.

5671. Charles Isaac Benjamin b. June 10, 1860 at Stratford; d. 1925; m. 1883 Bertha Matilda Belter (Binter) of Bridgeport, Conn., b. 1865, d. 1947.
1. Fredrick Louis Benjamin b. Bridgeport, Conn. Jan. 28, 1884; d. 1886.
2. Charles Henry Benjamin b. Dec. 23, 1885.
3. Walter Hall Benjamin b. Nov. 1, 1889.
4. Ethel Caroline Claribel Benjamin b. Bridgeport, Conn. June 1893.

5672. Jane P. Benjamin b. October 15, 1864; unm.
5673. Annie Cornelia Benjamin b. June 15, 1872; m. May 27, 1890 Samuel Waldo Steele at Newington, Conn.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Vol. 155 p. 91 DAR Lineage Book.

4003. ROBERT CHARLES BENJAMIN[8] (Robert[7], Gideon[6], Geo.[5], John[4-3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born between 1830-40 at Stratford, Conn.; the son of Robert Charles and Cornelia (Fairchild) Benjamin; died September 19, 1899 at New Haven, Conn. He married Rebecca Guernsey (Gurnsey) of Watertown, Conn. on January 1, 1864. She was the dau. of John and Mary (---) Guernsey.

He was a very good oil painter and most famous for "Washington Crossing the Delaware".

Children of Robert and Rebecca (Guernsey) Benjamin:
5674. Fredrick Guernsey Benjamin b. Nvoember 10, 1864; m. November 8, 1893 Lizzie McCarty. He had a son: Fredrick Benjamin b. August 7, 1894.
5675. Georgiana Benjamin b. July 20, 1867; m. April 22, 1885 Birdsey James Davison.
1. Jennie Rebecca Davison b. May 3, 1886.
2. Cora Mae Davison b. July 17, 1889.
3. Lottie Mabel Davison b. June 3, 1894.

5676. Delia Benjamin b. July 4, 1873; d. April 7, 1893; m. June 8, 1892 Edward Parrott.
5677. Robert Charles Benjamin b. July 26, 1877.
5678. John Freeman Benjamin b. May 18, 1881.

Resources: Wilson Papers, which included a letter from

Charles Benjamin of Bridgeport, Conn.

4008. RUSSELL W. BENJAMIN[8] (Nathan[7], Jos.[6], Elnathan[5], Sam.[4], John[3] Caleb[2], John[1]) born in Washington Co., New York; the son of Nathan and Elizabeth (Stewart) Benjamin. He married Roxana F. Barrett on January 15, 1856 at Brattleboro, Vermont (vr). She was born in Hinsdale, New Hampshire.

He worked for the rail road.

Children of Russell and Roxanna (Barrett) Benjamin:

5679. female b. April 20, 1857 at Brattleboro, Vt. (vr); d. April 21, 1857 at Brattleboro. (vr).

5680. Lucy Maria Benjamin b. August 27, 1859 at Brattleboro, Vt. (vr); m. Nov. 27, 1878 Edwin Clarence Perkins at Brattleboro (vr).

Resource: Vermont Vital Records.

4012. JOHN BREER BENJAMIN[8] (Benjamin[7], David[6], Elnathan[5], Sam.[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born in 1833/4 in Vermont; the adopted son of Benjamin and Aurelia (Talmade) Benjamin; died in 1910. He m/1 Mary Clute and m/2 in 1861 to Sarah Erilla Aiken. She was the dau. of Jonathan Richardson and Almeda E. (Luther) Aiken and was born June 26, 1846 in Washington Co., N.Y. and died in 1910.

Peter Breer (Brear) was a full blooded Frenchman and was married to a Scott woman he met on the boat coming to America. He deserted his family when John was only one year old, and it is thought went to New York City. The mother gave her dau. Jeannette to a family living in Saratoga Co., N.Y. and John to a family in Dresden, N.Y.--Benjamin Benjamin.

Mr. Luther, Sarah's grandfather, had the first stove and clock in Castleton, Vt.

John worked on and for the Champlain Canal and then later was a "carter" or hauler of freight. During his second marriage, they lived for some time on a boat. He belonged to the Presbyterian Chuch at Whitehall, N.Y.

He enlisted Sept. 13, 1861 in the 87th Regt., Co. A in the Civil War and was discharged for a disability.

Children of John and Mary (Clute) Benjamin:

5681. Olin H. Benjamin b. March 15, 1856; d. 1862.

Children of John and Sarah (Aiken) Benjamin:

5682. Orville John Benjamin b. 1863; d. 1931; m. June 4, 1884 Laura Ida Wheeler at Whitehall, N.Y. She was the dau. of James and Margaret (Hobbs) Wheeler and was born August 17, 1862 at Whitehall, NY. He was an oil puller in 1905 and a merchant in 1915.

1. Laura Isabel Benjamin b. April 11, 1886.
2. David Wheeler Benjamin b. Sept. 9, 1887.
3. Minerva May Benjamin b. May 14, 1891

4. Almeda Maria Benjamin b. Dec. 11, 1897.

5683. Charlotta Helen (Lottie) Benjamin b. 1864; d. 1910; m. John Fisher.

5684. Ovid Samuel Benjamin b. 1866; m/1 Mate Stearns, who d. leaving one dau.: Bernice J. Benjamin; m/2 Lillian King Baldwin of Ausable Forks, N.Y. (He is listed as John in one census record.)
2. Margery Benjamin
3. Charles Benjamin b. 1902.
4. Bula E. Benjamin b. 1901.
5. Marion E. Benjamin.

5685. Otis Curtis Benjamin b. March 21, 1868; d. 1944 and buried in the Clemons Cemetery at Dresden, N.Y.; m. Lucy Mellon, b. 1872, d. 1964 at Dresden. She was the granddau. of Burr Benjamin.
1. Herman Benjamin.
2. H. Valentine Benjamin.

5686. Rose Cecil Benjamin; died one day old.

5687. Charles Oscar Benjamin b. 1871; d. 1899 at West Chazy, N.Y. by his own train.

5688. Rose Cecelia Benjamin b. & d. 1870.

5689. Sarah Elizabeth Benjamin b. 1872; d. 1948; m. Thomas Holleran of Saratoga, N.Y.

5690. Ella Almeda Benjamin b. 1873; d. 1928; unm.

5691. Jeanette F. Benjamin b. 1876; d. 1963; m. Charles C. McNall of Whitehall, N.Y.

5692. William Leonard Benjamin b. 1878; m. Pauline Rehm of Whitehall, N.Y.; a R.R. conductor.

5693. Clara M. Benjamin b. 1887; d. 1957; m. Arthur Kinney.

5694. Olin H. Benjamin; died as a young man.

Resources: Records of Mrs. W. A. Blackmore of Schenectady, N.Y.; Records from the Aiken Family Bible; Records of Mrs. Gordon McEachron of Argyle, N.Y.; p. 871 Desc. of Moses Cleveland, Edmund Cleveland, 1899; p. 288 Hist. of Washington Co, N.Y.

4014. NANCY E. BENJAMIN[8] (Elnathan[7], David[6], Elnathan[5], Sam.[4], John 3, Caleb[2], John[1]) born in 1836 at Dresden, Washington Co., New York; the dau. of Elnathan and Emily (Saundies) Benjamin. She married Michael Junkett, the son of Alvah and Sarah (Bartholomew) Junkett.

Children of Michael and Nancy (Benjamin) Junkett:

5695. Ellen S. Junkett.

5696. Elnathan Junkett.

5697. Alice E. Junkett; m. --- Parker.

5698. Elmer Junkett.

5699. Hattie Junkett.

Resource: p. 145-6 Bartholomew Gen., Bartholomew, 1885.

4015. PHINEAS S. BENJAMIN[8] (Elnathan[7], David[6], Elnathan[5], Sam.[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born September 14, 1838 at Dresden, Washington Co., New York; the son of Elnathan and Emily (Saundies) Benjamin; died June 25, 1916 at Whitehall, N.Y. at the age of 77-9-17 (gs) and is buried in the Sciota Cemetery at N. Whitehall. He m/1 Amy A. Junkett, who was born in 1840 in Washington Co., N.Y. and died March 20, 1872, age 32. She was the dau. of Alvah and Sarah (Bartholomew) Juncket. He m/2 Elizabeth Lydia Goodell, b. 1840 at Pittsfield, Vt. and died February 25, 1881, age 41. His two first wives are buried in the Sciota Cemetery. He m/3 Elizabeth Nichols, b. 1847, and d. Oct. 11, 1898, age 51, and she is buried in the Clemons Cemetery in Dresden, N.Y.

Children of Phineas and Amy (Junkett) Benjamin:

5700. Eva Benjamin b. 1860; m. --- Pratt.

5701. Elnathan (Nathaniel) Benjamin b. November 25, 1866; d. January 17, 1934 at Benson, Vt. (vr) and buried in the Clemons Cemetery at Dresden; m. Mabel Nancy White b. 1876 at West Haven, Vt. and d. 1960 (gs).
   1. Carl David Benjamin b. Jan. 13, 1905 at Ludlow, Vt.
   2. Arnold Elsworth Benjamin b. Nov. 9, 1908.

Children of Phineas and Elizabeth (Goodell) Benjamin:

5702. Fredrick Benjamin;d. April 17, 1899 (no age given) (gs) and buried in the Sciota Cemetery.

5703. Maude E. Benjamin b. March 8, 1875 at West Haven, Vermont (vr).

Resources: Vital Records of Vermont; Research of Mrs. Fred Stiles of Fort Ann, N.Y.

4026. WALTER BENJAMIN[8] (Joseph[7], Elnathan[6-5], Sam.[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born July 8, 1847 at Dresden, Washington Co., New York; the son of Joseph and Loretta (Brewster) Benjamin. He married Ida F. Morse of Bradford, N.H. on June 6, 1877 at Delmar, Iowa. She was the dau. of Amos Morse and was born March 16, 1852 at Bradford, N.H.

They resided at Indianola, Iowa.

Children of Walter and Ida (Morse) Benjamin:

5704. Orrin Amos Benjamin b. March 22, 1878 at Delmar.

5705. David Elnathan Benjamin b. May 18, 1879 at Delmar.

5706. Mary Loretta Benjamin b. December 24, 1880.

5707. Edith Belle Benjamin b. October 31, 1884 at Delmar.

5708. Clara Viola Benjamin b. June 3, 1888; d. August 1, 1888 at Delmar, Iowa.

Resource: p. 595 Brewster Gen., Emma Jones, 1907.

4027. ISAAC E. BENJAMIN[8] (Jos.[7], Elnathan[6-5], Sam.[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born February 10, 1850 at Dresden, Washington Co.,

New York; the son of Joseph and Loretta (Brewster) Benjamin. He married Lizzie Teeters on May 2, 1893 at Delmar, Iowa. She was the dau. of Jacob Teeters and was born Apr. 8, 1870 at Fulton, Iowa.

They resided at Maquokita, Iowa.

Children of Isaac and Lizzie (Teeters) Benjamin:
5709. Lee Earl Benjamin b. February 9, 1895 at Delmar.

Resource: p. 595 Brewster Gen., Emma Jones, 1907.

4039. JAMES K. BENJAMIN[8] (Burr[7], Walter[6], Elnathan[5], Sam.[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born December 3, 1844 at Dresden, Washington Co., New York; the son of Burr and Lucy (Jones) Benjamin; died in 1923. He married Olive Ann Beebe, the dau. of Joseph and Jane (Carter) Beebe. She was born in 1842 in New York.

He was a hotel keeper and station master and resided in Putnam Twp. His will is on file in Book 12 p. 571 of the Washington Co. Probate Records.

Children of James and Olive (Beebe) Benjamin:
5710. Stania Benjamin b. 1871 at Dresden, N.Y.
5711. Burr Benjamin b. May 1880 at Dresden, N.Y.; d. 1961 and buried in the Clemons Cemetery at Dresden; m. Elizabeth J. ---, b. 1891.

Resource: Research of Mrs. Fred Stiles of Ft. Ann, N.Y.

4045. EDWARD SMITH BENJAMIN[8] (Edward[7], Walter[6], Elnathan[5], Sam.[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born March 16, 1874 at Whitehall, Washington Co., New York; the son of Edward Smith and Amy (Reynolds Ray) Benjamin. He married Cora Effie Lownsbury on September 27, 1899 at Storm Lake, Iowa.

He was a Methodist minister and pastor of the church at Stratford, Iowa.

Children of Edward and Cora (Lownsbury) Benjamin:
5712. Merle Edward Benjamin b. June 25, 1901 at Vincent, Iowa.
5713. Lael Smith Benjamin b. 1906 in Iowa.

Resources: p. 595 Brewster Gen., Emma Jones, 1907; p. 440 John Reynolds of Watertown, Anna Lippier, 1924.

4063. HERBERT CLEVELAND BENJAMIN[8] (Julio[7], Duthan[6], Elnathan[5], Sam.[4] John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born December 3, 1873 at Whitehall, Washington Co., New York; the son of Julio B. and Alice (Grant) Benjamin; died December 5, 1948 at Williamston, North Carolina. He married August 20, 1896 Gertrude Elizabeth Murray. She was born February 2, 1880 at Rouses Point, New York and died October 1961 at Williamston, N.C.

Children of Herbert and Gertrude (Murray) Benjamin:
5714. Beatrice Alice Benjamin b. July 28, 1897; m. ---

Whitney.

5715. Gladys Elinor Benjamin b. January 12, 1901; d. Mar. 16, 1939.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Elizabeth Roberson of Williamston, North Carolina.

4085. CALEB MORTON BENJAMIN[8] (Caleb[7], Allen[6], Caleb[5-4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born October 19, 1841 at East Windsor, Conn.; the son of Caleb and Susan (Morton) Benjamin; died October 19, 1915 at E. Windsor. He married Lillian Amelia Vinton on December 24, 1875. She was the dau. of Chelsea C. and Fidelia (---) Vinton and was born March 10, 1853 and died February 26, 1929.

Children of Caleb and Lillian (Vinton) Benjamin:

5716. Caleb Vinton Benjamin b. February 8, 1891 at East Windsor, Conn.; m. October 16, 1912 Adelia Watson the dau. of Wesley and Mary (Maher) Watson. She was b. Jan. 16, 1891. He was a selectman in Wrapping, Conn. in 1915.
1. Doris Lillian Benjamin b. May 26, 1914.

Resource: William Morton of Windsor, Conn.

4097. BUZZELL B. (BENJAMIN B.) BENJAMIN[8] (Gideon[7-6-5-4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born May 22, 1825 at Marshfield, Vermont; the son of Gideon and Deborah (Buzzell) Benjamin; died September 14, 1894, age 69-3-23 at Plainfield, Vermont. (vr). He perhaps m/1 Catherine Shippee. He m/2 Emily (Emma) M. Clough on March 3, 1891 at Plainfield, Vt. (vr). She was the dau. of Henry H. and Phila (Woodworth) Clough and was born April 6, 1848 at Northfield, Vermont and died October 24, 1916 at Montpelier, Vermont (vr).

He was a farmer and was listed as Buzzell B. and Benjamin B. in various records.

Children of Buzzell and Catherine (Shippee) Benjamin:

5717. Ernest W. Benjamin b. 1859/60 in Wisconsin; m. November 13, 1881 Amanda A. Pike at Stamford, Vt. and resided in Colerain, Mass.

Children of Buzzell and Emily (Clough) Benjamin:

5718. Maude Benjamin b. May 17, 1891 at Plainfield, Vt. (vr).

Resources: Vermont Vital Records.

4103. JOSEPH N. (S.M.) BENJAMIN[8] (Gideon[7-6-5-4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born December 31, 1841 (1845) at Marshfield, Vt.; the son of Gideon and Deborah (Buzzell) Benjamin; died February 24, 1920 at Plainfield, Vermont (vr). He married Emogene (Emma) Jane Bancroft on November 30, 1867 at Marshfield, Vermont (vr). She was the dau. of Preston and

Nancy (Moody) Bancroft and was born January 9, 1849 at Marshfield, Vermont and died April 26, 1927, age 77-3-17 at Plainfield, Vermont (vr).

He was a farmer in Marshfield and owned the second farm above the King School on the Plainfield Road. He was listed in the 1880 census at Plainfield, Wash. Co., Vt.

Children of Joseph and Emma (Bancroft) Benjamin:

5719. George C. Benjamin b. 1869 at Marshfield, Vt.; m. May 6, 1891 Bertha M. Belles (Bolles), the dau. of George and Mary (Foster) Belles at Plainfield, Vt. (vr).
   1. John Benjamin; m. Gertrude House; resided at Vergennes, Vt. and had children: Marion; Don; and James Benjamin.
   2. Hazel Benjamin; m/1 Arthur Smith; m/2 Napoleon Baker.

5720. Abbie M. Benjamin b. April 17, 1870 at Marshfield, Vt. (vr); m. January 25, 1888 C. Jerome Bailaw (Barlow), the son of Simon and Mary (King)Bailaw.

5721. male b. December 29, 1873 at Plainfield, Vt. (vr).

5722. Julia Benjamin b. 1873/4; m. December 28, 1892 Burt H. Townsend at Marshfield, Vt. (vr).

5723. Elmer Dean Benjamin b. January 27, 1879 at Plainfield, Vt. (vr); m. February 21, 1904 Cora M. Goodale at Marshfield, Vt. (vr).
   1. Doris Benjamin; m. John Stillwell and resided at Bradford, Vt.
   2. Lawrnece Joseph Benjamin b. 1908 at Bradford, Vt.; m. 1931 Catherine M. Blake in N.H.

5724. Katie Eveline Benjamin b. June 2, 1889 at Plainfield Vt. (vr); d. June 11, 1903 at Plainfield (vr).

Resources: Vermont Vital Records; p. 110 Hist. of Marshfield, Vt., Pitkin.

4105. SAMUEL W. BENJAMIN[8] (Will.[7], Elisha[6-5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb 2, John[1]) born March 7, 1816 at Woodbury, Vermont (vr); the son of William Abner and Sally (Whiting) Benjamin; died April 13, 1892, age 76-1-6 at Woodbury, Vermont (vr). He married Maria S. Foster on March 26, 1845 at Colais, Vermont (vr), the dau. of Deacon George W. and Polly (Kelton) Foster. She was born February 17, 1824/5 and d. August 25, 1894, age 69-6-15 at Woodbury, Vermont (vr).

He was a farmer in Woodbury, Vermont and held most of the offices in the town.

Children of Samuel and Maria (Foster) Benjamin:

5725. Henry (Hervey) Samuel Benjamin b. April 30, 1848 at Calis, Vt.; m. March 3, 1872 Florence Wells Fuller, dau. of Burt and Emily (Wells) Fuller at Woodbury, Vt. (vr). She was born June 8, 1850 at Woodbury and died April 24, 1908 at Woodbury.
   1. Burt H. Benjamin b. February 5, 1875; m. Dec.

12, 1899 Mary L. Sabin at Woodbury, Vt.

2. Herbert Benjamin b. Feb. 5, 1876.
3. Ettie May Benjamin b. Nov. 24, 1878 at Woodbury; m. Oct. 23, 1896 Ernest F. Doty.

5726. Albert H. Benjamin b. 1848/9; m. May 8, 1871 to Esther Ann Moore at Brattleboro, Vt. (vr). He resided at Springfield, Mass.

5727. Ernest C. Benjamin b. 1851/2; m. Lettie Tyron who was b. in N.Y. He was a merchant in New York City and operated Tyron's Fifth Avenue Market.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Vermont Vital Records; p. 598 Foster Gen., Fredrick Pierce, 1899.

4108. JOSEPH BENJAMIN[8] (Will.[7], Elisha[6-5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born January 28, 1826 at Woodbury, Vermont (vr); the son of William Abner and Sally (Whiting) Benjamin; died January 8, 1895, age 68-11-10, at Woodbury, Vermont (vr). He married Harriet Kelton Foster on November 14, 1850 at Calais, Vermont (vr). She was the dau. of George Washington and Polly (Kelton) Foster and was born September 1, 1823 at Calais, Vermont and died September 1, 1907 age 84 yrs. 10 days. at Calais, Vermont (vr).

He settled on the homestead with his parents. He served Woodbury, Vt. as Selectman and lister for 5 years. He was also an auditor, grand juror, and representative in the legislature in 1884.

Children of Joseph and Harriet (Foster) Benjamin:

5728. Laverne (Lawrence) J. Benjamin b. January 19, 1852 at Woodbury, Vt.; d. December 16, 1931 at Woodbury; (vr); m/1 April 9, 1878 Nydia C. Wheeler, the dau. of Nathan and Joanna (Blake) Wheeler. She d. Jan. 23, 1896 at Woodbury, age 39 (vr). He m/2 August 8, 1900 Kate Alice Martin, the dau. of Willard and Fanny Louise (---) Martin. She was b. at Plainfield, Vt. c. 1861 and died August 27, 1901, age 39-1-17 Yrs. (vr). He m/3 August 26, 1906 Belle Heath.

1. Arthur L. Benjamin b. Jan. 2, 1885 at Waterbury, Vt.; m. Nov. 18, 1908 Maud L. Thurston at Woodbury, Vt. (vr).
2. Gerald Wade Benjamin b. Mar. 15, 1887 at Wood bury.
3. Grace I. Benjamin b. Feb. 14, 1880 at Woodbury, Vt..; m. May 1, 1899 Harry E. Burnham at Woodbury, Vt.

5729. Alton Monroe Benjamin b. March 16, 1854; m. March 16, 1877 Cora E. Lyford, b. 1849, the dau. of Andrew and Emily (---) Lyford at Woodbury, Vt.(vr

Resources: Vermont Vital Records; p. 598 Foster Gen., Fred rick C. Pierce, 1899.

4110. THOMAS W. BENJAMIN[8] (Will.[7], Elisha[6-5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb 2, John[1]) born August 25, 1829 at Woodbury, Vermont (vr); the son of William Abner and Sarah (Whiting) Benjamin; died November 24, 1883, age 54-3-1, at Hardwick, Vermont. (vr). He married Maria T. Kinnston (Kenaston) of Woodbury, the dau. of John and M. (Ainsworth) Kinnston. She was born in 1842 at Cabot, Vt. and died May 17, 1916 at Woodbury, Vt., age 73-3-8. (vr).

He was a farmer.

Children of Thomas and Maria (Kinnston) Benjamin:

5730. Lena Benjamin; m. September 21, 1876 George W. Trow (Snow?) at Woodbury, Vt. (vr).

5731. Edith M. Benjamin b. 1855 at Woodbury; m. October 27, 1886 Emerson Brush at Hardwick, Vt. (vr).

5732. Gertrude M. Benjamin b. April 16, 1857 at Woodbury, Vt.; m. October 17, 1876 John C. Bishop at Hardwick, Vt. (vr). He was the son of Ira and Caroline (Elmore) Bishop. She d. 1925 at Hardwick, Vt

5732. Lewis (Leon) A. Benjamin b. November 20, 1859 at Woodbury, Vt. (vr); m. November 29, 1882 Lilla E. Leckner at Hardwick, Vt. (vr). She was the dau. of Fredrick and Eva Margaret (---) Leckner and was born in 1860 at Colchester, Vt. and died Oct. 9, 1911, age 50-11-9, at Hardwick, Vt. (vr).

1. Evelyn Glee Benjamin b. Dec. 11, 1885 at Hard wick, Vt.; m. Nov. 7, 1906 Merton Herbert Warren at Hardwick, Vt. (vr).
2. Glen Thomas Benjamin b. Jan. 31, 1889 at Hard wick, Vt. (vr).
3. Esther Benjamin b. Jan. 26, 1896 at Hardwick.

Resources: Vital Records of Vermont; Records of Ira E. Bishop of Homeville, Illinois.

4118. HORACE RUSSELL BENJAMIN[8] (Jacob[7], David[6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born June 1, 1822 at Cuyahoga Co., Ohio; the son of Jacob Russell Benjamin; died December 14, 1853 at DeKalb Co., Indiana and buried in the Alton Cemetery in Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind. He married Philena Mahala Gee (or McGee) on August 12, 1845 in DeKalb Co., Ind. (vr). She was the dau. of Samuel G. and Hannah (Hoyt) Gee and was born January 26, 1831 in St. Joseph, Indiana and died January 29, 1894 at East Orwell, Ohio. She m/2 David Eli Benjamin in 1857, the son of Elisha[7]. (See #4149.) She m/3 Asa Hall, and m/4 William Maxwell. Her first three husbands share a common headstone.

Children of Horace and Philena (Gee) Benjamin:

5733. Almeron Parmenas Benjamin b. September 29, 1848 at DeKalb Co., Ind. (Newville); died August 17, 1893 at Newville, DeKalb Co., Ind.; m. November 30, 1873 Ida Alice Thompson, the dau. of Joel Edwin and Maria Jane (McBride) Thompson. She was born

March 5, 1856 in DeKalb Co., Ind. and died April 18, 1935.

1. Orley Sylvanus Benjamin b. January 21, 1875 at DeKalb Co., Ind.; d. Sept. 3, 1957; m/1 Addie Bruner b. Elon, Ohio; m/2 Edna Beal b. Kokomo, Ind.; m/3 Inez Hendricks.
2. Clayton Spencer Benjamin b. Sept. 4, 1876; d. May 9, 1954; m. Mary Etta Crise, b. April 18, 1876 at Steuben Co., Ind.
3. Marion J. Benjamin b. May 7, 1879; m. Bessie Brand.
4. Jennie Mahala Benjamin b.Jan. 26, 1881; d. June 4, 1951; m. Edwin T. Bard.
5. Irma Lillian Benjamin b. August 10, 1883; d. June 21, 1964; m. Carey A. Treesh.
6. Glen Dale Benjamin b. April 8, 1885; d. Aug. 17, 1888.
7. Joel Russell Benjamin b. May 4, 1890; d. Dec. 22, 1951; m/1 Sarah Barden; m/2 Dorothy Pray.
8. Mary Maria Benjamin b. May 10, 1892; d. Feb. 2, 1954; m/1 c. 1914 Ray Stromm; m/2 1916 Charles Reinoehl.
9. Austin P. Benjamin b. at DeKalb Co., Ind. April 6, 1894; d. November 25, 1967; m. 1919 Ada Esta Blair.

5734. Augusta Benjamin; died about 1912; m. Sereno Wolcott and had one child: Jerome Wolcott.

Resources: Vol. 2, and Vol. 11, #4, 1971 Hoosier Gen.; Records of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, Conn.; Records of Austin P. Benjamin of Bangor, Mich. courtsey of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

4128. ALFRED H. BENJAMIN[8] (Jacob[7], David[6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1848 in Cuyahoga Co., Ohio; the son of Jacob Russell Benjamin. He married Esther ---.

He is listed in the 1880 census of LaGrange Twp., Monroe Co., Wisconsin.

Children of Alfrd and Esther (---) Benjamin:

5735. Mary Benjamin bc. 1868.
5736. Arthur Benjamin bc. 1875.
5737. Alberta Benjamin bc. 1867.

Resources: Records of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, Ind.

4144. ROXANNA BENJAMIN[8] (David[7-6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born September 20, 1830 at Bedford, Ohio; the dau. of David and Emily (Goodale) Benjamin; died February 10, 1893 at Whitney, Dawes Co., Nebraska. She is buried in Metz, Indiana. She married Elmus Barron on December 17, 1845 at Metz, Indiana, the son of DeLafayette and Arvilla

(Bradford) Barron. He was born Feburary 14, 1823 at Littletown, New Hampshire and died January 25, 1899 at Metz, Indiana.

Elmus resided on the home farm at Metz for many years. He was always a farmer, but he was also a gunsmith; an expert rifle shot; and a 'fiddler' of no mean ability. He used to play at big balls held on holidays at the Sargent Hotel in Metz. He inherited from his forefathers a taste for exploration and adventure. During his lifetime he made several trips to the west and northwest, one time going as far as Pike's Peak, which he claimed that he and his companions climbed. In 1886 they followed their son Fayette to Dawes Co., Nebraska, and again took up the pioneer life, where Roxanna died of pneumonia. Elmus and his youngest son, Ashley, returned to Indiana in the fall of 1893.

Children of Elmus and Roxanna (Benjamin) Barron:

5738. Menzo Barron b. 1847 at Metz, Ind.; d. 1848.
5739. Lucian Barron b. 1851; d. 1851.
5740. Alcinus Barron b. 1852 at Angola, Ind.; d. 1920; m. Annetta Dalley.
5741. Fayette Barron b. 1854 at Metz, Ind.; d. 1945; m. Kesiah ---.
5742. Edme Barron b. 1856; d. 1856.
5743. Evalyn Barron b. 1860; d. 1940; m. John B. Allman.
5744. David V. Barron b. 1862; d. 1862.
5745. Charles Barron b. 1865; d. 1865.
5746. Emily Barron b. 1872; d. 1872.
5747. Ashley E. Barron b. 1875 at Iola, Kansas; d. 1914; m. Rhoda Stephenson.

Resource: Records of Mrs. Carolyn (Hills) Kaninski of Jackson, Michigan.

4149. DAVID ELI BENJAMIN[8] (Elisha[7], David[6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3] Caleb[2], John[1]) born April 25, 1831 in Ohio; the son of Elisha and Emily (Murray) Benjamin; died July 13, 1860 in DeKalb Co., Indiana. He married March 7, 1857 at DeKalb Co., Ind. (vr) Philena Mahala(Gee) Benjamin, the widow of Horace Russell Benjamin (see #4118) and the dau. of Samuel G. and Hannah (Hoyt) Gee. She was born January 26, 1831 at St. Joe, Indiana and died January 29, 1894 at East Orwell, Ohio. She m/3 Asa Hall on August 15, 1862 and m/4 August 2, 1877 to William Maxwell. Her first three husbands share a common headstone in the Alton Cemetery in Concord Twp., DeKalb Co., Ind.

Children of David and Philena (Gee Benjamin) Benjamin:

5748. Jerome Clark Benjamin b. December 26, 1857 at DeKalb Co., Ind.; d. March 28, 1937 at Youngstown, Ohio. He m/1 August 7, 1883 at DeKalb, Ind. to Electy Ann Abel, the dau. of George D. and Sally A. (Milliman) Abel. She was born May 15, 1863 in

New York and died February 28, 1889 in DeKalb Co. Ind. He m/2 Mary Adella Trowbridge on May 4/5, 1891, the dau. of William Chester and Amanda Barnes (Waldron) Trowbridge. She was born August 12, 1865 in Delta, Ohio and died May 20, 1959 at Youngstown, Ohio. Res.: Rock Creek, Cay. Co., O.

1. Charles O. Benjamin b. Aug. 16, 1888; d. Feb. 2, 1934; m. 1908 Jessie M. Wade.
2. Ora S. Benjamin b. Feb. 27, 1892; d. March 29 1972; m. Viola ---.
3. Grant A. Benjamin b. Sept. 19, 1894; m/1 1917 Clara Clapp; m/2 Alma ---.
4. Florence H. Benjamin b. July 10, 1897; d. 1969; m/1 Raymond McKendrick; m/2 Francis Watters.
5. Dean A. Benjamin b. Dec. 16, 1899; m/1 ?; m/2 Mabel ---.
6. Lelan L. Benjamin b. Sept. 2, 1902; m. Phynie ---.
7. Leola L. Benjamin b. Oct. 5, 1905; m. Robert Rosser.

Resources: p. 622 Trowbridge Gen., Francis Trowbridge,1908 Records of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, Ind.

4170. JAMES BENJAMIN[8] (Geo.[7], Guy[6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2] John[1]) born January 26, 1833 in Ohio; the son of George and Lavinia (VanHorn) Benjamin; died August 2, 1889. He married Julia A. Powers on September 20, 1855 in Morgan Co., Ohio. (vr). She was born about 1838 in Ohio.

He was a cooper at the age of 17. He served in Co. B 161st Ohio Volunteers and enlisted from Morgan Co. May 2, 1864(9). His wife applied for a Pension, stating that James had died and her postoffice address was Pennsville, Penn Twp., Morgan Co. Among her papers were her marriage certificate and birth certificate for 2 dependant children

He is listed in the 1860 and 1880 census for Penn Twp. Morgan Co., Ohio.

Children of James and Julia (Powers) Benjamin:

5749. John O./E. Benjamin b. 1858/9 at Morgan Co., Ohio.
5750. Sidney N./A. Benjamin b. 1862.
5751. Anne O./E. Benjamin b. 1868.
5752. Charles Benjamin b. August 10, 1870.
5753. George Benjamin b. 1873.
5754. James Clyde Benjamin b. August 12, 1876.
5755. Lettie M. Benjamin b. August 22, 1879 at Morgan Co. Ohio.

Resources: Research of Mrs. James Benjamin of Regina, Sask. Canada; Research of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, Ind.

4171. ALFRED M. BENJAMIN[8] (Geo.[7], Guy[6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3],

Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1835 in Ohio; the son of George and Lavinia (VanHorn) Benjamin. He married Eliza A. --- who was born about 1835 in Ohio.

Children of Alfred and Eliza (---) Benjamin:
5756. Wesley A. Benjamin bc. 1868 in Ohio.
5757. Charles W. Benjamin bc. 1872 in Ohio.

Resource: Research of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, In

4173. LEVI BENJAMIN[8] (Geo.[7], Guy[6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1842 at Watertown, Ohio; the son of George and Levinia (VanHorn) Benjamin. He is buried in the Malta, Ohio Cemetery. He m/1 Mary E. ---, who was born about 1843 in Ohio and died in 1817. He m/2 Lucy Atwood.

Children of Levi and Mary E. (---) Benjamin:
5758. Clara Benjamin bc. 1865 in Ohio.
5759. Emmett Benjamin b. 1868.
5760. Ella Benjamib bc. 1872.
5761. Fred Benjamin bc. 1874.
5762. Arthur Benjamin bc. 1875 in Ohio.

Resources: Research of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, Indiana.

4174. WILLIAM V. BENJAMIN[8] (Geo.[7], Guy[6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1843 in Ohio; the son of George and Lavinia (VanHorn) Benjamin. He married Elizabeth ---, who was born about 1840 in Ohio.

Children of William V. and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin:
5763. Elmer Benjamin bc. 1864 in Ohio.
5764. Brettie Benjamin bc. 1867.
5765. Carrie Benjamin bc.1870.
5766. James V. Benjamin bc. 1873.
5767. Blanche Benjamin bc. 1875.
5768. Harry H. Benjamin bc. 1870 in Ohio.

Resource: Research of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, In.

4175. JOHN W. BENJAMIN[8] (Geo.[7], Guy[6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1849 in Ohio; the son of George and Lavinia (VanHorn) Benjamin. He married Margaret ---, who was born about 1850 in Ohio.

Children of John and Margaret (---) Benjamin:
5769. Esther Benjamin bc. 1867 in Ohio.
5770. Mary Benjamin bc. 1873.
5771. Mertie Benjamin bc. 1878.
5772. Nancy Benjamin bc. 1879/80 in Ohio.

Resource: Research of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, In

4176. WILLIAM H. BENJAMIN[8] (Horace[7], Guy[6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3] Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1836 in Ohio; the son of Horace L. Benjamin. He married Sarah J. ---, who was born about 1841 in Ohio.

Children of William and Sarah (---) Benjamin:
5773. Wilfred Benjamin bc. 1863 in Ohio.
5774. Franklin Benjamin bc. 1867.
5775. Albert Benjamin bc. 1871.
5776. Montford Benjamin bc. 1877.
5777. Cora Benjamin bc. 1879 in Ohio.

Resource: Research of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, Indiana.

4178. HARMON S./O. BENJAMIN[8] (Horace[7], Guy[6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3] Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1841 in Ohio; the son of Horace L. Benjamin. He married Charlotte ---, who was born about 1844 in Ohio.

In 1880 he resided in Ottawa Co., Concord Twp., Kansas

Children of Harmon and Charlotte (---) Benjamin:
5778. Charles Benjamin bc. 1867 in Ohio.
5779. Joanna Benjamin bc. 1877 in Kansas.

Resource: Research of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, In

4180. JAMES L. "Lum" BENJAMIN[8] (Horace[7], Guy[6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born October 8, 1845 in Malta, Morgan Co., Ohio; the son of Horace L. Benjamin. He died March 1938. He married Rebecca McDaniel who was born about 1845 in Ohio and died April 20, 1917.

He was a Civil War veteran.

Children of James and Rebecca (McDaniel) Benjamin:
5780. Clara E. Benjamin bc. 1868 in Ohio.
5781. Sarah E. Benjamin bc. 1870.
5782. Lottie Benjamin bc. 1874.
5783. James Edward Benjamin bc. 1872; m. Cora Brooks.
1. Evelyn Benjamin; m. Emmett Hughes.
2. Carl Benjamin.
3. Ernest Benjamin; m. Sylvia ---.
4. Dorothy Benjamin; m. Harold ---.

Resources: Research of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, Ind. and Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

4181. WINCHESTER/CHESTER BENJAMIN[8], (Horance[7], Guy[6], Elisha[5], Gideon[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born about 1849 in Ohio; the son of Horace L. Benjamin. He married Mary ---, who was born about 1851 in Ohio.

Children of Winchester and Mary (---) Benjamin:
5784. Bessie Benjamin bc. 1876 in Ohio.

Resource: Research of Charles E. Benjamin of New Haven, In

4194. WILLIAM C. BENJAMIN[8] (Wooster[7], David[6], Sam.[5], David[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born in 1830, probably in Cherry Valley, Ohio; the son of Wooster B. and Loretta (Johnson) Benjamin; died in 1888. He married Fidelia H. Brayman, who was born in 1846 and died in 1927.

Children of William C. and Fidelia (Brayman) Benjamin:
5785. Edwin H. Benjamin b. 1864; m. Nettie McNulty.
5786. Ray Benjamin b. 1874; d. 1949; m. Elnora Marcy.
5787. Alma Benjamin; m. James Mallory.

Resource: Records of Ronald K. Branch of Rutherford, N.J.

4196. WOOSTER BENJAMIN[8] (Wooster[7], David[6], Sam.[5], David[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born in 1836 in Cherry Valley, Ohio; the son of Wooster B. and Loretta (Johnson) Benjamin. He married Helen L. Snow, who was born about 1842/3.

Children of Wooster and Helen (Snow) Benjamin:
5788. Arthur Benjamin b. 1836; m. Sarah Miller.
5789. Bernard R. Benjamin b. 1873; unm.

Resource: Records of Ronald K. Branch of Rutherford, N.J.

4197. DAVID POMEROY BENJAMIN[8] (Sela[7], David[6], Sam.[5], David[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born in 1828 at Brockton, Mass.; the son of Sela M. and Olive (Pomeroy) Benjamin; died in 1914 and is buried in the Webster Street Cemetery of Fredonia, New York. He married Harriet J. Clark, who was born in 1832 and died in 1912.

Children of David and Harriet (Clark) Benjamin:
5790. Alice E. Benjamin b. 1853; d. 1939; m. Samuel G. Cato, b. 1852, d. 1912; no issue.
5791. Sela L. Benjamin b. 1856; d. 1938; m. Mary A. Montfort, b. 1858, d. 1919.
5792. Milton D. Benjamin b. 1859; d. 1893 at Portland, N. York; m. Hattie L. ---, b. 1862, d. 1910.
5793. Harriet Benjamin b. 1864; d. 1945 at Long Beach, Calif.; m. John Sparks (Sparken); no issue.

Resources: Records of Ronald K. Branch of Rutherford, N.J. Records of Dr. Maxine May Benjamin of Colorado, courtsey of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

4204. RICE E. BENJAMIN[8] (Horatio[7], David[6], Sam.[5], David[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born in 1838 in Ohio; the son of Nelson H. (or Horatio N.) and Fannie (Johnson) Benjamin; died April 26, 1895. He married Louise Netteton in 1865. He m/2 in 1880 the Widow King.

He resided at Kingsville and Geneva, Ashtabula Co., Ohio.

Children of Rice and Louise (Netteton) Benjamin:

5794. Allen N. Benjamin b. 1866; d. 1919; resided in N. Madison, Lake Co., Ohio.

5795. Fannie Benjamin b. 1869; d. 1925; m. --- Stocking; resided in Geneva, Ohio.

Resource: Records of Ronald K. Branch of Rutherford, N.J.

4205. SARAH L. BENJAMIN[8] (Horatio[7], David[6], Sam.[5], David[4], John[3], Caleb[2], John[1]) born in 1840 in Ohio; the dau. of Horatio N. and Fannie (Johnson) Benjamin; died in 1914. She married, as his 2nd wife, Miles C. Ransom on April 23, 1862. He was born Oct. 8, 1830 at Conneaut, Ohio and died inMay 1893 at Geneva, Ohio. He m/1 Rachel Vosler.

They lived at Kingsville and Geneva, Ohio.

Children of Miles and Sarah (Benjamin) Ransom:

5796. Wirt Ransom b. 1863; d. 1865.

5797. Carley (Carl) Ransom b. 1864; d. 1890.

5798. Burton Ransom b. 1867; d. 1871.

5799. DeEtte Ransom b. 1869; d. 1930 at Garfield Heights, Ohio; m. twice.

5800. Benjamin Ransom b. 1873; d. 1940.

Resource: Records of Ronald K. Branch of Rutherford, N.J.

4208. FLORA LOUISA BENJAMIN[8] (Horatio[7], David[6], Sam.[5], David[4], John Caleb[2], John[1]) born December 6, 1865 at Ohio; the dau. of Horatio N. and Fannie (Johnson) Benjamin; died August 11, 1932. She married Clayton T. McGoun in 1875. He was born in 1852 and died in 1905.

They lived at Kingsville, Ohio.

Children of Clayton and Flora (Benjamin) McGoun:

5801. Robert A. McGoun b. 1878; d. 1959 at Kingsville.

5802. William B. McGoun b. 1880; d. 1959 at Port Angles, Washington.

5803. Fannie E. McGoun b. 1881; d. 1922 at Kingville, Oh. m. Amos L. McNutt. They had a dau. Virginia McNutt b. 1909, m. Homer C. Branch. Their son was the collector of this data.

5804. Clayton T. McGoun b. 1883; d. 1947 at Cleveland, O.

5805. Maude A. McGoun b. 1884; d. 1886.

5806. Nelson L. McGoun b. 1886; d. 1958 at Vancouver, Was.

5807. Flora McGoun b. 1888; m. --- McFarland; resided at Kingsville, Ohio.

5808. S. Ella McGoun b. 1893; m. --- Siegal; resided at San Francisco, Calif.

5809. Mary Jane McGoun b. 1894; m. --- Fox; resided at Cleveland Heights, Ohio.

5810. Benjamin McGoun b. 1898; d. 1949 at Willoughby, Oh.

Resource: Records of Ronald K. Branch of Rutherford, N.J.

4216. ALFRED JUDSON BENJAMIN[8] (Stephen[7], David[6-5], John[4], Joshua[3], Abel[2], John[1]) born February 7, 1851 at Exeter, Rhode Island; the son of Stephen and Mary (Lawton) Benjamin; died February 14, 1929. He m/1 Emma Waterman Holden on December 10, 1891 at E. Greenwich, R.I. (vr), the dau. of Henry J. and Mary E. (Budlong) Holden. She was born about 1857 at Warwick, R.I. and died November 10, 1903, age 45-0-19.

In 1892 Charles E. Spencer sold him land and dwelling in E. Greenwich, R.I. and in 1926 he sold the same property to Warren B. Finn.

Children of Alfred and Emma (Holden) Benjamin:

5811. Henry Judson Benjamin b. September 23, 1892; d. December 2, 1936; m. August 11, 1928 Alice L. Chase, dau. of Eugene F. and Hattie L. (Whitford) Chase.

5812. Pearl Louise Benjamin b. January 10, 1897; m. April 30, 1923 Earl S. Johnson, son of Elmon A. and Sarah E. (Wood) Johnson.

5813. Alfred Gould Benjamin b. April 28, 1894; m. August 11, 1927 Gertrude L. Mitchell.

1. Alfred G. Benjamin Jr. b. June 2, 1929.
2. Mary Louise Benjamin b. Dec. 3, 1930.
3. Eugene Lindsay Benjamin b. Oct. 26, 1932.

Resource: Microfilm records from Library of Latter Day Saints in Salt Lake, Utah.

Chapter 10

GENERATION I - RICHARD LINE

Richard Benjamin[1] came to America on the Ship Lion (Lyon) on September 16, 1632 and entered at the Port of Boston. On this same ship were John Benjamin[1] and his wife Abigail (Eddye) Benjamin, and four small children. Richard, though about the same age as John's eldest son, was entered on the passenger list as a separate individual and was listed as having come from Heathfield, Sussex County, England. John Benjamin was listed from that same area, also. Richard took the Oath of Allegiance to King Charles on June 2, 1632 before leaving England.

It would be well to note that John's children were not listed separately in the passenger list nor is there any indication that they took the Oath of Allegiance. Richard, though a minor, was treated on all the listings as a "head of household".

The relationship between John and Richard has not been established. Some genealogists have called them father and son, while others have called them brothers. Neither seems very correct IF the usual birth dates are correct! Richard was not included in John's will, nor has the name of Richard been used by the John line during the early generations. The only names that seem to be used in common by both lines were the names of John and Joseph--both very common names at that time.

Nearly a generation separates them in age, which tends to disqualify the brother relationship, although John could have been the eldest son of a large family, with Richard the youngest, which might explain a generation span between their ages. Recently discovered Chalvington Parish Records give baptism records for both a John and Richard Benjamin and John Benjamin is named father for both. However, there are no indications as to whether this John Benjamin is the same individual in both cases. However, thesebaptism records do indicate that Richard was baptised in 1602, nearly 20 years earlier than most records have him born. This record would have him only 17 years younger than John and hence not a minor at the time of his departure from England, which tends to be a better explanation of existing facts than a birth in 1621!

Needless to say, there must have been some relationship. They made a very dangerous voyage together and John seems to have taken Richard under his wing, for Richard seems to have spent his early years in the same areas that John lived in, namely Newtowne (now Cambridge) and Watertown, Mass.

Richard was named a propritor of Watertown, Mass in 1642. This is about three years before John Benjamin died in Watertown and about the time Richard came into his majority. (Note: If the Chalvington Parish Records are correct, then he would be about 40 years of age.)

There is very little recorded about Richard Benjamin in the

Watertown records. Apparently he married while still there, as the birth of a daughter is recorded there.

About 1645 he and his family moved to Southold, Long Island, New York, where he resided until his death. In 1662 he signed the appointment of Capt. Youngs for the Hartford Colony under the Charter. At that time, Southold, L.I. was a part of the Hartford, Conn. Colony and was included in it's charter.

Ann Eddye, a sister of John Benjamin's wife, Abigail Eddye, married Barnabas Wines. Barnabas was a Freeman in 1635 at Watertown, Mass. and moved to Southold about 1642 and was admitted a Freeman there in 1662. Ann (Eddye) Wines is the "Aunt Wines" mentioned in the will of John Benjamin's daughter, Mary Benjamin. The move of the Wines family to Southold may have been one of the reasons that prompted Richard to move to Long Island.

In 1656 Mr. Benjamin of Southold hired 2 cows from Mr. Frost, who lived in the town and had died. Frost gave his estate to John Conklin Sr. of Southold, who now required the 2 cows from Mr. Benjamin, who refused to give them without an order from the New Haven Court. The Court in New Haven ordered Mr. Benjamin to deliver the animals to Mr. Frost, who was also required to present affadavits showing and proving his ownership of the animals. This account is taken from The Records of the Colony and Plantation of New Haven 1638-48 by Hoadley. (It seems the court required the impossible of Mr. Frost, but perhaps the records were confused!)

Richard applied to the General Court of Conn., along with Jeffery Jones and others, to be made a Freeman under Conn. in May of 1664, and he was accepted that same month.

In 1666 he was united in deed to J. Youngs for Plumb Island, off the coast of Long Island. In May 1666 "Richard Benjamin makes over all meadows lying and being at Weading Creek, called by the Indians Pauquaconsick, to John Youngs". In 1673 there was a deed by him and his son, Simeon Benjamin, to Thomas Trusten for meadow land in Cutchogue.

In 1676 Richard was assessed for 2 men, 39 acres, 26 cattle, and 7 horses. In 1675 Richard had 44 lots at Cutchogue (about 120 acres) and was among the taxpayers listed and was assessed at the amount of 247 pounds.

From the Southold Town Records..."Dec. 1652: Richard Benjamin his house lott conteyning ffower acres more or lesse; the now inhabitation of Mr. John Herbert on the East and Annamias Conkelyn on the West". His house stood nearly opposit the house of Barnabas Horton and that site has been occupied by Richard Carpenter, Richard Sturges, and Nathaniel Hubbard Cleveland in more recent days. Benjamin Lane formed his western boundry. He lived on the south side of the street, immediately west of the church lot and burying ground.

On June 9, 1674 Deacon Barnabas Wines and Richard Benjamin are freed from military training..."Watching and Warding". Both these persons may have been freed on account of their office, as well as age, for in the same year that the second pastor was settled, the people in the Town Meeting appointed a gravedigger and church sexton. They elected Richard Benjamin, who's home was immediately west of the church and cemetery. He was authorized to receive 18

pence for the grave of each adult and 12 pence for each child. He was called 'general factotum' of the first settlement of Southold, Long Island. (Note: If the earlier birth date for Richard is correct, this record may well apply to his son.)

Very little material has been written or collected about the Richard Benjamin line. The only genealogy published on this line is one on the Simeon Benjamin family, who was the founder of Elmira College. Your compilier has attempted to place the people in the correct families. In several instances, this has been done, seemingly against past tradition. In those instances, reasons will be given for the placement. It would seem that some mistakes have been made, and then perpetuated. Much, much more work needs to be done on this line, but hopefully this is a start for future genealogists.

1. RICHARD BENJAMIN[1] was born about 1621 in England and resided in the Heathfield, Sussex County area before coming to America in 1632. (Note: Chalvington Parish Records show a Richard Benjamin, son of John Benjamin, bapt. July 16, 1602. See page viii. This date would make him only 17 years younger than John[1] Benjamin and is more acceptable to existing facts.) He died in Southold, Long Island, New York in 1681. He married Anna --- about 1642 in Watertown, Mass. Her birth and parentage are unknown. She died in Southold, L.I. in 1681.

Children of Richard and Anna (---) Benjamin:

2. Anne (Anna) Benjamin b. September 1/7, 1643 in Watertown, Mass. (vr). Nothing further is known about her.

*3. Richard Benjamin Jr. b. January 1645 at Watertown.

*4. Simeon Benjamin bc. 1648 at either Watertown or Southold.

*5. Percilla/Priscilla Benjamin bc. 1653 at Southold, L.I.

Resources: Savage's Gen. Dictioary of N.E. Settlers; Simeon Benjamin, Founder of Elmira College, McDowell; Gen. of the Puritans of Conn., Hinman, 1852; p. 171 Topographical Dict. of England and N.E. 1620-1650, Charles Banks; Grafton Magazine of Hist. and Gen., Vol. II, 1900-10; N.E. Gen. and Hist. Register Vol. 7 p. 283; Whiteaker's Hist. of Southold p. 131 and p. 167, Case; Personal Index prior to 1698 of Town of Southold, Charles Moore; Wilson Papers found in the Rare Book Room of the Library of Congress in Washington, D.C.; Salmon Records; Records of Charles Benjamin of Elmira, N.Y.; Chalvington Parish Records courtsey of Mr. Burnell E. Staffin of Buffalo, N.Y.

Chapter 11

GENERATION II - RICHARD LINE

3. RICHARD BENJAMIN JR.[2] (Richard[1]) born January 1645 at Watertown, Mass.; the son of Richard and Anna (---) Benjamin; died September 29, 1730, at the age of 85, at Cutchogue, Long Island, New York. He married Elizabeth (Eliza) ---, who died February 9, 1707/8 at Southold, L.I., N.Y. He may have married again, either to an Anne --- or Mary ---, though this is very doubtful.

There have been some records that indicated that Elizabeth was a Terry. If this was true, she would have been born in 1655. However, again there is no proof for this statement.

In the list of taxpayers in 1675 there is only one Richard Benjamin listed, so Richard Jr. was probably still living with his father or at least living on his land. In 1683 Richard is listed on the tax rolls and was assessed 133 pounds.

In the 1686 census he is listed with 5 males and 4 females in his family.

Richard and Simeon's farms bordered each other, with Simeon's the next farm west of Richard's. Richard was a farmer at Cutchogue (Corchang), Long Island. One record stated that he later went to one of his father's "occabank" allotments at Northville, where his descendants still reside.

On May 10, 1680 he was a witness to a will made by Barnabas Horton of Southold, L.I.

It seems, from the records, that Elizabeth may have died in childbirth. A son, James, died two months after his mother.

Children of Richard and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin:

*6. Richard Benjamin b. June 16, 1681 (another date listed was 1673--which seems just a little too early) at Southold, L.I.
7. Anna Benjamin b. 1683; d. November 23, 1724, age 41, unmarried; at Southold.
*8. John Benjamin b. 1684 at Southold, L.I.
*9. David Benjamin bc. 1687 at Southold, L.I.
10. Joshua Benjamin b. before 1686 (listed in the 1868 census) at Southold. There was a Joshua Benjamin who d. November 19, 1773 in New York City.
*11. Bethia Benjamin b. 1685 or 1688 at Southold, L.I.
*12. Jonathan Benjamin b. March 20/29, 1689/90 at Southold
?13. daughter, perhaps m. --- White.

?14. Eliza Benjamin; m. Joseph Young and had children: Mary Young and Thomas Young. She d. 1705.

15. Joseph Benjamin b. before 1698 (listed in that census). He probably died young, as no other record is found concerning him.

*16. Amaziah Benjamin b. After 1698 (since he is not listed in the Colonial Census of 1698). Amaziah has ususally been listed as a son of Richard[2], but has been given a birth date as early as 1686. Your compilier has wrestled with this placement and for the most part preferred him as a son of John[3], Richard[2], Richard[1]. However, I have decided to honor tradition, but to include the notation that there is still a questinn regarding his placement as a son of Richard[2].

*17. Nathan Benjamin b. 1700 at Southold. Another date listed is 1679, but since he is not listed in the 1698 census, this date seems much too early.

?18. Belluah Benjamin.

*?19. Alethea Benjamin.

20. James Benjamin; died April 6, 1707, 2 months after his mother's death. Your compilier has a suspicion that he was just a new baby, and the mother died in childbirth. No further records on him.

Resources: Salmon Records; Census Records; Hartford Times May 13, 1950; Simeon Benjamin, Founder of Elmira College, McDowell; Refugees of 1776 from L.I. to Conn., Mather, 1913; Records of Charles Benjamin of Elmira, N.Y.; New York Hist. Soc. Abstract of Wills; Grafton Magazine of His and Gen. Vol. 2, 1910; Hist. of Southold, Whitaker, 1881.

4. SIMEON BENJAMIN[2] (Richard[1]) born about 1648 at Watertown, Mass.; the son of Richard and Anna (---) Benjamin. He died before the 1698 census at Southold, Long Island, New York. He married Waite ---, who died January 3/13, 1702/3 at Southold, L.I.

In the 1686 census of Southold Simeon Benjamin is listed with 3 males and 4 females in his family. In the 1698 census, only Waite (named Widow) and the children are listed. There is no Simeon Benjamin listed in that census.

Simeon settled on a large farm at Corchang (Cutchogue) Long Island, opposite the homestead of the first Jonathan Wells. The farm ran from King's Road to the Sound, and was later owned by Joseph Alberlaers and the Widow of George Herwell. The Benjamin family continued in possession of the farm for several generations. Richard and Simeon's farms bordered each other.

In 1673 he, with his father, gave a deed to Thomas Tusten for land in Cutchogue. In 1676 he was assessed on 10 acres, 2 oxen, 3 cows, 2 horses, 3 sheed and was assessed the amount of 106 pounds. In 1683 he was rated at 117 pounds.

Children of Simeon and Waite (---) Benjamin:

*21. Waite Benjamin b. 1677/8 at Corchang, L.I.
*22. William Benjamin b. 1679 at Corchang.
23. Anna Benjamin.
*24. John Benjamin b. before 1686. (Listed in the Colonial Census of 1698.)
25. Hannah Benjamin b. before 1686.

Resources: Vol. II p. 278 Southold Town Records, Case; Refugees of 1776 from L.I. to Conn., Mather, 1913; Hartford Times May 13, 1950; Salmon Records; Wison Papers; Grafton Magazine of Hist. and Gen. Vol. 2, 1910.

5. PRISCILLA BENJAMIN[2] (Richard[1]) born about 1654 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the dau. of Richard and Anna (---) Benjamin; died October 6/21, 1722 at Southold, Long Island, New York. She married Thomas Tusten/Tustin of Southold about 1672. He was the son of John Tusten and was born September 13, 1635 and was buried October 10, 1697/8 at Southold, Long Island.

Thomas, although not one of the original proprietors, soon became a large land owner. He built his house on the north side of the highway, near the foot of Booth's Hill. He was a first householder. In 1670 there is a deed from Richard Benjamin Sr. and Simeon Benjamin and on April 8, 1673 another deed from Richard and Anna Benjamin, which included 4 acres and 7 acres and a town lot of one acre in Cuthogue. The first deed Thomas seems to have made was in 1673 from Joseph Youngs, son of Rev. John Young. Thomas also exchanged deeds with Benjamin Horton, John Elton, John Franklin, Thomas Mapes, Joshua Horton, Jeremiah Vail, John Goldsmith, David Gardiner, Thomas Clark, and W. Mapes.

In 1675 he was rated on 6 acres, 7 cattle, 1 horse, etc. and assessed 64 pounds. In 1683 he was assessed 66 pounds and in the 1686 census there were 2 males and three females in his family. He was a blacksmith.

In Cutchogue, Southold's First Colony by Jefferson, it states that after Thomas's death, Priscilla, his widow and children in 1711 sold their holdings of 160 acres to Joseph Wickham and moved to Orange County, New York, where most of them met death at the hands of the Indians. Since both Priscilla and her son died in Southold, it seems unlikely that this is the generation that went to Orange Co. Perhaps it was a later generation.

Children of Thomas and Priscilla (Benjamin) Tusten:

26. Eliza Tusten
27. Meriam Tusten.
28. Grace Tusten.
*29. Thomas Tusten Jr. b. 1680 at Southold, L.I.

?30. possibly Robert Tusten; m. 1724 Martha Horton, dau. of Joshua and Elizabeth (Glover) Horton b. 1710.

Resources: Cutchogue, Southold's First Colony, Jefferson, p. 12; Personal Index of Town of Southold of 1698, Moore, 1868; p. 21 Posterity of John Thurston; Salmon Records; Records of Miss Elizabeth Horton of Middletown, N.Y.; Records of Mrs. Halstead Pier of New Haven, Conn.; Southold Town Records, Case, 1882.

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GENERATION III - RICHARD LINE

6. RICHARD BENJAMIN[3] (Richard[2-1]) born June 16, 1681 at Southold, Long Island; the son of Richard and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin; died October 30, 1716, age 35. It is your compilier's belief that he married Martha Paine / Payne, perhaps the dau.of John and Jemima (Alsop) Paine. After his death she m/2 Richard Terry in 1720. He was the son of Richard and Abigail (---) Terry and was born in 1661 and died February 2, 1734, at the age of 64. He had m/1 Prudence ---. There is a record that Richard Terry m/2 Widow Martha Benjamin. Martha is buried at Wading River.

In the Military Records of Suffolk Regt., Southold Co. in 1715 in the list of Cutchogue men is named Richard Benjamin. He was a witness to a will made by Jonathan Horton of Southold on February 21, 1706/7, along with Jonathan Benjamin and Stephen Bayley.

Children of Richard and Martha (Paine) Benjamin:
31. daughter b. 1707.
32. Richard Benjamin bc. 1710.

Children of Richard and Martha (Paine Benjamin) Terry:
Robert Terry.
Mehitable Terry; m. Jeremiah Wines.
Abigail Terry; m. 1750 John Terry b. 1730, son of Daniel Terry.
Elijah Terry b. June 4, 1730 at Cutchogue; m. Dec. 4, 1775 Deborah Tuthill, b. 1736.
Sarah Terry.
Anna Terry.
Lois Terry; m. --- Wells.

Resources: Grafton Magazine of Hist. and Gen., Vol. II, 1910; Wilson Papers; Salmon Records; p. 508-9 Report of State Historian on Military Records; Vol. I p. 6 N.Y. Hist. Abstract of Wills; Tuttle-Tuthill Gen., Tuttle, 1968 Records of Mrs. Robert Boehler of Wayne, Ind.; Records of James P. Ferguson of Speonk, N.Y.

8. JOHN BENJAMIN[3] (Richard[2-1]) born about 1684 in Southold, Long Island, New York; the son of Richard and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin; died about 1746. He married Mary Reeve, the dau. of Thomas and Mary (Terry) Reeve. She was born about 1698 at Mattituck, L.I. and died either 1764 or October 1768, and is buried in the Cutchogue Cemetery. She m/2 June 5, 1749 to Joshua Wells[3], son of Joshua and

Mary (Brewster) Wells. He was born about 1716 at Southold and died May 4, 1791 and is also buried in the Cutchogue Cemetery. Joshua had m/1 on Jan. 29, 1735/6 to Hannah Wells, who died December 20, 1748.

Joshua Wells was on the list of Freeholder's of Suffolk County in 1737. He was listed in the 1776 census of Southold with 1 male over 50; 1 male 16/50; 1 female over 16 and three females under 16.

John Benjamin may have been the one who was a witness to a deed between John Pecke and wife Martha, when they sold land of 4 acres bounded on the north by land of Richard Benjamin to John Goldsmith on October 4, 1703/4.

Children of John and Mary (Reeve) Benjamin:

33. Simeon Benjamin b. after 1698; d. March 1, 1723/4.
?34. Alethea Benjamin. (See #19).
*35. John Benjamin b. 1732.
?36. Mary Benjamin; m. --- Corwin; had a dau. Mary Corwin who was under age in 1760.

Children of Joshua and Mary (Reeve Benjamin) Wells:

Mary Wells bc. 1736 at Mattituck, L.I.; d. March 8, 1774; m. 1756 John Paine.
Hannah Wells bc. 1741; m. 1762 Samuel Benjamin. (See #57 for her carry down.)
Joshua Wells.
David Wells bc. 1744; m. Mary ---.
Selah Wells b. April 1, 1750; d. March 3, 1842 at New bury, Vermont; m. Mehitable Tuthill.

Resources: Salmon Records; Census records; p. 211-212 Wm. Wells of Southold and his Desc., Haynes, 1879; Parish Records of Mattituck and Aquebogue, Craven, 1906; p. 218 N.Y. Gen. Soc.--Record of First Church of Southold; Am. Genealogist.

9. DAVID BENJAMIN[3] (Richard[2-1]) born about 1687 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the son of Richard and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin; died between October 9, 1734 and June 16, 1738 in Goshen, Orange Co., New York. The name of his wife is unknown. (Note: David's wife might have been a Reeve or a Moore. Both families used the name of Silas and both had lines that went to Orange Co., N.Y.)

It certainly would appear that he married and raised his family on Long Island.

David came to Orange County about 1730.

His will is on file in Orange Co., N.Y. It was dated October 9, 1734 and proved June 16, 1738 and divided his property among David Jr., Silas, and Jonathan. Jonathan sold all or part of his share after his father's death in 1738. David Benjamin Sr. bought this land from Ebenezer Holley of Goshen, N.Y. David Sr. granted one half of his property in the southeast division of Goshen Township to his oldest son David Jr., except ten acres given to his

son Silas Benjamin, and the other half to his son Jonathan.

Children of David Benjamin:

*37. David Benjamin Jr. bc. 1713, probably in Southold.
*38. Jonathan Benjamin bc. 1714.
*39. Silas Benjamin bc. 1715.
40. Elizabeth Benjamin; m. Theophilus Wood, who settled in Orange Co., N.Y.

Resources: Records of Charles Benjamin of Elmira, N.Y.; Records of Mrs. Robert Boehler of Wayne, Ind.; Orange Co. Probate Records.

11. BETHIA (MARY) BENJAMIN[3] (Richard[2-1]) born either 1685 or 1688 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the dau. of Richard and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin; died in 1757. She married Thomas Booth Jr. on December 16, 1708/9 at Southold. He was the son of Thomas and Mary (---) Booth and was born in 1686 and died December 17, 1755.

In 1706 he administered his father's personal estate. He was on the list of Freeholders in 1737 and on July 5, 1756 his intestate estate was turned over to Joseph Reeve and Freegift Wells, sons-in-law, for administration.

Children of Thomas and Bethia (Benjamin) Booth:

41. John Booth; d. 1705.
42. Giles Booth; d. October 30, 1706/7.
43. James Booth; d. February 5, 1707/8.
44. Mary Booth; m. 1722 Jonas Bradley.
45. Bethia Booth b. 1714; d. August 27, 1787 and buried in the Cutchogue Cemetery; m. February 5, 1734 Joseph Reeve, the son of Benjamin and Deliverance (Wells) Reeve. He was b. 1709/10 and died 1782.
*45. Jule-Anna Booth b. August 2, 1720 at Southold.
46. child (no name); d. August 20, 1720.

Resources: p. 273 and 268 Refugees of 1776 from L.I. to Conn., Mather, 1913; Personal Index of 1698, Charles Moore 1868; Abstracts of Wills of the N.Y. Hist. Soc.

12. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[3] (Richard[2-1]) born March 20, 1690 at Southold Long Island, New York; the son of Richard and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin; died March 20, 1725/6, at the age of 35. He married Hannah ---, who was born in 1694 and died February 19, 1724, at the age of 30.

Richard and Jonathan Benjamin were witnesses to the will of Jonathan Horton of Southold on Feb. 21, 1706/7.

Children of Jonathan and Hannah (---) Benjamin:

47. unnamed child; d. March 14, 1720/1. This is the only child of the above couple that is recorded. However, your compilier feels they had more children.
*?48. Herrick Benjamin b. 1719 in Southold.
*?49. Jonathan Benjamin b. 1724 at Southold.

Resources: Personal Index of Southold of 1698, Moore, 1868 Salmon Records; Abstracts of N.Y. Wills by N.Y. Hist. Soc.

16. AMAZIAH BENJAMIN[3] (Richard[2-1]) born after 1698 (since he is not recorded in the ColonialCensus of 1698); the possible son of Richard and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin; died September 29 1746 at Middleroad, Long Island, New York. He married Anna ---. There is no known data for her.

Apparently Amaziah left no will.

By tradition, Amaziah has been placed as a son of Richard[2], and in most cases has been given a much earlier birth date--usually 1686/7. Your compilier has wrestled with his placement for some time--and for a time had him as the son of John[3], Simeon[2]. The final decision was that he must be born after 1698, since his name doesn't appear on the list of the Colonial Census of 1698. He still could be a son of Richard[2], since Richard had a son born in 1700, and perhaps Amaziah was a child born between the 1698 census and 1700, the birth of Nathan[3]. However, the reader is warned that this is still a questionable area, as is the listing of his children.

Children of Amaziah and Anna (---) Benjamin:

50. son; died September 22, 1746.
51. son; died September 29, 1746. (The same day as his father!)
*52. Richard Benjamin b. 1738.
*53. Amaziah Benjamin b. January 16, 1741 at Mattituck.
*54. Thomas Benjamin bc. 1744 at Mattituck.

Resources: Salmon Records; Records from Mrs. Marion Terry, Historian of Suffolk Co. Historical Soc.; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

17. NATHAN BENJAMIN[3] (Richard[2-1]) born in 1700 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the son of Richard and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin; died in 1763 at Southold, L.I. and is buried in Southold. He m/1 Deborah Clark on April/August 10/11, 1726 at Southold. She was the dau. of Samuel and Deborah (---) Clark and was born in 1706 and died March 29, 1836 at Mattituck, L.I., at the age of 30 yrs. (gs) and is buried next to her mother in the Mattituck Burying Grounds. He m/2 Sarah Conklin on January 11, 1736/7 at Southold. She was the dau. of Samuel and Susanna (Washburn) Conklin and was born in 1708/9 and died March 19, 1761, age 52 (gs) and is buried in the Riverhead Cemetery.

In many instances Nathan was credited with a birthdate as early as 1679--but when considering the dates of his marriage, the birth dates of his wives, and that his name was not listed in the Colonial Census of 1698--the earlier birth date become unacceptable. With the birth date of 1700, his placement as a son of Simeon[2] was impossible. Hence his placement here with the 1700 birth.

On March 21, 1732 he was a witness to the will of Isaac Paine of Southold, along with Samuel Wells and Joseph Hallock.

Nathan's will was dated June 28, 1763 at Southold and was proved July 11, 1763 with Joshua Wells and sons Samuel Benjamin and Benjamin Benjamin named as executors. It read..."In the name of God, Amen. I, Nathan Benjamin, of Southold, Suffolk Co., Gent., being sick and weak. I direct all debts to be paid. I leave to my eldest son Nathan my best suit of clothes. To my second son, Samuel, and my third son, Benjamin, all my lands of every kind; upland, swamp, meadows, and streams, and with all buildings, with grist mill and all appurtenances, and all my movable estate. And they are to pay all debts and funeral charges. They also shall pay to my eldest dau., Elizabeth Corwin, 10 pounds, and they shall take care of my two youngest daus., Sarah and Mary, until 18 and pay them 50 pounds each. They shall also take care of my 4th son, Joshua, till 21, and they shall be at the care and expense to 'larn' a suitable trade, and also to 'larn' him to write and 'sifer' so as to keep a commnn tradesman's book. And when he is of age, he is to have 100 pounds." It was witnessed by Christopher Youngs, Nathan Penny, and Timothy Weller.

Children of Nathan and Deborah (Clark) Benjamin:

55. child; d. April 14, 1730.
*56. Nathan Benjamin b. 1733 at Southold, L.I.
*57. Samuel Benjamin b. 1735 at Southold, L.I.
58. child; died April 1736.
*59. Elizabeth Mary Benjamin.

Children of Nathan and Sarah (Conklin) Benjamin:

60. child; d. April 1, 1738.
*61. Benjamin Benjamin b. 1743 at Southold., L.I.
62. Joshua Benjamin b. 1748 at Southold.
63. Joseph Benjamin b. 1748; d. March 10, 1755, age 7.
64. Sarah Benjamin b. after 1745; perhaps m. Richard Terry[3].
65. Mary Benjamin b. after 1745; m. 1763 Silas Howell. They had a dau. Mary Howell b. March 9, 1778 at Baiting Hollow, d. 1865 at Jamesport; m. 1798 David Tuthill as his 2nd wife. He b. March 22, 1775. She m/2 Joseph Brewster.

Resources: Parish Records of Mattituck and Aquebogue 1751-1809, Craven, 1906; p. 158 and 262 Abstracts of Wills, N.Y Hist. Society; Personal Index of 1698 of Southold, Moore, 1896; Records of Mrs. Robert Boehler of Wayne, Ind.; American Genealogist; Salmon Records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

?19. ALETHEA BENJAMIN[3] (Richard[2-1]) perhaps the dau. of Richard and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin; died 1751 at Southold, Long

Island. She married John Howell of Southold, the son of John and Margaret (---) Howell, who was born about 1700 and died March 19, 1740/1. They had no children. She was born after 1698.

It is not established that her maiden name was Benjamin. The reason for her inclusion in this genealogy is the wills of both Alethea and John.

John Howell's will was dated Nov. 11, 1740 and proved March 26, 1740/5 and reads: "I, John Howell, of Southold, in Suffolk, weaver. I leave to my wife Aletha the use of my dwelling house and all household stuff, and her fire wood off my land while she remains my widow. I leave all the rest of my estate to my wife's near kinsmen, Amaziah Benjamin and John Benjamin. I appoint Daniel Reeve and my kinsman Amaziah Benjamin, Executors". Witnesses were Joshua Goldsmith, James Reeve, and David Corwin.

Alethea's will was dated Nov. 13, 1746 and proved June 7, 1751. It reads: "I, Alethea Howell, of the town of Southold, spinster, being in perfect health. I leave all my lands, meadows, goods, and chattels, and all worldly estate, to my near kinsman, John Benjamin, of Southold. I appoint my kinsman James Reeves, executor." Witnesses were Barnabas Wines, Barnabas Terrill, and Bethia Wines.

It is these will that establish a relationship between the Amaziah Benjamin (d. 1746) and a John Benjamin. Amaziah is mentioned in the will of John Howell but not in the will of Alethea, which would indicate that Amaziah had died between the time of the two wills. However, there is a John Benjamin still alive in the Southold area in 1746 and 1751 that would seem related to Amaziah Benjamin.

Resources: Vol. 3 p. 322 and Vol. 4 p. 341 N.Y. Hist. Soc. Abstracts of Wills Collection.

21. WAITE BENJAMIN[3] (Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born 1677/8 at Corchang, Southold, Long Island, New York; the dau. of Simeon and Waite (---) Benjamin; died February 4, 1755, age 77. She married William Nicholls on February 25, 1720. He died before 1747.

The widow Wait Nicholls was on the Cutchogue Church records of 1750.

Children of William and Waite (Benjamin) Nicholls:
66. Mary Nicholls; d. July 17, 1747.
67. Wait Nicholls; d. July 17, 1747.

Resources: p. 57 Personal Index of 1698 of Southold, Moore 1896; Salmon Records; p. 112 A Book of Church Records of Cutchogue, 1750.

22. WILLIAM BENJAMIN[3] (Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born 1677 at Cutchogue, Southold, Long Island, New York; the son of Simeon and Waite (---) Benjamin; died September 15, 1757, at the age of 78 years (gs) and is buried at the Cutchogue Burying

Grounds. He married Elizabeth Terry on February 11, 1719/20. She was the dau. of Daniel and Sarah (Moore-Overton) Terry and was born in 1695 and died January 17, 1732 (gs), at the age of 37 years (gs) and is buried with her husband.

According to Dr. Wilson's records, William settled in Cutchogue in 1740. He owned land alongside John and Abigail (Wells) Benjamin. According to information compiled by Virginia Wines in 1975 in her study of the First and Second Aquebogue Divisions West from the Canoe Place, the earliest record of Benjamin ownership of land in North ville is when in 1743 a deed for Case land to Christopher Youngs states that William Benjamin is the owner of the next lot west. In 1696 this same land was owned by William Wells. About 1750, what is said to be the first Benjamin house in Northville, was built south of Sound Avenue (called North Road at that time) on Mary Budd's one and one half lot.

William Benjamin was a witness to a deed between Joseph Moore and Cartriet Gilliam on Nov. 2, 1711 along with Joshua Wells. He witnessed a deed on Feb. 25, 1712/3 when David and Mary Horton sold land to Caleb Horton. He was a member of the Suffolk Regt. of Southold County in 1715 in the listing of Cutchogue men. He was on the list of Freeholders in 1737 and signed the Charter of 1749. (Cutchogue Church record.)

Children of William and Elizabeth (Terry) Benjamin:

*68. Lt. Simeon Benjamin b. 1720 at Southold.

*69. William Benjamin b. 1731. (for an explaination of his placement, see John #24.)

70. Mary Benjamin; m. January 11, 1753 (first name almost illegible) ?Benjamin? Youngs.

Resources: p. 366 and 454 Vol. II Southold Town Records, Case, 1884; Salmon Records, Cemetery records copied by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.; West from the Canoe Place, Mattituck to Wading River, Virginia Wines, 1975.

24. JOHN BENJAMIN[3] (Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born about 1683 (gs) at Cutchogue, Long Island, New York; the son of Simeon and Waite (---) Benjamin; died November 24, 1745 (gs) age 61-2-24 (gs) and is buried in the Cutchogue Burying Grounds. He married Abigail/Abiait Wells about 1712. She was the dau. of Joshua and Hannah (Tuthill) Wells and was born November 15, 1695 at Southold and died February 22/23, 1781, age 86 (gs) and is buried at the Aquebogue, L.I. Cemetery. She m/2 March 20, 1745 William Cox, the son of John Cox. He was born in 1681 and died November 26, 1751. He had m/1 Abigail Coleman, who was born 1686 and died in 1725. An Abigail Cox married March 27, 1763 David Mackfarling.

This John is, by tradition, placed as a son of Richard 2. Your compilier feels that genealogists have failed to

take into consideration that there were two John Benjamins named in the Colonial Census of 1698, which would hence place one John as the son of Richard^2 and one as the son of Simeon^2. The 1686 census for Simeon^2 again denotes that he had two sons. William Benjamin b. 1731 (#69) has been named a son of this John Benjamin. Probably the main reason has been that this John and William lived close together and hence seem to have some relationship. The only clue that denotes that William might be a son of this John is a cemetery record at Aquebogue, that names Abigail Benjamin as William's mother. However, these cemetery records do not appear to be originals, but rather written at a much later time, and hence are open to question. Because John does not name a son either in the will or as an executor and because Dr. Wilson did not list him as a son of this John, I have placed him (William b. 1731)$_2$ in another line--but have placed this John in the Simeon^2 line in the same attempt to show a relationship between the two families.

John was on the muster rolls of the Suffolk Regt. in 1715 under Col. Henry Smith. John was Quarter-master of the Regt.

In 1704 he was a witness on a deed John Peck made to John Goldsmith. It was 4 acres of land, which was bounded on the north by land owned by Richard Benjamin. In 1713 he was witness to another deed and in 1714 Abigail Benjamin was witness to a deed between Jonathan Hornet and John Robenson.

John's will was dated June 11, 1744 and proved April 10, 1746. He names his wife Abigail and nephew John White as executors and names 5 daughters: Sarah Horton; Abigail; Mehitable; Mary; and Desire Benjamin. He names no son! Witnesses to John's will were: John Clark and Phebe and Eben Gould.

John's heirs sold land to Samuel Terry of Southold, who mentioned it as "a lot lying down Little Neck" in his will in 1760.

Children of John and Abigail (Wells) Benjamin:

71. Joshua Benjamin b. 1713; d. January 7, 1724, age 10-3 (gs); buried in Cutchogue Burying Grounds.
*72. John Benjamin Jr. bc. 1715; d. May 31, 1732/3.
73. Sarah Benjamin; m. April 1737 Caleb Horton and had 7 children.
74. Benjamin Benjamin b. 1719; d. January 5, 1724, age 4-6 (gs); buried in Cutchogue Burying Grounds.
75. Abigail Benjamin; unm. in 1745.
76. Anna (Anne) Benjamin b. 1726; d. November 23, 1740, age 14-3-9; buried in Cutchogue Burying Grounds.
*77. Mehitable Benjamin b. 1728 at Cutchoge, L.I.
78. Mary Benjamin b. 1730; d. 1748 (gs).
79. Desire Benjamin b. 1732; d. April 9, 1761, age 27 yrs (gs); buried in Cutchogue Burying Grounds.

Resources: Salmon Records; Records of Charles Benjamin of Elmira, N.Y.; Simeon Benjamin, Founder of Elmira College, McDowell; Wilson Papers; p. 126 Youngs Family, Selah Young, 1907; p. 307 Hist. of Town of Southampton; Vol. II p. 245 Southold Town Records, Case; Records of Town of Brookhaven Book B; Research, especially cemetery records, of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

29. THOMAS TUSTEN JR.[3] (Priscilla[2], Richard[1]) born 1680 at Southold Long Island, New York; the son of Thomas and Priscilla (Benjamin) Tusten; died February 9, 1736/7 and buried in the Mattituck Old Burying Ground on Long Island. He married Abigail --- after 1700.

His wife signed her name as Abigail on a deed.

Children of Thomas and Abigail (---) Tusten:

*80. Col. Benjamin Tusten b. 1716 at Southold, L.I.

Resources: Records of Miss Elizabeth Horton of Middletown, N.Y.; Records of Mrs. Halstead Pier of New Haven, Conn.

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GENERATION IV - RICHARD LINE

35. JOHN BENJAMIN[4] (John[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1732; the son of John and Mary (Reeve) Benjamin; died August 15, 1804 (gs) age 72 (gs) at Mattituck and is buried in the Mattituck Parish Burying Ground. He married Hannah Tuthill on March 20 or April 18, 1755 at Mattituck (Parish cr). She was the dau. of Isaiah and Hannah (Terry) Tuthill and was born in 1735/6 at Aquebogue, L.I. and died April 15/16, 1807 at the age of 72 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

In the 1776 census of Southold he had one male 0/16; 1 male 16/50; 3 females over 16; 3 females 0/16 and 1 negro in his household. In the 1790 Federal Census he is listed at Southold with: 2-0-4.

His will (Liber B-313) is dated March 23, 1803 and probated December 6, 1804 with Thomas Wickham, David Warner, and Isaiah Benjamin as administrators. He names his son Isaiah Benjamin, to whom he gave land in Mattituck; and Isaiah is to pay 10 pounds to grandson John Reeve and 10 pounds to grandson Thomas Hallock; and 50 pounds and room to dau. Mary. The Thurston Farm at Cutchogue is to be sold and the proceeds to be equally divided between daus. Hannah, Mary, Anna, and Harmony and two Grandsons John Reeve and Thomas Hallock. James Gilbert, Thomas Wickham, and John Reeve were witnesses.

Children of John and Hannah (Tuthill) Benjamin:

81. Hannah Benjamin bapt. Feb. 22, 1756 at Mattituck (Parish cr) b. at Aquebogue; m. March 20, 1783 to Joshua Sweezy/Sweazy at Mattituck. He was born 1763 at Brookhaven and d. 1843 at Middle Island.
82. Mary Benjamin bapt. August 27, 1758 at Mattituck (Mattituck Parish rec.)
*83. Anna Benjamin bapt. August 18, 1761 at Mattitick. (Mattituck Parish rec.)
84. John Benjamin bapt. October 15, 1769 at Mattituck (Parish rec.). He may have been born in 1763. He died July 27, 1775, age 12. He was drowned. In the record of his death, his father is listed as John Benjamin.
85. Deborah Benjamin bapt. October 15, 1769 at Mattituck, (on the same day as her brother John). It would seem that she m/1 --- Reeve and m/2 --- Hallock. Perhaps she was not married to the Reeve, as in the Mattituck Parish records is the listing of John Reeve Benjamin, son of Deborah Benjamin, who

was bapt. Dec. 7, 1788. In the 1850 census John Reeve bc. 1790 is living in the same residence as Thomas Hallock bc. 1795/6, which would tend to indicate that the two were brothers--or rather, half brothers.

86. Harmony Benjamin bapt. October 15, 1769 at Mattituck (Parish rec.); m. December 12, 1791 David Warner.

*87. Isaiah Benjamin b. November 2, 1773 at Mattituck.

88. Benjamin Benjamin b. between 1765-94; was listed in the 1810 census of Southold, L.I. with: 0-0-1-1-0//0-1-0-1-1.

Resources: p. 263 Gen. of Swasey Fam., Benjamin Franklin Swasey, 1910; Parish Register of Mattituck and Aquebogue 1751-1801, Rev. Craven, 1906; Mather's Refugees of 1776 fromL.I. to Conn.; Salmon Records; Tuttle-Tuthill Lines, Ava Tuttle, 1968; Family Group Sheet from the Library of Latter Day Saints in Salt Lake City, Utah.

37. DAVID BENJAMIN[4] (David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1713 probably in Southold, Long Island, New York; the son of David Benjamin and an unknown wife; his death date unknown as is the name of his wife.

He was living in Warwick, Orange Co., New York in 1785. He had lived at Goshen, Orange Co., N.Y. in 1730. He lived on the side of a mountain in the town of Warwick in 1760. James Burt owned this land in 1846/7.

In a history of Orange Co., N.Y. a David Benjamin is mentioned as giving service in the French and Indian War as one of 4 guards for the express between Goshen and Minisink in 1756. Horace Thompson was one of the other guards.

He was exempt from the signers of the Pledge in Goshen on June 8, 1775.

He gave testimony in 1785 at Goshen, Orange Co., N.Y. at a trial concerning the boundary line between New York and New Jersey. He stated that he was 72 years of age; was 17 years old when he came to Orange Co. (1730); lived in Goshen until 7 years ago (1778); lived in Goshen on the Tusten place; in 1775 was exempt from the war because of age (62); later removed to Warwick; have 2 sons, one living in Warwick, and the other not given.

Children of David Benjamin:

*89. James Benjamin.

*90. Jesse Benjamin.

91. Sarah Benjamin; m. John Burt b. 1750, a son of Benjamin and Anna (Blain) Burt; resided at Warwick, Orange Co., N.Y.

Resources: Gen. Rec. of Henry and Ulatia Burt, 1892; Records of Mrs. Robert Boehler of Wayne, Ind.; p. 55 Orange Co. History, Ruttenber and Clark, 1881; p. 489 and 502

Hist. of Orange Co., N.Y., Eager.

38. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[4] (David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1714 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the son of David Benjamin and an unknown wife. The name of his wife and his death date are unknown.

He came from Long Island with his father to Orange Co., N.Y. about 1730. He later moved to Penn. There is a deed in the Orange Co. Deed Book (C;175) in which Jonathan gives a quit claim to his share of his father's estate on June 1738 to Thomas Ellison, a big land owner in New Windsor, N.Y. It must have been about this time that he moved to Pennsylvania.

Children of Jonathan Benjamin:

*92. Jonathan Benjamin b. October 14, 1738/9 at Goshen, NY
*93. David Benjamin bc. 1740, perhaps at Goshen, N.Y.
?*94. Richard Benjamin b. between 1740-50.
?95. Deborah Benjamin; m. Samuel Seeley. Samuel was a Rev. War soldier. He came to the Conn. Grant in Penn. before the war. After the war, he came back to look for his family, but could not find them. Thinking they were killed or died, he went back to Goshen, N.Y., from whence he originally came. He married Deborah, sister of Richard, and in 1802 came to Wyalusing Creek, Penn.
?*96. Julia Benjamin.

(Note: The last 3 MIGHT be children of Silas[4] or David[4]

Resources: p. 268 Hist. of Bradford Co., Penn.; David Craft 1878; Records of Mrs. Robert Boehler of Wayne, Ind.; Orange Co., N.Y. Land Records.

39. SILAS BENJAMIN[4] (David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1715 at Southhold, Long Island, New York; the son of David Benjamin and an unknown wife. He died about 1805 or 1810 at Blagg's Cove, Town of Blooming Grove, Orange Co., New York. The name of his wife is unknown.

In 1775 Silas signed the Association Pledge in Cornwall, Orange Co., New York. (This area covered Cornwall, Blooming Grove, and Monroe.) He belonged to the 4th Regt. of the Orange Co. Militia, under Col. James Woodhull. He was located in New Cornwall in the 1790 census with: 2-4-4. And was in the 1800 census at Blooming Grove, Orange Co., N.Y. with: 1 male 0/10; 1 m. 16/26; 2 m. 45+// 1 female 0/10; 2 f. 10/16; and 1 f. 45+.

On June 14, 1760 Silas and Christian Benjamin were witnesses to a will made by Yost Durye of Goshen, N.Y. (Note: your compilier wonders if his wife's name might have been Christina?)

In Deed Book C p. 179 of Orange Co., N.Y. on June 20, 1740, it is recorded that Silas and David Benjamin sold 50 acres of land to John Drake.

Children of Silas Benjamin:
*97. Silas D. Benjamin b. 1750.
?*98. John Benjamin bc. 1743.
?*99. Colvin Benjamin bc. 1745-50.
?*100. Daniel Benjamin bc. 1756.
?*101. Samuel Benjamin bc. 1764.
?*101½. Nathan Benjamin bc. 1760/1.

Resources: Research of Charles Benjamin of Elmira, N.Y.; Vol. VI p. 33 Abstracts of Wills made by N.Y. Hist. Soc.; Research of Mrs. Olive Nozell of Monroe, N.Y.

45. JULE-ANNA BOOTH[4] (Bethia[3], Richard[2-1]) born August 2, 1720 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the dau. of Thomas and Bethia (Benjamin) Booth; m. December 25, 1735 to Freegift Wells. He was born April 21, 1714, the son of Joshua and Hannah (Tuthill) Wells and died November 26, 1785. Jule Anna died June 15, 1793.

In 1776/9 the family and effects were brought over to Guilford (now Madison), Conn. by Capt. Thomas Leete. On November 15, 1782 they were allowed to return to Long Island with his stock, furniture, etc. He signed the Association Pledge in 1775. He was a Deacon of the church of Southold, and as such, certified to an election on June 29, 1784. He was the 14th child and was named Freegift by his mother.

There were nine people in his family in Sept. 1776.

Children of Freegift and Jule-Anna (Booth) Wells:
102. Thomas Wells; had 11 children who joined the Shakers.
103. Giles Wells b. November 15, 1737; d. Dec. 5, 1804; m. February 17, 1779 Anna Dudley of Guilford, Conn., b. 1740, d. 1814; no children.
*104. Joshua Wells b. 1743 at Southold.
105. Jonathan Wells b. March 11, 1746 at Souldold.

Resources: p. 625 Refugees of 1776 from L.I. to Conn., Mather, 1913.

?48. HERRICK BENJAMIN[4] (Jonathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1719 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the possible son of Jonathan and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin. He died August 18, 1789, at the age of 70, at Morris Co., New Jersey. He m/1 Deborah Simons on November 8, 1739 at Southold. She was the dau. of Peter and Sarah (?Corwin) Simons and was born about 1709 at Aquebogue, L.I. He m/2 Joanna Woodruff on November 20, 1771 at Morristown, Morris Co., New Jersey. She was born in 1722 and died July 23, 1812 at Morristown, N.J

On March 19, 1744/5 Herrick Benjamin helped appraise the estate of John Radley/Raley of Hanover, Morris Co., N.J. He and Joseph Lacey of Morristown were executors for the will of Richard Easton Jr. on July 2, 1753. Joacob Miller, Joseph Lacey, and Herrick Benjamin were bondsmen for the will of John Luker of Hanover, N.J. on

January 9, 1759.

Herrick owned considerable property in and around Madison, Morris Co., N.J. in 1752. He acted as an officer of the Madison Presbyterian Church from 1757-58. He was surely for several estates and was involved in a dispute with the Penn family (one of the 24 proprietors) in 1751. He was sued on numerous occasions from 1765-74.

On January 29, 1770 Mary Benjamin was a witness to the will of Joseph Potter of Hanover, N.J. (This was probably the wife of Herrick Jr.)

On March 18, 1788 Usal Tompkins obtained a court order that James Young and he jointly support their father-in-law, Herrick Benjamin. Herrick was destitute. (Note: There seem to be no sons included in this order!)

Children of Herrick Benjamin:

*106. Herrick Benjamin bc. 1740; m. March 6, 1764 Mary Stout. (Note: This might very well be a second marriage for the above Herrick, in which case, his marriage to Joanna Woodruff would be his 3rd marriage!)

107. Sarah Benjamin b. April 5, 1742; m. James Young of Mendham. This was the James Young who would later use his attic as a depository for stolen and captured British Army documents.

*108. Jonathan Benjamin b. 1746.

*109. Susannah Benjamin b. August 25, 1748.

110. Hannah Benjamin, a twin, b. August 25, 1748; d. August 9, 1823; age 75; unmarried; (First Presbyterian Church of Morristown, N.J. rec.)

Resources: New Jersey Vital Records; Calendar of Wills and Abstracts of Wills Vol. 1,2, and 3; First Church of Morristown, N.J. Records; Vol. 49 N.Y. Gen. and Biog. Rec.; Town of Southold, L.I. Personal Index of 1698, Moore, 1869

?49. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[4] (Jonathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1724 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the possible son of Jonathan and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin. He died December 29, 1787, age 62, at Coram, Brookhaven, L.I. and is buried in Cemetery #25. He married Elizabeth ---, who was born about 1724 and died April 27, 1795 at the age of 71 (gs) and is buried in the same cemetery.

A Jonathan Benjamin was a witness to a will made by Uriah Smith of the township of Brookhaven on February 27, 1783.

Jonathan's will was dated December 31, 1779 and proved January 10, 1787 and names his wife and daughters and sons in-law, Benjamin Overton and John Bellows.

Capt. Mapes Hulse, son of Deacon Paul and Esther (Mapes) Hulse b. at Corham 1748, d. 1810, m. Jerusha Petty names wife and children in his will and leaves to them part of Jonathan Benjamin's farm. "I had by deed from

Benjamin Overton, executor of Jonathan Benjamin."

Children of Jonathan and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin:

111. Phebe Benjamin; m. 1787 Jacob Harriman at Madison, New Jersey.
112. Hannah Benjamin.
113. Bethia Benjamin.
114. Sarah Benjamin.
115. Rachel Benjamin.

Supposedly, Benjamin Overton married twice, to sisters, and one dau. must have married John Bellows, since both men were named in Jonathan's will.

Resources: Osborn Shaw's Cemetery Book of Brookhaven Town, L.I., N.Y. courtsey of S. L. Wilcox of Speonk, N.Y.; Vol. 1 p. 20 of Brookhaven Wills; Vol. 12 p. 258 N.Y. Gen. and Hist. Register; p. 50 Fam.of Richard Smith of L.I., Smith, 1967.

52. RICHARD BENJAMIN[4] (Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1738 at Mattituck, L.I., New York; a possible son of Amaziah and Anna (---) Benjamin; died January 23, 1803 in Orange Co., New York. He married Dority (Dorothy) Clark on April 1, 1760 at Mattituck, L.I., N.Y. (Parish rec.)

Richard enlisted in the N.Y. Militia, age 22, b. at Suffolk Co. on April 28, 1760 under Capt. Daniel Wells. He was also listed in the N.Y. State Militia as an ensign in Rockland Co. in 1798 and Lt. from Orange Co. in 1800. (The last is probably his son!)

In the 1776 Census at Southold Richard had 2 males 16/50; 4 males 0/16; 1 female over 16 and 2 females under 16 and lived between the Widow Moore and Robert Hinchman. In the 1790 census he resided at Saybrooke, Middlesex Co., Conn. with 3-2-2. There is a Richard Benjamin in the 1790 census at Minisink, Orange Co., N.Y. with 4-2-2, which might also be this same Richard, for it would seem he moved from Conn. to Orange Co. about this time.

Children of Richard and Dorothy (Clark) Benjamin:

*116. John Benjamin bapt. December 2, 1764 at Mattituck, L.I. (Parish rec.)
*117. Usher Benjamin bapt. December 2, 1764 at Mattituck.
118. Dority (Dorothy) Benjamin bapt. June 8, 1766 at Mattituck, L.I. (Parish rec.)
*119. Richard Benjamin b. June 18, 1769 at Mattituck. (Parish rec.)
*120. Daniel Benjamin bapt. May 25, 1774 at Mattituck, L.I (Parish rec.)
*121. Gamalial (Gamaliel) Benjamin bapt. May 25, 1774 at Mattituck, L.I. (Parish rec.)
122. David Benjamin; resided at Coxsackie, Green Co, N.Y. (note: This name was in Dr. Wilson's records).
*?121. Jonathan Benjamin b. 1770-80. This name was not

included in Dr. Wilson's listing of the children of Richard. However, because nothing seems to be found for the above David, and because so many aspects of this Jonathan seem to fit, he has been included--perhaps in the place of the above David.

*122. Josiah Benjamin b. 1777.
*123. Zina Benjamin b. 1783.

Resources: Wilson Papers, which included a letter from Nancy (Benjamin) Kurt; Mattituck Parish Records, Rev. Craven, 1906; p. 162 N.Y. in the Rev. as a Colony and State, Roberts, 1898; p. 234 Vol. 24 N.Y. Hist. and Biog. Record; Salmon Records.

53. AMAZIAH BENJAMIN[4] (Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born January 16/18, 1741 at Southold or Mattituck, Long Island, New York; the son of Amaziah and Anna (---) Benjamin; died 1812 at Mattituck or Riverhead, L.I. He married March 6, 1761 to Mary (Patty) Howell, the dau. of Richard and Elizabeth (Tuthill) Howell, who was born in 1744 at Mattituck. She may have married in 1813 James Young, though the records indicate that the Mary Benjamin who m. James Young was Mary (Hallock) Benjamin.

Amaziah is listed in the 1790 census at Southold with 2-3-2 and in the 1776 census of Southold with one male over 16; 2 males under 16; 1 female over 16; and 2 females under 16 years of age.

He enlisted in the First Regt of Suffolk Militia on August 5, 1776 under Capt. Paul Reeve's Co. of Minuetemen. He was 5'3", dark complexion, and age 35 on that date. He also served under Capt. Thomas Young and Col. Thomas Terry. He was a signer of the Association Test in Brookhaven in the summer of 1775.

In the will of Richard Howell of Southold, dated March 14, 1783, mention is made of his dau. Mary Benjamin and wife Elizabeth.

Children of Amaziah and Mary (Howell) Benjamin:

*124. Amaziah Benjamin Jr. b. Sept. 22, 1764/5 at Mattituck, L.I.
125. Nelly P. Benjamin b. 1766; m. --- Corwin.
126. Mary Benjamin bapt. June 6, 1771 at Mattituck (Parish rec.); m/1 Richard Albertson; m/2 Daniel Terry.
127. Martha (Patty) Benjamim bapt. June 6, 1771 at Mattituck (Parish rec.); m. John Howell.
*128. David Benjamin b. October 28, 1771 at Mattituck.
*129. Isaac Benjamin bapt. May 25, 1774 at Mattituck. (Parish rec.)
*130. Israel Benjamin bc. 1777 at Middleroad, L.I.
*131. Ezra Benjamin b. 1781 at Middleroad, L.I.
132. Jemima Benjamin.
There were two children bapt. October 22, 1783 at

Mattituck (Parish rec.) They, of course, could be Ezra, Israel, or Jemima--rather than additional children.

Resources: Parish Records of Mattituck and Aquebogue 1751-1809, Charles Craven, 1906; p. 144, 278, 281, 291 Hist. of Mattituck, Craven; Vol. 151 p. 71 and Vol. 161 p. 72 DAR Lineage Book; p. 1058, 1009, 995 Refugees of 1776 from L.I. to Conn., Mather, 1913; Records of Earl W. Benjamin of Englewood, Fla.; Research of Miss Marion Terry, Custorian of Suffolk Co. Hist. Soc.; Kirkpatrick Bible records courtsey of Philip Breck Jr.

54. THOMAS BENJAMIN[4] (Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1744; the probable son of Amaziah and Anna (---) Benjamin. The name of his wife and her data are unknown, as is his death date.

He is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Southold with 1-1-4 and in the 1800 census at Minisink, Orange Co., New York with: 0-0-0-0-1//1-1-1-0-1. In 1773 in deed C-44 he is listed as a shoe maker and sells approximately two acres of land to John Hubbard for 45 pounds. It was land in the first division of Aquabank, which he purchased from Obadiah Hudson.

Children of Thomas Benjamin:

133. Mary Benjamin bapt. December 18, 1774 at Mattituck. (Parish rec.)
134. Elizabeth Benjamin bapt. December 18, 1774.
135. Thomas Benjamin bapt. Dec. 18, 1774 at Mattituck.
136. Parshall Benjamin bapt. March 30, 1777 at Mattituck (Parish rec.); d. 1823 in Goshen, Orange Co., NY.
137. child; d. 1778 in Southold, L.I. (perhaps it was Thomas, #135.)

Resources: Records of Thomas Collins; Salmon Records; Parish Register of Mattituck and Aquebogue 1751-1809, Rev. Charles Craven, 1906.

56. NATHAN BENJAMIN[4] (Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1733 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the son of Nathan and Deborah (Clark) Benjamin; died May 14, 1805, age 72 (gs) and is buried in the Congretational Church Cemetery at Baiting Hollow, Riverhead, L.I. He married Jemima Aldridge/Aldrich on February13, 1754/5 at Mattituck, L.I. (Parish rec.) She was the dau. of Gershom and Bethia (---) Aldrich and was born about 1735 and died January 11, 1810, age 75 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Nathan was a Lt. in Capt. Josiah Lupton's Co. of Colonial Militia in 1775 in N.Y. He signed with the Association Test in 1775. In the 1776 census he had two males under 16; two males over 16; two females under 16; and two females over 16 years of age. In the 1790

Federal Census he is listed with 3-0-2.

In the May 1958 Long Island Forum Newspaper is an article written about Nathan Benjamin by Lillian Hallock of Riverhead. She told how he ordered a desk on the day of the Boston Tea Party, and when the British were raiding on Long Island, he took the wooden pegs out of the desk and transported it in sections across the sound to Conn., rather than have it fall into enemy hands. He was an exceedingly tall and well built man, and it is said that he scared off a raiding party of British when they were attacking his hay and rye by charging at them out of the woods. After the war, the desk came back to Long Island, and in 1958 was in the possession of Otto DeFriest, a direct descendant of Nathan's.

Nathan moved from Southold to Saybrook, Conn. in 1777, and afterward to Guildford, Conn. On May 26, 1780 he petitioned for leave to return with his wife and children, which was granted.

He was one of the pioneers who went into the western part of Southold Town (since 1792 Riverhead) known as the "Great Woods" or the "Third Survey", and there built his house and reared his family. He probably settled there as early as 1750. Then, and many years later, there were no roads that any wagon could travel on--only stone-boats or ponderous ox-carts. He had a large farm and owned the highest cliffs on the Sound shore, nearly half mile wide, from the Sound to the Manor Line, nearly four miles long.

Nathan's will was dated June 20, 1803 and proved March 25, 1806 at Riverhead (Lib. A. p. 359-61 and B. p. 369). His wife and son Jacob were named executor, with Daniel Youngs, Benjamin L'Hommedieu, and Joseph Glover Jr. as witnesses. He left property to his wife Jemima, his youngest dau. Jemima, eldest dau. Deborah Edwards; and children of David Swezey and realty to his sons: Nathan, Jacob, and Phineas.

Children of Nathan and Jemima (Aldrich) Benjamin:

*138. Nathan Benjamin b. 1759/60.

139. Mary (Bethia) Benjamin bc. 1759/60; d. before 1805; m. February 13, 1781 David Swesey,a man of Brookhaven at Mattituck (Parish rec.).

*140. Phineas Benjamin b. 1762.

141. Deborah Benjamin; m. --- Edwards.

*142. Jacob Benjamin b. February 26, 1764 (or 1769).

143. Jemima Benjamin b. 1779; d. December 10, 1850, age 71; m/1 Joshua Youngs, son of Daniel and Abiah (Swezey) Youngs b. May 23, 1778 at Aquebogue,L.I. d. August 30, 1808. He was a farmer at Aquebogue She m/2 David Downs b. 1779, d. 1850.

Resources: Research by Mrs. Robert Boehler of Wayne, Ind.; p. 130 and 168 Youngs Gen., Selah Young, 1907; Parish Records of Mattituck and Aquebogue 1751-1809, Charles Craven 1906; Salmon Records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin.

57. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[4] (Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1735 at Southold Long Island, New York; the son of Nathan and Deborah (Clark) Benjamin; died at unknown date at Southold. He married Hannah Wells on November 4, 1762 at Southold, L.I. She was the dau. of Joshua and Hannah (Wells) Wells. She was born November 24, 1741/2 at Mattituck and died November 30, 1724. (See #8.)

He is listed in the 1776 census with 1 male over 16; 3 males under 16; 1 female over 16; and 3 females under 16. He signed the Association Test in Brookhaven in July 1775.

An Ansamuel Benjamin was listed in the 1800 census of Riverhead, L.I.

(Note: Another source gave his wife's name as Mary Paine b. 1736 at Southold, the dau. of John Paine.)

Children of Samuel and Hannah (Wells) Benjamin:

*144. Samuel Benjamin b. May 20, 1769 at Southold, L.I.
145. 1 male b. 1765-76.
146. 1 male b. 1765-76.
*147. Wells Benjamin b. 1781.
148. 1 male b. 1779-84.
149. 3 females b. 1765-76.

Resources: Salmon Records; p. 212 William Wells of Southold, Charles W. Hayes, 1879; Research of David Benjamin of Cleveland, Ohio.

59. ELIZABETH BENJAMIN[4] (Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born at Southold, Long Island, the dau. of Nathan and Deborah (Clark) Benjamin. She m. Mathias Corwin of Riverhead, Long Island.

Children of Mathias and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Corwin:

150. Jeremiah Corwin; m. March 27, 1800 at the First Church of Southold, L.I. to Abigail Overton.

Resource: Vol. 65 p. 155 N.Y. Gen. and Biog. Record.

61. BENJAMIN BENJAMIN[4] (Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1743 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the son of Nathan and Sarah (Conklin) Benjamin. He died in 1830 at Russia, Herkimer Co., New York. He married Hannah Jesup/Jessop November 18, 1766 at Mattituck, L.I. (Parish rec.), the dau. of John Jessup. She was born in 1740 at either Westhampton or Southampton and died in 1805 (Bible rec.)

He was in the 1790 Census of Brookhaven, Suffolk Co., New York with 2-2-1 and 1 slave. In the 1776 census of Southold he was listed with one male over 16; two males under 16; 1 female over 16; and one female under 16 years of age. He signed the Association Test in Brookhaven in 1775.

This ancestor has a legend of huge size, boisterous habits, and left handedness.

Soon after 1790, he came with his wife and one daughter and three sons to the Royal Grant. They located near

the northeast corner of the present town of Fairfield, in the Ayres neighborhood. Here 200 acres of land was purchased, and another hundred in the Hurricane part of Norway. The intention was to give each son a hundred acre farm. After clearing up a large portion of the Fairfield farm, building two frame houses and two barns, their title was found to be worthless, and most of their labor lost.

The family removed to the Hurricane portion about 1800. No family living in the town furnished so many victims for that insidious disease, consumption. Their stalwart frames were no proof against this disease. In the Old Hurricane Cemetery there is a long row of Benjamin graves, a large majority dying of consumption. The Benjamin family were of large size, great muscular strength, and noted for integrity and industry. In religious sentiment they were Baptists, and many of them members of the Norway Regular and Free Will Baptist Churches. They were good farmers, added largely to their original purchase and in early years raised large quantities of grain, especially rye, which they drew to Albany in the winter season.

Benjamin was listed in the 1800 census of Fairfield, Herkimer Co., N.Y. with 1 male 16/26; 1 male over 45; and one female over 45.

Children of Benjamin and Hannah (Jesup) Benjamin:

*151. Sarah Benjamin b. 1760-76.
*152. Joshua Benjamin b. 1770 at Southold, L.I.
*153. Benjamin Benjamin Jr. b. 1775/6 at Southold.
*154. Jonathan Benjamin b. 1781 at Southold, L.I.

Resources: Salmon Records; Wilson Papers; Parish Records of Mattituck and Aquebogue 1751-1809, Rev. Charles Craven, 1906; Norway Tidings (Newspaper) Dec. 1887; J.P. Benjamin Family Bible records.

68. LT. SIMEON BENJAMIN[4] (William[3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born in 1720 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the son of William and Elizabeth (Terry) Benjamin; died June 30, 1861, at the age of 41 (gs) and is buried in the Cutchogue Burying Grounds. He married Abigail Wells on March/May 28, 1747/8. She was the dau. of Joshua and Mary (Brewster) Wells and was born in 1726 at Southold and died December 27, 1784, age 58 (gs) and is buried in the same cemetery as her husband. She m/2 Benjamin Browne in 1770, the son of Joseph and Dorothy (Tuthill) Browne b. 1720 and d. April 29, 1774. He had m/1 in 1739 Mary Tuthill Oysterponds.

In Mr. Browne's will, dated April 22, 1774, he names wife Abigail and sons: Gershom of Brookhaven and Israel of Goshen and George and dau.: Mary, Jemima, Elizabeth, and Bethia.

Simeon's name is listed in 1750 in "A Book of Church Records at Cutchogue" on page 1 and 2. He signed the Charter of 1749 at Cuthogue.

His will was dated April 4, 1761 and proved July 28, 1761 and names his wife and brother-in-law, John Wells, as executors. He names his wife, Abigail; eldest son, Joshua son, David; and dau., Hannah. Witnesses were Freegift Wells, Timothy Wells, and Manly Wells. (Probate Records Vol. 23 p. 212.)

Joshua Wells of Southold on May 15, 1760 names a dau. Abigail Benjamin, in his will.

Children of Simeon and Abigail (Wells) Benjamin:

*155. Joshua Benjamin b. 1747 at Cutchogue, L.I.

156. Mary Benjamin b. 1750; d. October 1, 1752, age 2 yrs 4 mos. (gs) buried at Cutchogue Burying Grounds.

157. Paul Benjamin b. 1754; d. January 21, 1756, age 2 yrs. (gs); buried at Cutchogue Burying Grounds.

158. Hannah Benjamin bapt. January 1756 at Cutchogue (cr); m. August 27, 1771 Gershome Case and had a son Paul Case who m. Sept. 16, 1801 Susanna Horton. (Note: Another record indicates she m. Col. Benjamin Case of War of 1812.)

159. David Benjamin bapt. December 1759; d. February 5, 1792, age 32-8-14 (gs) and is buried in the Cutchogue Burying Ground with Simeon and Abigail. This stone is badly defaced.

Resources: Salmon Records; Personal Index of Southod of 1698, Moore, 1868; p. 211 William Wells of Southold and His Desc., Charles Wells Hayes, 1909; Vol. 7 p. 128 and Vol. 30 p. 94 N.Y. Hist. Soc. Collectio n of Abstracts of Wills; Vol. 65 p. 156 and 339 N.Y. Gen. and Biog. Record; American Gen.; Tuttle-Tuthill Lines, Ava Tuttle, 1968; p. 19 Yates-Terry Gen., Shaffer, 1956.

69. WILLIAM BENJAMIN[4] (William[3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born 1731 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the son of William and Elizabeth (Terry) Benjamin; died April 21, 1809, at the age of 78 (gs) at Norville, L.I. and is buried in the Aquebogue Cemetery. He married Mary (Molly) Terry on April 21, 1754/5, the dau. of James and Mary (Corwin) Terry. They were actually first cousins, since James and Elizabeth Terry were brother and sister. Mary Terry was born in 1730 and died May 3, 1798, at the age of 68 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

This William is listed in the cemetery records as "grandfather of Rev. William Benjamin and son of John Benjamin". Some reference continue, what this compilier considers an error, by naming him a son of John[3] and Abigail (Wells) Benjamin, and consider this cemetery record as their proof. If the record was written late enough to name him the grandfather of a Rev. William, then the records accuracy is questionable--especially when John[3] did not name a son in his will.

In 1775 William Benjamin refused to sign the Associa-

tion Test.

He is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Southold with 2-0-3 and 1 free negro and 7 slaves. He is located in the 1800 census at Riverhead with 1 male 20/45; 1 male over 45; 2 females 16/26; and 1 female over 45 years. In the Baiting Hollow Church records, a W. H. Benjamin is listed under the date of July 4, 1812 with no males and 4 females in the family.

Children of William and Mary (Terry) Benjamin:

160. William Benjamin b. 1753; d. 1788; age 35; probably unmarried.
161. Infant son; d. 1755; listed as a son of William Jr.
*162. Richard Benjamin b. 1756-8.
163. James Benjamin b. 1759; d. March 1, 1809, age 50 (gs); buried in the Aquebogue Cemetery; probably unmarried. The inventory of this estate was taken by David Benjamin. According to papers dated October 5, 1809, David was a nephew to this James.
164. Asenah/Assenath Benjamin b. 1761; d. March 19, 1830, age 69 (gs) and buried at Aquebogue Cemetery; probably unmmarried. (female).
165. Mary (Polly) Benjamin; m. Rev. Maney Wells b. 1746, d. 1802. (See #168 for carry down.)
166. Elizabeth (Betsey) Benjamin b. 1774-84; m. February 9, 1807 James M. Youngs (known as 2nd), b. Feb. 14, 1744 at Aquebogue, L.I.
167. Hetty Benjamin b. 1774-84.

Resources: p. 165 Young Gen., Selah Young, 1907; Simeon Benjamin, Founder of Elmira College, McDowell; Records of Charles Benjamin of Elmira, N.Y.; Salmon Records; p. 156 Portrait and Biog. Rec. of Suffolk Co., N.Y.; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

72. JOHN BENJAMIN[4] (John[3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born about 1715; the probably son of John and Abigail (Wells) Benjamin; died May 31, 1733. He married Mary Reeves on February 15, 1732/3. She was the dau. of Capt. James and Deborah (Satterly) Reeves and was born after 1709 and died either July/September 30, 1745. Another record has her born about 1710 at Mattituck and died November 6, 1782 at Middle Island, L.I. She m/2 William Clark on June 2, 1735/6.

It would seem that there were probably no children of this marriage, since it was of such short duration.

Children of William and Mary (Reeves Benjamin) Clark:

Deborah Clark b. June 7, 1736; d. July 1778 at Stroudsburg, Penn.; m. May 5, 1755 at Mattituck to Parshall Terry.
Mary Clark.
Hannah Clark.
Bethnsheba Clark.

Deliverance Clark.
John Clark.
Puah Clark.

Resources: Salmon Records; Clark Family Gen., Walton Clark 1913; Research of Mrs. E. M. Reeves of Mesa, Arizona; Terry Family, Stephen Terry, 1887.

77. MEHITABLE BENJAMIN[4] (John[3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born in 1727 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the dau. of John and Abigail (Wells) Benjamin; died October 21, 1810, age 82, at Aquebogue, L.I. She married James Young on May 5, 1748. He was the son of Christopher and Joanna (Parshall) Young and was born in 1725 at Aquebogue and died March 11, 1791 at the age of 66 yrs. at Aquebogue.

Children of James and Mehitable (Benjamin) Young.
*168. Joanna Young b. 1748.

Resource: p. 17 Hist. of Parshall Family, Parshall, 1903; p. 89 and 126 Young Family, Selah Young, 1907.

80. COL. BENJAMIN TUSTEN[4] (Thomas Tusten[3], Priscilla[2], Richard[1]) born 1716 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the son of Thomas and Abigail (---) Tusten; died June 9, 1796 at the age of 80 years at Goshen, Orange Co., New York. He is buried in the Slate Hill Cemetery at Goshen. He m/1 Mary Horton on July 20, 1738 at Southold. She died May 29, 1739. He m/2 Abigail (called Julia) Conklin of Southold on March 20, 1739/40 at Southold. She was the dau. of Joseph and Elsie (Mapes) Conklin and was born in 1720 and died March 3, 1772. He m/3 Ruth ---. She was perhaps the Widow Carpenter.

He moved from Southold to Goshen after 1743. He was a member of the N.Y. Provincial Congress from 1775-6. In 1763 he was the Judge of the Orange Co. Common Pleas Court and in 1778 was on the list of Surrogates.

His will is dated Sept. 21, 1782 and proved June 15, 1796 (Liber A p. 305 at Goshen, N.Y.)

Children of Benjamin and Abigail (Conklin) Benjamin:
*169. Benjamin Tusten Jr. b. 1743 at Southold, L.I.
170. Elsie (Elinor) Tusten; m. Joseph Wood.
171. Desire Tusten; m. Phineas Case.
172. Abigail Tusten; m/1 John Knapp; m/2 Israel Wickham.
173. Juliana Tusten b. 1752; m. Christopher Van Duzer b. 1743, the son of Isaac and Elizabeth (Rosenboom) Van Duzer. They had 11 children.
174. Azuba Tusten; m. Joshua Davis, who d. 1804 at Ridgebury, Orange Co., N.Y.
175. Temperance Tusten; m. James Denton.
176. Lucretia Tusten; m. Alexander Saunders Wood.

Children of Benjamin and Ruth (---) Tusten:

177. Mary Tusten; m. perhaps William Roe.
178. one other dau. (Supposedly he had 9 daus. and one son.)

Resources: Records of Miss Elizabeth Horton of Middletown, N.Y.; Records of Miss Genevieve Van Duzer of Warwick, N.Y.

Chapter 14

GENERATION V - RICHARD LINE

83. ANNA BENJAMIN[5] (John[3-4], Richard[2-1]) born in 1761 at Mattituck, Long Island, New York; the son of John and and Hannah (Tuthill) Benjamin; bapt. August 18, 1761 at Mattituck; (Parish rec.); died December 18, 1830, age 68 yrs. (gs) and buried in the Mattituck Burying Ground. She married Daniel Wines on October 14, 1784 at Mattituck. (cr). He was the son of Major Thomas and Eunice (Case) Wines and was born in 1765 and died October 5, 1792 at Mattituck, age 27 yrs. 7 mos. She m/2 --- Gillman.

Children of Daniel and Anna (Benjamin) Wines:

179. John Case Wines b. March 1, 1790 at Mattituck; d. June 29, 1834 in New York City; m. Eliza Fulton.
180. Sophia Wines bp. June 10, 1792; d. April 16, 1866; m. Nicholas Misplee, who d. July 7, 1822, age 36. They had:
    Anna Misplee; m. Charles E. Aymar.
    Sophia Misplee ; m. Benjamin Mooney.
    Elizabeth Humphries Misplee; m. Lawrence S. Foreman.
    Mary Matilda Misplee; m. Charles H. Pond of Milford, Conn.
181. Salem Wines.
182. David Benjamin Wines.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

87. ISAIAH BENJAMIN[5] (John[3-4], Richard[2-1]) born in 1773 at Mattituck, Long Island, New York; the son of John and Hannah (Tuthill) Benjamin; bapt. November 6, 1774 at Mattituck; (Parish rec.); died January 24, 1860, age 86-2-22 at Mattituck (Parish rec.) and is buried in the Mattituck Burying Grounds. He m/1 Sarah Corwin on December 29, 1793 at Mattituck. (Parish rec.) She was born August 27, 1777 at Aquebogue, L.I. and died September 18, 1847 at Mattituck. (Parish rec.) She is buried with her husband. He m/2 Joanna (Benjamin) Hulse, the widow of James Hulse, who d. in 1834. She is the dau. of Nathan and Johanna (Sweezey) Benjamin and is born October 6, 1783 and died July 23/24, 1782/3, age 90 years and is buried in the Congregational Church cemetery at Baiting Hollow, L.I. (See #409.)

He is listed in the 1810 and 1840 census records at Southold, Long Island, N.Y.

Children of Isaiah and Sarah (Corwin) Benjamin:

183. Sarah Hubbard Benjamin b. August 23, 1794 at Mattituck, L.I.; bapt. May 24, 1795 (Parish rec.); m. Lewis Goodsmith.

184. Harmony Benjamin b. March 27, 1796 at Mattituck; bp. July 10, 1796 (Parish rec.); d. December 2, 1844 at Cutchogue, L.I.; m. November 23, 1819 Abial Tuthill b. March 16, 1797; d. April 18, 1863, the son of David and Mary (Terry) Tuthill. He m/2 Hannah Jessup. Harmony had 3 children.

185. John Benjamin b. November 2, 1898; bp. February 3, 1799; d. January 28, 1800/1, age 1-3-0.

*186. Isaiah Tuthill Benjamin b. March 2, 1802 at Mattituck

*187. John Benjamin b. December 28, 1805 at Mattituck.

188. Hannah Benjamin b. August 28, 1807 at Mattituck; d. October 5, 1888 at Cutchogue; m. Agust 22, 1826 Isaac T. Tuthill b. February 12, 1806, d. December 9, 1860, the son of David and Mary (Terry) Tuthill. They had 4 children.

189. Infant; probably born 1800-10; d. December 16, 1815.

*190. George Benjamin b. May 15, 1810 at Mattituck.

191. Mary Ann Benjamin b. December 22, 1813; d. January 28, 1904, age 90-1-6 at Mattituck; m. Edward Reeve.

*192. Austin Warner Benjamin b. April 10, 1815 at Mattituck

Resources: Parish Register of Mattituck and Aquebogue 1751 1809, Charles Craven, 1906; Tuttle-Tuthill Lines, Ava Tuttle, 1968; Census Records; Research by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

89. JAMES BENJAMIN[5] (David[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1740 in Orange Co., New York; the possible son of David and --- Benjamin; died before July 1790 in Orange Co., New York. He married Hannah Burt of Warwick, N.Y. on May 24, 1765. She was the dau. of Daniel and Hannah (Benedict) Burt and was born May 24, 1745. As a widow, she resided in Ridgebury, N.Y.

Daniel Burt was from Conn. He first moved to Cortland Manor (Peekskill), N.Y. before going to Warwick, Orange Co N.Y. Hannah Burt had a sister, Sarah, who m. Joshua Carpenter. Sarah was b. 1752.

James was listed in the Orange Co., Militia, the 4th Regt. and was given Bounty Rights. In the will of Samuel Jayn of Florida, Orange Co., N.Y., dated October 29, 1762, he names land bought from Samuel Baty, joining the lands of James Benjamin.

Hannah is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Minisink, Orange Co., N.Y. with one female.

Possible Children of James and Hannah (Burt) Benjamin:

*193. Elizabeth Benjamin b. 1765/6.

*194. James Benjamin bc. 1770.

195. David Benjamin; belonged to the Orange Co. Militia in

4th Regt. and had Land Bounty Rights. He is listed in the 1800 census of Warwick, Orange Co., N.Y with 1 m. 26/45; 1 f. 0/10; and 1 f. 26/45.

Resources: Hartford Times Aug. 12, 1950; Gen. Record of Henry Burt, Burnham, 1892; N.Y. in the Rev. as a Colony and State, James Roberts, 1898.

90. JESSE BENJAMIN[5] (David[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1748, probably in Southold, Long Island; the possible son of David and --- Benjamin. There is no known data on his death or where he resided or his other children. He m. Patience Wells.

Children of Jesse and Patience (Wells) Benjamin:
*196. Jesse Benjamin Jr. b. October 17, 1773.

Resource: Research of Rev. Garfield Williams of Nicholson, Penn.

92. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[5] (Jonathan[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born October 14, 1738 at Goshen, Orange Co., New York; the son of Jonathan Benjamin. He died August 26, 1841, at the age of 102 yrs. 10 mos. at Union Twp., Licking Co., Ohio. He is buried in the Old Colony Burying Grounds at Granville, Ohio. He married Margaret Brown (Brean) on March 10, 1759/60. She was the dau. of Daniel Brown and was born January 23, 1742 (Bible rec.) and died January 12, 1836 (Bible rec). or January 17, 1837, age 94 (DAR). An obit said she died in 1835.

Supposedly they were married in New York and moved to Penn. soon after their marriage. However, Daniel Brown was an early settler in Penn., so they may have married in Penn. In an obit record, it states they moved to Penn. in 1774. Jonathan was listed in the 1790 census at Northumberland Co., Penn. with 2-0-6.

Jonathan settled near the Susquehanna River in Penn. During the Rev. War he moved near Baltimore for protection because of the many Indian raids at that time. He then lived for a few years in Virginia, before settling in Ohio.

Jonathan received a pension for service as a private in the Rev. War under Capt. Newman and Capt. Hepburn in Col. Long's Penn. Regt. He enlisted January 1776 and served 4 years 6 mos.

Jonathan moved to Auter Creek (sometimes called Ramp Creek) with his family in the spring of 1802, and settled on a 50 acre donatinn lot joining that of his son-in-law, Ford. This lot was first occupied by John Horned. He came with Phineas Ford in 1798 to Ohio, looking for land.

Jonathan was, in some respects, an extraordinary man. He was a person of rather coarse features, but of strong muscular powers, with a still stronger will. He was very determined in all his undertakings, and of an unforgiving

temperment. Having passed through the French and Indian Wars, and through the Rev. War, and having suffered much and long by Indian depredations, both in the loss of friends and property, the finer feelings of his nature had become blunted to such an extent that he seemed to have lost most of his sympathy for his fellow man. Still, he was a man of religious habits, and of good morals, and was generally considered to be a man that was naturally morose and unsociable, and was not known through life to have expressed his forgiveness of the Indian race. He was not a reading man, hence what time he gave to social intercourse with neighbors was given to the relation of personal experiences or to business matters. He was a soldier, a frontiertsman, most of his life. It was not until he was about 80 years old that he consented to settle himself for the balance of his life. He bought in the woods and cleared up his last farm after he was 78 years old. Notwithstanding this life of hardships, the iron constitution of himself and his excellent wife sustained them to a great age. Mrs. Benjamin possessed social qualities that in great measure compensated for lack of them in her husband. They lived together as man and wife for nearly 80 (actually 77) years and raised a family of 7 daus. and one son, all of whom lived to raise families of their own, and most of them large families.

In 1798 he was in Marietta, Ohio; having come from near Wheeling, Virginia. In 1802 he was in Licking Co., Ohio. His first farm in Licking Co. was where Union Station now stands. He remained there until 1816, when he sold his land to James Holmes Jr. and bought again one mile further west, where he continued to live until his death.

At the age of 14 he entered military service and served throughout the French and Indian War.

Children of Jonathan and Margaret (Brown) Benjamin:
(had 10 children & raised 7 daus. and one son to adulthood)

*197. Benoni Benjamin b. April 11, 1772 in either Orange Co., N.Y. or Penn.
*198. Lilly Benjamin b. July 9, 1774.
*199. Mary Benjamin b. March 22/23, 1777 at York or Lycoming Co., Penn.
*200. Jemima Benjamin b. September 26, 1783 at Lycoming Co
201. Jane Benjamin; m. March 10, 1810 at Licking Co., Ohio to Isaac Ingraham/Ingman. (vr).
202. daughter; m. Fredrick Ford; settled near Lancaster, Fairfield Co., Ohio about 1801.
203. 2 other daughters.

Resources: Rev. Soldiers 1775-1783 Buried in Ohio, Frank Henderson, 1929; Vol. 99 p. 216 DAR Lineage Book; Records of Roland J. Benjamin of Park Ridge, Ill.; p. 317 Penn. Soc. SAR; p. 602 Hist. of Licking Co., Ohio, Norman Hill; Vol. 2 p. 167 Gateway to the West magazine; Obituary Re-

record from Independent Republican Vol. 15 #17, Nov. 26, 1841, (of Goshen, N.Y.)

93. DAVID BENJAMIN[5] (Jonathan[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1740 at Goshen, Orange Co., New York; the son of Jonathan Benjamin; died May 1775 or 1778 in Penn. and is buried in an unmarked grave. (Note: Since David's name appears on a petition dated Dec. 2, 1777, his death could not have occured in May 1775. Another account of this affair gives the date as May 24, 1778, while a third source suggets May 31, 1778.) He married Elizabeth Brown, a dau. of Daniel Brown. She was born in 1734 in Orange Co., N.Y. and died March 10, 1835 at Granville, Ohio at the age of 101 years.

In the 1790 census of Northumberland Co., Penn., the Widow Benjamin is listed with 3-2-1.

The first settlements in Loyalstock, Lycoming Co., Pa. were made very soon after the purchase in 1768 by Peter Smith, the Crowhovens, and Daniel Brown, who, with his family, suffered death by burning rather than expose them selves to the brutality of the savages in the summer of 1778. The assessment returns show that there were one hundred and eight taxable inhabitants in the township of Nuncy in 1773. Among those who paid taxes for this year were Daniel Brown, David Benjamin and Jonathan Benjamin.

On May 1778 a band of hostile savages appeared on the Loyalstock and committed an atrocious outrage. Daniel Brown was among the earliest settlers in this part of the country. He had two daughters married to two brothers named Benjamin andthey lived near the cabin of their father-in-law. On the alarm of the approach of the Indians, the Benjamins, with their families fled to the residence of Mr. Brown and made preparations to defend themselves. The Indians made an attack on the house, but met with stout resistance; which was kept up for some time. During the fight, an Indian was killed by a shot from a gun in the hands of one of the Benjamins. This greatly en raged the assailants and finding they could not dislodge the besieged, they managed to set fire to the house. The flames made rapid headway and a horrible death stared the inmates in the face if they remained inside. What was to be done? Remain inside and be consumed, or come forth to be dispatched by the tomahawks of the savages? Either alternative was a dreadful one. The Benjamins finally decided to come forth and trust to the mercy of their foes. Brown refused, and remained inside with his wife and one daughter; all three were consumed. When the Benjamins emerged from the door, one of them carried his youngest child in his arms. A burly savage brandished his tomahawk and with a fiendish yell, buried the glittering steel in the brain of David Benjamin. As he fell, his wife, who was by his side, shrieked and caught the child in her arms.

The remainer of the survivors were seized and carried into captivity. This horrible tradgedy occurred on what was a long known as the Buckley farm on Loyalstock. Three brothers and a small sister were taken prisoners by the Indians. They were the children of David Benjamin.

Another story of the same incident tells that David and his family had gone out to view their farm land, while the family of Jonathan had done the same thing, but that Jonathan's land was on the other side of the river. The Indians surprised them and as David tried to defend his family, he shot an Indian and was immediately killed. His family was taken into captivity, whereas Jonathan's family remained safe because of the protection of the river. Elizabeth and her children were taken into northern New York and perhaps into Canada and were kept captive for about seven years. The young daughter, who's name has been lost, was brought up by the Indians, married an Indian, and had children. Either at her recapture or after the peace was made, she returned to her family, but was unhappy and discontented and so was permitted to return to her Indian family. The mother and sons eventually were returned to Penn.

Children of David and Elizabeth (Brown) Benjamin:

*204. David Benjamin Jr. b. 1767 in Penn.
*205. Ezekiel Benjamin.
*206. Daniel Benjamin.
*207. William Benjamin b. 1768 in Penn.
*208. Nathan Benjamin b. 1771 in Penn.
unknown daughter.

Resources: Records of Roland J. Benjamin of Park Ridge, Ill.; Records of Robert Kilduff; Hist. of Lycoming Co., Penn. p. 109-10 and 242 by John Meginness.

94. RICHARD BENJAMIN[5] (Jonathan[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born between 1740-50 probably in Goshen, Orange Co., New York; the probable son of Jonathan Benjamin; died March 21, 1815 at Bennett Creek, Penn. and is buried on the Storr Farm with no headstone. He married Martha Bennett, dau. of Amos and Anna (Duncan) Bennett. She was born between 1750-60 at Wyoming Valley, Penn.

He is listed in 1796 as a taxable inhabitant of the Wyalusing District of Bradford Co., Penn.

There is a Richard Benjamin listed in the 1790 census at Warwick, Orange Co., N.Y. with 1-3-3.

In the fall of 1782 or 1785 Richard moved to Wyalusing area in Penn. (Note: Ne does not seem to appear in the 1790 census of Penn.) Benjamin Ackla, Richard Benjamin, and Amos Bennett came to, what was afterwards called Bennett's Creek and built some log houses in the fall of 1793 in Asylum Township. They were originally from Florida, near Goshen, in Orange Co., N.Y.

Richard lived near where H. L. Haight lived in 1891. He was listed in the 1810 census of Towanda Twp., Luzerne

Co., Penn.

There is a military record for a Richard Benjamin who was a member of the N.Y. Provincial Troops and enlisted April 21, 1760 at the age of 19 (bc. 1741), was a weaver, born in Suffolk Co. and was in the Company of Capt. Daniel Wells. (This might be the military record of another Richard, because of the birth place!) Another source says he served as a private the later part of the Rev. War in the Florida Regt. of the Orange Co. Militia commanded by Col. Henry Wisner.

Children of Richard and Martha (Bennett) Benjamin:

*209. Jonathan Benjamin b. 1770 in New York.
210. Polly Benjamin b. 1782 in N.Y.; m. Samuel Chilson; resided in Durell, Bradford Co., Penn. in 1850.
*211. John Benjamin b. 1785.
*212. David Benjamin bc. 1787 in Penn.
*213. Peter Benjamin bc. 1787.
*214. Jesse Benjamin bc. 1792 in Penn.
215. Sally Benjamin b. 1795 in Penn.; m. Ebenezer Drake of Wysox, Penn; resided in Durell, Bradford Co., Penn. in 1850.
216. Hetty Benjamin bc. 1794-1800; m. Robert Chilson.
217. Patty Benjamin bc. 1794-1800; m. Amos Varganson.
*218. Joshua Benjamin bc. 1800 in Penn.
219. Betsey Benjamin b. 1800-10; had a son George Benjamin b. 1821 (apparently out of wedlock).
220. 2 other children; died young.

Resources: p. 183 & 270 Vol. I Hist. of Bradford Co., Penn David Craft, 1878; p. 284 Hist. and Geog. of Bradford Co., Penn, Heverly, 1926; p. 3 Twigs from Fam. Tree; N.Y. Hist. Soc., N.Y. Muster Rolls p. 234.

96. JULIA BENJAMIN[5] (Jonathan[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) possibly a dau. of Jonathan Benjamin; m. Jacob Bennett. He was a son of Abraham and Jerusha (Wanzer) Bennett b. June 3, 1772 at either Warwick, N.Y. or Sussex Co., N.J. and died December 7, 1851 at Howard, Steuben Co., New York. Jacob m/2 Thankful Baker or Thankful Stephen and m/3 Charlotte Getchell.

Children of Jacob and Julia (Benjamin) Bennett:

221. Isaac Bennett bc. 1794; d. March 26, 1836, age 42; m. Lydia Rathbone.
222. Jerusha Bennett bc. 1796; m. William Sabin.
223. Abram Bennett b. Sept. 13, 1798; d. May 28, 1889; m. Emily Rathbone.
224. Benjamin Bennett b. July 18, 1800; d. Jan. 3, 1865; age 64; m/1 Marietta Mapes; m/2 Mary A. Armstrong.
225. Maria Bennett; m. David G. Winnie.
226. Betsey Bennet; m. David Gatchell.
227. Asenath Bennett bc. 1805; d. before 1852 at Silver Creek, Ill.; m. Jesse Wells & had 7 children.
228. John W. D. Fletcher Bennett; resided at Hiram, Ohio;

m. Prudence Baker.

229. Adeline Bennett; resided in 1852 at Florida, Michigan; m. William Nichols.

Children of Jacob and Thankful (Baker) Bennett:
Jeremiah Bennett; died before 1852; m. Anne Winne.

Resource: p. 25 Ancestral Lines of Chester Everts Howell, Jessie French, 1965; Boston Transcript Sept. 20, 1934.

97. SILAS D. (?DAVID) BENJAMIN[5] (Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1750 in Orange Co., New York; the son of Silas Benjamin and died in 1818. He married Elizabeth Youngs of Oxford Depot, Orange Co., N.Y. She was born before 1755. Their death dates are unknown.

Silas Jr. and Sr. were in the First Regt. of the Orange Co. Militia under Col. Jesse Woodhull and in the Ulster Co. Militia under Col. Levi Pawling. In 1775 he signed the Association Test in Cornwall, N.Y. He was listed in the 1790 census of New Cornwall, Orange Co., N.Y with: 2-4-4 and in the 1800 census of Blooming Grove, Orange Co., N.Y. with: 1 m. 0/10; 1 m. 16/26; 2 m. 45+// 1 f. 0/10; 2 f. 10/16; and 1 f. 45+. He is also listed in the 1810 census at Blooming Grove, N.Y.

Children of Silas D. and Elizabeth (Youngs) Benjamin:

*230. James Benjamin bc. 1775.
*231. David Benjamin b. December 3, 1780.
*232. John Benjamin b. 1774-94.
*233. Abraham Benjamin b. January 22, 1781/1784.
*234. Colville (Colvin) Benjamin b. 1780-1790.
*235. Silas Benjamin Jr. b. 1780-90.
*236. Elizabeth Benjamin b. 1784-90.
*237. Mary Benjamin bc. 1790-1800.
*238. Sarah Ann Benjamin b. March 13, 1791.
239. Susan Benjamin; m. Stephen Clark.
240. Kissie Benjamin; died at age 18 years.

Resources: Wilson Papers; N.Y. in the Rev. as a Colony and State, James Roberts, 1898; Tuttle-Tuthill Lines in Am., Tuttle, 1968; Records of Olive R. Nozell of Monroe, N.Y.

98. ?JOHN BENJAMIN[5] (Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) a possible son of Silas Benjamin; born about 1743/5 at Goshen, Orange Co., New York; died in 1826 at Mt. Pleasant, Wayne Co., Penn. He married Sarah Mary Vincent (Mathews) Reed Osborn. She was born November 17, 1744/5 at Goshen, N.Y. and died April 6, 1859-61 at Mt. Pleasant, Wayne Co., Penn. and is buried in the Methodist Cemetery near Mt. Pleasant. She had m/1 William Reed, who died in the Rev. War. She m/2 Aaron Osborne, who's place she took as a sentinel at the siege of Yorktown.

John was listed in the 1790 census at New Cornwall, Orange Co., New York with: 2-0-3 and in the 1800 census

at New Windsor, Orange Co., N.Y. with: 0-0-0-0-1//0-2-0-1-0. (Note: There is also a John Benjamin in 1790 census at Bucks Co., Penn. with 2-0-1.)

Sarah acted as a nurse and served as a sentinel with overcoat and gun, in place of her husband, so he might load ordance for the defense of the Hudson. She accompanied the Army to the south and during the siege of Yorktown relieved the wants of the suffering. She was with the Army all through the Revolutionary War. She applied for a pension in 1837 in Wayne Co., Penn. for her services during the Rev. War.

After the war, she and her second husband "went west" to earn their living by farming. After his death, she returned to Orange Co., near Newburgh.

Vincent Mathews was a well known lawyer in the early days of Goshen, Orange Co., N.Y.

Children of Aaron and Sarah (Mathews Reed) Osborne:
Phoebe Osborne.
Aaron Osborne.

Children of John and Sarah (Mathews Reed Osborne) Benjamin:
*241. Samuel (Andrew Jackson) Benjamin b. either 1782 or 1787.
*242. Christina Mathews Benjamin b. May/July 25, 1784 or 1794.
243. James Benjamin.

Resources: DAR Lineage Book Vol. 21 p. 319; Records of Mrs John H. Schroeder of Evansville, Ind.

?99. COLVIN BENJAMIN[5] (Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1745-1750; a possible son of Silas Benjamin.

He was listed in the 1800 census of New Windsor, Orange Co., N.Y. with: 2-2-1-0-1//1-1-0-1-0-0. His wife and names of his children are unknown.

Children of Colvin Benjamin:
244. 1 male b. 1774-84.
245. 2 males b. 1784-790.
246. 1 female b. 1784-1790.
247. 2 males b. 1790-1800.
248. 1 female b. 1790-1800.

Resource: Census record.

?100. DANIEL BENJAMIN[5] (Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born either in 1756 or January 25, 1759; a possible son of Silas Benjamin He died November 24, 1853 at Vernon Township, Sussex Co., New Jersey and he married Amey ----, who was born in 1760. This marriage would almost seem to be a second one.

He is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Warwick, Orange Co., N.Y. with: 1-1-7 and in the 1800 Federal census at Warwick with: 2-0-0-0-1//1-1-1-1-0.

Daniel applied for a Rev. War pension on April 16, 1818 at Vernon, Sussex Co., New Jersey, where he resided in 1820. He stated that he enlisted in 1775 at Warwick He names his wife, Amey, and two youngest children in this pension application.

Children of Daniel Benjamin:

*?249. Daniel Benjamin b. 1780-90.
250. Jonathan Benjamin; died intestate and letter of administration were granted to his father, Daniel Benjamin of Goshen, N.Y. The letters were dated June 19, 1784. Jonathan was a private in Col. Van Cortland's Regt.
251. 1 female b. 1774-84.
252. 1 femlae b. 1784-90
253. 1 female b. 1790-1800
254. 2 males b. 1790-1800
255. William Benjamin bc. 1805.
256. Amy Benjamin bc. 1808.

Resources: Census Records; N.Y. Hist. Soc. Collection Vol. 36 p. 410; pension record.

?101. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[5] (Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born born about 1663; a possible son of Silas Benjamin. He married Deborah ---, who was born about 1762-5. They were both alive in 1840.

He appears in the 1790 Federal Census of Warwick, Orange Co. with 1-2-2 and in the 1830 and 1840 census of the same place.

He applied for a Rev. War Pension (#S45260) in1818 where he resided in Warwick, N.Y. He names his wife and states his age and said he enlisted in 1778 in the 2nd Regt. and served under Capt. Hamtamack and Col. Cortland, and was discharged in 1783 at New Windsor. The state of New York records indicate he enlisted at Rochester, N.Y. and was on the Description Roll of the Com. of Light Inf. in the 2nd N.Y. Regt on June 22, 1779.

Possible Children of Samuel and Deborah (---) Benjamin:

?*257. Jacob Benjamin b. 1755-74.
?*258. Zachariah Benjamin bc. 1755-74.
?*259. John Benjamin.
260. 1 female b. 1774-1790.

Resources: Census records; p. 347 Vol. II Calendar of Hist Manuscripts relating to the War of the Rev., in the office of the Sec. of State, Albany, N.Y., 1868; Pension record

?101½. NATHAN BENJAMIN[5] (Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1760/1; a possible son of Silas Benjamin; died August 14, 1847, age 86 (gs) and buried in the Methodist Church Yard in Vernon, New Jersey. He married Margaret ---, who was born in January 11, 1764 and died January 31, 1843, age

78-11-22 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Nathan's will is dated Sept. 11, 1842 and was proved in 1845 with Daniel Haines and William Benjamin named as executors.

On May 4, 1803 there was a land transfer in Vernon, N.J. from Nathan Benjamin and his wife Margaret to William Winane (Wyant), Richard Esdall and his wife Elizabeth.

Nathan served in the Rev. War in the New Jersey troops as a private from Sussex Co. and served in Col. Smith's Regt. His grave marker also indicates he served in the War of 1812 in the Washington Troops of N.J.

This is of doubtful placement, but felt that this line should be included in the genealogy. There is much more work that needs to be done in the Orange Co. and New Jersey areas. It is your compiliers belief that most of the New Jersey Benjamins (especially the Sussex Co. ones) came originally from Orange Co., N.Y.

Nathan made a codicil to his will on Jan. 2, 1845 that said that the share he left his dau. Margaret Hamilton, wife of James Hamilton, whould be held in trust for her, that payment of her share might be given from time to time to cover the cost of her support; and that the proceeds be given to her children after her death. Witnesses to his will were Benjamin and George W. Hamilton and John Ricky. Witnesses to the codicil were Benjamin Hamilton and Caroline and Sarah Huffman.

Children of Nathan and Margaret (---) Benjamin:

*261. Elizabeth Benjamin b. 1787.
*263. John Benjamin b. 1789.
*264. David Benjamin b. 1790.
265. Jemima Benjamin; m. Joshua Wright.
*266. Robert D. Benjamin b. 1799.
*267. Nathan Benjamin b. April 16, 1801.
268. Margaret Benjamin b. 1815-20; m. James Hamilton.
?269. Warren Benjamin b. 1815-20; perhaps d. y.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Corrine Boehler of Wayne, Ind. p. 505 Official Register of Officers and Men in N.J. in Rev. War, Stokes, 1872; Census records.

104. JOSHUA WELLS[5] (Jule-Anna[4], Bethia[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1743 at Southold, Long Island; the son of Freegift and Jule-anna (Booth) Wells; died February 6,1787. He m/1 Martha Corey on May 5, 1773. She died April 7, 1781. He m/2 Beulah Fowler on April 14, 1783. She was "of Gilford, Conn."

He was a refugee in Conn. during the Rev. War and is said to have removed to Orange Co., N.Y. after the war.

Children of Joshua Wells:

270. Ann Wells.
271. Bethia Wells.
272. Naomi Wells.

Resource: Mather's Refugees of 1776 from L.I. to Conn.

105. JONATHAN WELLS[5] (Jule-Anna[4], Bethia[3], Richard[2-1]) born March 11, 1746 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the son of Freegift and Jule-Anna (Booth) Wells; died in 1809. He married Joanna/Juleana Horton on March 1771.

He, too, was a refugee from L.I. to Conn. during the Rev. War.

Children of Jonathan and Juanna (Horton) Wells:

273. Juleana Wells b. Sept. 7, 1772.
274. Jonathan Wells b. Sept. 3, 1774; had 10 sons.
275. James Wells b. Sept. 10, 1776.
276. Susanna Wells b. May 15, 1780.
277. Abigail Wells b. Nov. 13, 1783.
278. Deborah Wells b. March 31, 1786.
279. Mary Wells b. August 27, 1788.
280. Temperance Wells b. May13, 1792.
281. Giles Wells b. Sept. 3, 1794; d. Nov. 17, 1869.

Resource: Mather's Refugees of 1776 from L.I. to Conn.1913

106. HERRICK BENJAMIN[5] (Herrick[4], Jonathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1740 either at Southold, Long Island, N.Y.or in New Jersey; the probably son of Herrick and Deborah (Simons) Benjamin. His death date is unknown. He married Mary Stout on March 6, 1764, the dau. of Jonathan and Leah (---) Stout of Middletown, Monmouth Co., New Jersey. She seems to have died before 1773.

On October 13, 1773 Jonathan Stout of Middletown, Monmouth Co., N.J., yeoman, with wife Leah, leaves 40 pounds to grandchildren Leah and Stout Benjamin. (N.J. Wills Vol. 5 p. 506.) Jonathan Stout did not name his dau. in his will, so it would be presumed that she had died.

There are some that have contended that the Herrick Benjamin who m. Mary Stout, was Herrick[4] and that this was his second marriage.

Children of Herrick and Mary (Stout) Benjamin:

282. Leah Benjamin.
*283. Stout C. Benjamin b. 1764 in New Jersey.
*284. Jonathan Benjamin
*285. John Benjamin. (Note: In one instance, children named were Leah and John Benjamin. John may be the same person as Stout, or an additional child.)

Resources: Stout and Allied Fam. Vol. I, Herald Stout, 1951

108. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[5] (Herrick[4], Jonathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1746 at Morristown, Morris Co., New Jersey; the possible son of Herrick and Deborah (Simons) Benjamin; died August 8, 1804 at the age of 58 at Morriston, N.J. (First Church of Morristown cr). He married Elizabeth Hines on January 24, 1769 at the First Presbyterian Church

of Morristown, N.J. (cr).

He advertised for his strayed or stolen horse on June 16,1775 and gave his address as 'living near the Court House'. He served with the Morris Co. Militia in the Revolutionary War as an 'Artificier'.

Children of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Hines) Benjamin:

286. Daughter, under 16 years of age in 1771 census record.
*287. Jonathan Benjamin bc. 1775.
*288. Joseph Benjamin bc.1776 in N.J.

Resources: Census Records; Vol. 31 p. 159 N.J. Archives, First series.

109. SUSANNA BENJAMIN[5] (Herrick[4], Jonathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born August 27, 1748; the dau. of Herrick and Deborah (Simons) Benjamin; died January 25, 1817. She married Uzal Tomkins of Morristown, N.J. on December 30, 1771, the son of Rev. Ichabod and Hannah (Goble) Tomkins. He was born on October 26, 1747 and died April 12, 1831. He m/1 Martha Reeves on Jan. 19, 1769, the dau. of Jonathan and Mehitable (Tuthill) Reeves. She died April 22, 1770, age 19. He m/3 Elizabeth Osborne.

The great grandson of Uzal and Susanna (Benjamin) Tomiins, Benjamin Goble, said in Feb. 1895 that his grandfather, Usal Tomkins, was the 'Dr. Butternut' who is mentioned in local histories of Morris Co., N.J. He obtained this peculiar name by doctoring the soldiers sick with small pox around Morristown during the Rev. War with pills made from butternuts. Someone has written in the old church records 'Her (Susannah's) wedding slippers are on display now (1885) at Washington's Headquarters'.

Children of Uzal and Marth (Reeves) Tomkins:

Jared Tomkins b. 1770; d. in infancy.

Children of Uzal and Susannah (Benjamin) Tomkins:

289. Peter Tomkins b. Sept. 17, 1772; d. 1836; m. Sarah Fairchild.
290. Jacob Tomkins b. Nov. 13, 1773; d.1853; m. Mary Goble.
291. Abraham Tomkins b. April 19, 1775; d. 1777.
292. Robert Tomkins b. 1776; d. 1776.
293. Jonathan Tomkins b. Nov. 6, 1778; d. 1823; m. Nancy Lindsley.
294. Hannah Tomkins b. June 1780; d. 1860; m. William Goble.
295. Sarah Tomkins b. April 5, 1782; d. 1850; m. James Stephens Jr.
296. Squier Tomkins b. August 23, 1783; d. 1847; m. Mary Clark.
297. Martha Tomkins b. April 7, 1785; d. 1861; m. John Lindsley Jr.

298. Eunice Tomkins b. January 13, 1787; d. 1873; m. Mahlon Lindsley.

Resource: p. 42 and 95 Tomkins-Tompkins Gen., Robert and Clare Tomkins, 1942.

116. JOHN BENJAMIN[5] (Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born between 1755-74; the son of Richard and Dorothy (Clark) Benjamin; bapt. December 2, 1764 at Mattituck, Long Island (Parish record). He married Patience Post, who was born between 1755-74.

He resided or died in Roxbury, Delaware Co., N.Y., but his death date is unknown. He was located in the 1800 census records at Roxbury, Delaware Co., N. Y. with: 2-1-1-1-0//1-1-1-1-0 between Charles Daniels and I.Moffet.

It might seem, from his first son's birth place, that he married in Conn., where he went to during the Rev. War.

Children of John and Patience (Post) Benjamin:

*299. Jesse Benjamin b. 1778 prob. in Saybrooke, Conn.

?300. 1 male b. 1784-90. Perhaps Samuel Benjamin, who was an ensign in the N.Y. State Militia in the Delaware Co. Regt. in 1811. He seemes to have moved by 1818.

301. 1 male b. 1790-1800.

*302. Roxanna Benjamin b. February 25, 1779 at Saybrooke.

303. 1 female b. 1784-90.

304. 1 female b. 1790-1800.

Resources: Parish Records of Mattituck and Aquebogue1751-1809, Charles Craven, 1906; Wilson Papers; N.Y. Military Records; Census Records.

117. USHER BENJAMIN[5] (Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born between 1760-1770; the son of Richard and Dorothy (Clark) Benjamin; bapt. December 2, 1764 at Mattituck, Long Island, New York (Parish rec.).

According to Dr. Wilson's records, Usher either resided or died in Rensalaerville, Albany Co., N.Y. However, he is listed in the 1800 census at Middleburgh, Schoharie Co., N.Y. with 2 males 0/10; 1 m. 26/45// 1 f. 0/10; 1 f. 10/16; and 1 f. 26/45. There is an Asa Benjam in listed in the 1820 census of Middlebury (no Usher) with 1 m. 16/18; 2 m. 16/26; 1 m. 45+// 1 f. 16/26 and 1 f. 26/45 that might be a misspelling of the name Usher. However, Usher is again listed in the 1810, 1825, 1835, and 1845 census for Middleburg. He apparently died befor 1850. It would also seem apparent from the records that he was married twice. His first wife is unknown, but she was born about the same time that he was. His second wife was Selinda Whiting, whom he apparently married about 1820. Selinda was born either in 1788 or 1793.

Selinda is living with her son Edwin in the 1850 cen-

sus, but is again living alone on her 600 acres in 1855.

On March 4, 1849 (#17-418) Jacob L. Benjamin granted land to Edwin R. Benjamin in Schoharie Co. land records and this land was subject to a life long lease from Jacob L. Livingston to Usher Benjamin. On the day before (#17-416) Samuel S. Benjamin granted land to Jacob L. and Edwin R. Benjamin.

Your compiler wonders if this Livingston name night be a clue to the idenity of Usher's first wife.

Children of Usher and unknown wife Benjamin:

*305. Samuel S. Benjamin b. 1790/1.
*306. Daniel Benjamin b. 1791/2 at Rensalaer Co., N.Y.
307. 1 female bc. 1784-90.
308. Dolly Benjamin b. 1795; d. 1835; m. 1816 Joseph Walrous, who was b. 1794, d. 1875, the second son of Dan Spencer Walrous. They moved to Bridgwater, Penn. in 1817.
309. 1 male bc. 1800-10.

Children of Usher and Selinda (Whiting) Benjamin:

310. 1 female bc. 1825-35.
*311. Edwin R. Benjamin b. 1822.
*312. Jacob L. Benjamin b. November 9, 1823.

Resources: p. 667 Centinnal Hist. of Susquehanna Co, Penn. Stockes, 1974; Census Records.

119. RICHARD BENJAMIN[5] (Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born June 18, 1769 at Mattituck, Long Island, New York; the son of Richard and Dorothy (Clark) Benjamin; bapt. October 29, 1769 at Mattituck. (Parish rec.). He died August 22, 1845 at Durham, Green Co., New York. He m/1 Jersuah --- on October 27, 1791. She was born July 1, 1771. He m/2 Laura Mudge, the dau. of Abraham and Phebe (Valentine) Mudge. She was born September 9, 1791 at Florida, Montgomery Co., N.Y. and died November 14, 1871 at Allston, South Carolina.

Richard was located in the 1820 and 1830 census record at Durham, Green Co., N.Y. His will is on file at Durham Box 19-561.

In the Green Co. Land Records in 1809 John Wright sold 49 acres of land to Richard; and in 1814 J. Cockburn sold 108 acres of land to Richard and E. Keil sold 12 acres. In 1827 J. Pratt sold 28 acres to Richard. In 1833 Richard and wife Laura of Durham sold land to Anna Mudge of Burnbridge. In 1841 B. Cooke sold 15 acres and S. Standard sold 1 acre. In 1846, the widow of Richard sold 5 parcels in Durham to David Davenport.

Children of Richard and Jerusha (---) Benjamin:

313. Esther Benjamin; b. December 17, 1792; m. Ambres Wright.
314. Lavinia (Lodema) Benjamin b. June 25, 1795; m. Lyman Standard.

315. Richard Benjamin Jr. b. April 10, 1797; not named in Richard's will; perhaps d. before 1845.
316. Ameriah Benjamin b. April 4, 1802; d. July 9, 1806. (Note: There was an Ameriah Benjamin listed in the 1830 census of Durham, Green Co., N.Y. with 1 male 0/5 (b. 1825-30); 1 m. 20/30; and 1 female 20/30, which would tend to indicate that either the above death record is wrong, or another son was born and named Ameriah. Also, Ameriah's son, Lysander Benjamin, was named in Richard's will, which would also indicate that Ameriah had a son and probably died before 1845.
*317. Zerah Benjamin b. June 20, 1808.
*318. Horatio Nelson Benjamin b. September 16, 1808.
319. Jerusha Meriah Benjamin b. December 6, 1810.; m. John Grenet; resided in Durham in 1845.

Children of Richard and Laura (Mudge) Benjamin:
*320. Stillwell Mudge Benjamin b. October 11, 1826 at Durham, N.Y.
321. Laura Ann Benjamin b. June/July 28, 1828 at Durham; m. Martin Chapin; resided at Allston, South Carolina.
*322. John Wesley Benjamin b. December 23, 1832 at Durham.
323. Abraham Page/Paige Benjamin b. October 29, 1834.

Resources: Records of Rev. Stanley L. Benjamin of Cheboygan, Michigan; Gen. and Fam. Hist. of Central N.Y., W. R. Cutter, 1912; Wilson Papers; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

120. DANIEL BENJAMIN[5] (Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1772; the son of Richard and Dorothy (Clark) Benjamin; bapt. May 25, 1774 at Mattituck, Long Island, New York. (Parish rec.) He died August 16, 1835 at Coxsackie, Green Co., New York. He married Molly/Polly Dowd on October 12, 1795 at Madison, Conn. (cr 2-149). She was born 1772 at East Guilford, Conn. (now Madison), the dau. of Timothy and Mercy (Crampton) Dowd and died in 1841, after a long sickness, at Coxsackie, N.Y.

Daniel's will is on file in Green Co. (Box 16 packet 395) and names the children of deceased son Daniel and his other children. He is listed in the Grantee Index of Green Co. land records. In Nov. 1825 S. King sold 4 acres to Daniel; in 1825 Daniel and wife Polly sold land in Durham; and in 1835 I. Smith sold land to Daniel.

Children of Daniel and Molly (Dowd) Benjamin:
324. Lucinda M./?Cynthia Benjamin b. 1796; d. February 24, 1874, age 77-3-13 (gs) and is buried in the Freehold Cemetery in Green Co., N.Y. She m. Silas Standard of Durham. He was bc. 1792, d. Aug. 21, 1873, age 60-4-10 (gs) and is buried with his wife. Their children were: Grove Standard;

Libbie Jane Standard; Eli (Ely) Standard; a dau. who m. Frank Brown; Mary Standard m. --- Jones and had a dau. Elizabeth Jones; and Alexander Amos Standard.

*325. Daniel Benjamin. (There was a child bapt. Oct. 1799 at Madison, Conn. that was a child of Daniel and Molly Dowd. Your compilier feels that it was probably this Daniel.)

326. Wells (?Amos Wells) Benjamin bapt. April 1802 at Madison, Conn. (First Cong. cr 2-28).

*327. Jesse Benjamin bapt. April 1802 at Madison, Conn. (First Cong. cr 2-28).

*328. William Hubbard Benjamin bapt. October 1813 at Madison, Conn. (First Cong. cr 2-34).

*329. Horace Benjamin b. 1808.

330. Henry Benjamin; was 'of Penn.' when mentioned in his father's will.

*331. Alexander Hamilton Benjamin.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.; Records of Mrs. W.R. Lawrence of St. Michaela, Md.; Dowd Gen. in Guilford Gen., Talcott.

121. GAMALIAL BENJAMIN[5] (Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born February 2, 1772; the son of Richard and Dorothy (Clark) Benjamin; bapt. May 25, 1774 at Mattituck, Long Island, N.Y. (Parish rec.); d. Oct. 24, 1863, age 91-8-22 (gs) and is buried in the Crossroads Cem., Crystal Lake, Albany Co., N.Y. He married Dotheria Jones b. Sept. 29, 1773 and d. Apr. 21, 1842, age 68-6-22 (gs) and buried with husband.

According to Dr. Wilson's records Gamalial resided in Rensalaerville, Albany Co., N.Y. However, there is a Gamalial Benjamin listed in the 1800 census at Freehold, Green Co., N.Y. with 2-0-0-1-0//0-0-1-0-0 that your compiler suspects is the correct one. It also seems that he resided in Schoharie Co., N.Y. at some time.

Children of Gamalial and Dotheria (Jones) Benjamin:

*332. Hiram Benjamin b. 1790-1800.

333. Harvey Benjamin b. 1790-1800.

*334. Henry Benjamin b. 1800-10.

335. Ruth Benjamin.

336. Maria Benjamin.

*337. Alanson Lewiston Benjamin bc. 1802 at Middleburgh, Schoharie Co., N.Y.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Charles Mullen of Ft. Edward,NY

?121. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[5] (Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born between 1770-1780; a possible son of Richard and Dorothy (Clark) Benjamin. He married Fanny Staley of Duanesburgh, Albany Co., New York on July 17, 1795. He was "of Remsenbush, N.Y.' at the time of the marriage. She was born 1770-1780.

He was located in the 1820, 1825, and 1830 census

records of Blenheim, Schoharie Co., N.Y. In the 1820 census he was located between Widow Nellie Shaw and Wallace Staley. In the 1830 census Ruloff Benjamin lived next door.

This Jonathan is placed as a possible son of Richard, because of his initial location in Albany Co., N.Y. (since Dr. Wilson had placed several sons in that area); because of his location in the Schoharie Co., N.Y. at a later time (Usher, another son of Richard, was located in the same area); and because the first names of several grandchildren were family names used in the Richard line (namely Valentine and Page); and Dr. Wilson had included a son named David for whom there seem to be no records.

Children of Jonathan and Fanny (Staley) Benjamin:

*338. Ebenezer Benjamin bapt. May 18, 1798 at Schenectady, N.Y.
*339. Mathias Benjamin b. 1802/3 at Schenectady, N.Y.
*340. Henry Benjamin bc. 1806/7.
341. 2 females b. 1804-10.
*342. Ruloff Benjamin bc. 1810.
343. 1 female b. 1810-15.
344. 1 female b. 1815-20.
345. 1 male b. 1820-25; this child perhaps died, since there is one male death in this family reported in 1825.
346. 1 female b. 1820-25.
347. 2 females b. 1825-30.

Resource: Census records.

122. JOSIAH BENJAMIN[5] (Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1777 in Conn.; the son of Richard and Dorothy (Clark) Benjamin; died April 24, 1867, age 89-1-0 (gs) and buried in the Franklinton Cemetery in Broome Twp.; Schoharie Co., N.Y. He married Betsey Rood, who was born in 1788 in Rhode Island. She died June 25, 1864, age 75-3-5 (gs) and is buried with her husband. He may have been married twice, since son Zina's death record indicates that his mother was Anna --- who was b. in Conn.

Josiah was listed in the 1800 thru 1860 census records of Middleburgh and Livingstonville, Schoharie Co., N.Y., both located in Broome Twp.

Children of Josiah and Betsey (Rood) Benjamin:

348. Maria Benjamin b. 1804; unm.; still alive in 1880, when she was living with her sister, Ruth.
*349. Ogden Benjamin b. 1805/6.
*350. Philo/Thilo Benjamin b. 1806 or 1811.
*351. Elizur Benjamin bc.1812.
352. Ruth Benjamin b. 1813; d. 1885; m. J. C. Layman as his 2nd wife. He was b. 1817, d. 1895; both are buried in the Franklinton Cemetery.
353. Zina Benjamin b. 1815; d. November 4, 1891, age 76

(gs); buried in the Franklinton Cemetery at Broome Twp., Schoharie Co., N.Y.; m. Feb. 20, 1866 (vr) in Schoharie Co., N.Y. to Henrietta Whitbeck, b. 1833; d. May 3, 1881 age 47-7-28 (gs). Supposedly they had no issue. In his death record he named as the son of Josiah and Anna Benjamin.

354. Mary J. Benjamin b. 1816; d. 1855; m. J. C. Layman, as his 1st wife. He later m. her sister Ruth. She is also buried in the Franklinton Cemetery.

355. Dinah Benjamin b. 1818.

356. Roswell Benjamin b. 1825/6; m. Ophelia ---, who was b. 1840 or 1848. He is listed in the 1870 and 1880 census of Broome Twp., Schoharie Co., N.Y. with no children. He died December 20, 1908, age 83-3-3 (vr) at Livingstonville, N.Y. (Note: He names his mother as Betsey Rood.)

Resources: Wilson papers, which included a letter from Nancy Kurt or Rust; Cemetery records; Research by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y. and Mrs. Charles Mullen of Ft. Edward, N.Y.

123. ZINA BENJAMIN[5] (Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1783 at Mattituck, Long Island, New York; the son of Richard and Dorothy (Clark) Benjamin; died in 1869 at Owego, Tioga Co., New York. He married Hannah ---, who was born in 1781/2 and died December 16, 1847, age 65-6-9 (gs) at Owego, N.Y. (vr). They are both buried in the Gibson Corners Cemetery in the township of Owego, N.Y.

He was located in the 1820 census records in Durham, Green Co., N.Y. with 2 males 0/10; 2 males 10/16; 1 male 26/45// 2 females 0/10; 1 f. 10/16; and 1 f. 26/45 and 3 slaves. He is not located in the 1830 census, but a Zina Benjamin b. 1800-10 is there, with one son 5/10 and 2 females o/5 and a wife the same age as he.

Children of Zina and Hannah (---) Benjamin:

366. Zina Benjamin b. 1800-10; probably the one that is in the 1830 Durham, N.Y. census. (above).

*367. James Benjamin b. 1805 in Green Co., N.Y.

*368. George W. Benjamin b. 1806 (or 1816).

*369. Amaziah Benjamin b. 1807.

370. Polly Benjamin b. 1804-10; m. Myron Goodrich, b. 1805, the son of Zenas and Patience (Webb) Goodrich. They had a son, Myron Goodrich.

*371. Edward Benjamin b. 1820.

*372. Franklin Benjamin b. 1822.

373. 2 females b. 1810-20.

Resources: Census Records; Records of Elwood John Benjamin of Minn.; Tioga Co., N.Y. Cemetery and Vital Records; p. 160 Goodrich Fam. in Am., Case, 1889.

124. AMAZIAH BENJAMIN[5] (Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born September 22, 1764/5 (Bible rec. says 1765); the son of Amaziah and Mary (Howell) Benjamin; bapt. April 29, 1765 at Mattituck, Long Island, New York; (Parish rec.); died January 29, 1851, age 85-9-0 (gs) at East Moriches, L.I. and is buried in Cemetery #7 at Center Moriches Cemetery, better known as Mt. Pleasant Cemetery. He married Achsa/Azsah/Achsey Sweezy. She was born May 4/16, 1771 at Mattituck, L.I. and died March 6, 1849, age 77-10-0 (gs) at East Moriches, L.I. and is buried with her husband.

In 1816 Amariah and wife Achsey sold land to Nathan, John, and Daniel Benjamin: sons of Nathan and Johanna (Sweezy) Benjamin.

His will (#4094) was probated in 1851 and names his children and grandchildren.

He was located in the 1810 and 1820 census records at Riverhead in the 1830 thru 1850 census records at Brookhaven, L.I. He was the original settler at Benjaminville, L.I. about 1812. This settlement embraced a section of the southeastern part of East Moriches, part of which was known as Watchogue Neck. He came from Middleroad, above Riverhead.

Children of Amaziah and Achsa (Sweezy) Benjamin:

374. Phebe Jane Benjamin b. 1792/3 at Middleroad; d. October 14, 1867, age 75 (gs) and buried in the Mt. Pleasant Cemetery at Moriches with her parents; apparently unmarried.

375. Millicent (Betsey) Benjamin b. 1796 (1799 according to Bible rec.); d. 1862 and buried in Mt. Plesant Cemetery; m. John H. Howell of E. Moriches, b. 1791, d. 1867. Had dau. Edna Howell who m. --- Yeager.

376. Martha Benjamin b. 1796; d. 1864; m/1 --- Penny; m/2 David Terry b. 1810, d. 1892. (It would seem she m. her sister's husband as his second wife.)

*377. Usher Benjamin b. June/August 2, 1798/9 at Middleroad

378. Rosetta Benjamin b. 1790-1800; m. Joseph Phillips.

*379. Howell Benjamin b. 1806 at Middleroad, L.I.

*380. Harvey Benjamin b. 1810 at Middleroad, L.I.

381. Mary Benjamin b. 1810; d. June 28, 1842; m. David Terry b. 1810, d. 1892, buried in E. Moriches Cem.

*382. Hiram Benjamin b. 1812 at either Middleroad or Benjamiville, L.I.

Resources: Craven's Hist. of Mattituck, L.I. p. 144, 278, 281, 291; Sept. 1948 Long Island Forum; Bible records from Bible sent by Miss Edith Howell; Osborn Shaw's Cemetery Book of Brookhaven Town, L.I.; Census records.

128. REV. DAVID BENJAMIN[5] (Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born Ocrober 28, 1771 at Mattituck, Long Island, New York; the son of Amaziah and Mary (Howell) Benjamin; bapt. February 17,

1773 at Mattituck (Parish rec); died April 19, 1848, age 70-6-0 (gs) and is buried in the Aquebogue Cemetery on L.I He married Deziah/Desiah Terry on June 29, 1799 at Mattituck (Parish rec), the dau. of John Cleaves and Temperance (Conklin) Terry. She was born July 12, 1778 at South old and died November 22, 1848, age 70-4-10 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

In 1791 he was the Deacon of the Congregational Church at Aquebogue and was later minister of the Congretational Church at Baiting Hollow, L.I. There was a small settlement there and a church was errected in 1803. He was located in the 1810, 1820, and 1830 census records of Riverhead, L.I.

In the Baiting Hollow Congregational Church is a plaque bearing the following inscription: "In memory of Rev. David Benjamin, Pastor of Baiting Hollow Church from his ordination Aug. 1820 until his death 1848."

Children of David and Deziah (Terry) Benjamin:

383. Harriet Benjamin b. May 29, 1800; d. December 17, 1805.

*384. Fanny Benjamin b. December 18, 1801 at Riverhead.

385. Mary (Polly) Benjamin b. September 21, 1806 at River head, L.I.; m. December 14, 1836 Joshua Robinson.

*386. David Terry Benjamin b. October 27, 1808 at Riverhead

*387. John Conklin Benjamin b. May 22, 1810.

*388. Moses Benjamin b. February 6, 1812/3.

389. Temperance Benjamin b. October 6, 1816 at Riverhead; m. September 1, 1836 Gershom O. Wells, the son of Deacon James Y. Wells b. 1815. They had: Orville Wells and Orlando O. Wells, a bookseller at Riverhead.

390. Franklin Benjamin b. April 17, 1820; d. September 24, 1820.

Resources: Vol. 151 p. 71 and 249, Vol. 161 p. 72 DAR Lineage Books; p. 286 Vol. II Hist. of Long Island, Werner, 1918; p. 251 L' Hommedieus, 1951; Wilson Papers, which included Bible records from a Bible owned by Frank Benjamin of New Haven, Conn.; p. 226 William Wells and his Desc, Charles Hayes, 1879; Cemetery records research by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

129. DEACON ISAAC BENJAMIN[5] (Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1773 at Mattituck, Long Island, New York; the son of Amaziah and Mary (Howell) Benjamin; died November 9, 1850, age 77 yrs. (gs) at Middleroad, L.I. and is buried in the Aquebogue Cemtery. He married Nancy Goodale, who was born 1775 and died July 2, 1862, age 87 yrs. (gs). She is buried with her husband.

He was located in the 1810, 1830, and 1840 census records at Riverhead, and in the 1800 census at Southold, Suffolk Co., N.Y.

Children of Isaac and Nancy (Goodale) Benjamin:

391. 2 females b. 1790-1800 at Riverhead.

392. Albert Benjamin b. 1808/9 at Riverhad; d. January 23, 1883, age 75 (gs) at Brookhaven, L.I. (d. at Suffolk County Alms House); m. Arminda Bellows, the dau.of John and Sarah (Norton) Bellows bc. 1806. He was a farmer, and apparently had no children.

Resources: Census Records; p. 624 Bellows Gen., Thomas Park, 1898; Records of H. H. Benjamin sent by Earl W. Benjamin of Englewood, Fla.; Cemetery research by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

130. ISRAEL BENJAMIN[5] (Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1777 at Middleroad, Long Island, New York; the son of Amaziah and Mary (Howell) Benjamin; died September 28, 1838, age 61 (gs) at Middleroad, L.I. and is buried in the Aquebogue Cemetery. He married Desire/Deziah Wells, the dau. of Joseph and Ellice (Conklin) Wells. She was born in 1781 and died February 13, 1834, age 53 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He was located in the 1800 thru 1830 census at Riverhead, L.I.

Children of Isral and Desire (Wells) Benjamin:

393. Maria Benjamin b. March 4, 1801; d. July 25, 1821, age 20-4 (gs) and is buried with her parents.

394. Moses Benjamin b. December 30, 1802; d. March 27, 1803.

395. Emeline Benjamin b. May 12, 1805.

*396. John/Joseph Wells/Wills Benjamin b. Jan. 7, 1810.

397. Nancy Benjamin b. August 27, 1807; m. March 22, 1827 James Warner.

398. John Conklin Benjamin b. December 7, 1812; d. Dec. 30, 1814.

*399. John Conklin Benjamin b. September 8, 1814.

*400. Usher H. Benjamin b. April 5, 1817 at Middleroad.

*401. Richard Benjamin b. September 26, 1819 at Middleroad

Resources: p.221 William Wells of Southold and his Desc., Charles W. Haynes, 1879; Records of H.H. Benjamin via Earl W. Benjamin of Englewood, Fla.; Research by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.; DAR Bible Records Vol. 87 p. 33-4 in possession of Mrs. Charles N. Lane.

131. EZRA BENJAMIN[5] (Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born 1781 at Middleroad, Long Island, New York; the son of Amaziah and Mary (Howell) Benjamin; died 1863 at Andover, Almond Township, Allegany Co., N.Y. He married/1 Phebe Luce. She was born 1789 and died June 1, 1832, age 43 (gs) and is buried in the Northville, L.I. cemetery. He m/2 Phebe Terry, the dau. of Daniel and Phoebe (Howell) Terry.

He was located in the 1830 census at Riverhead, L.I. and in the 1850 census of Almond Twp., Allegany Co., N.Y. In the last instance, there is a Nancy Benjamin age 59 (bc. 1791) in his household. Is she a wife?

Children of Ezra and Phebe (Luce) Benjamin:

402. Mary Benjamin b. 1810-15; m/1 --- Russell; m/2 --- Robinson.

403. Mitchel Benjamin b. 1810-15. (This is perhaps the Jacob M. Benjamin who m. Adaline --- and had a son John William Benjamin b. Feb. 12, 1849 at Riverhead (Riverhead town rec.I)

*404. Susannah Benjamin b. March 27, 1815 at Riverhead.

405. Phebe Benjamin b. 1817; d. March 1, 1895, age 77-7-10 (gs); buried at Northville Cemetery; m. J. R. Mayo.

406. Sarah Jane Benjamin b. 1820; d. 1898; m. 1839 Daniel Shaw, b. 1819, d. 1905.

*407. Orrin Daniel or Daniel Orrin Benjamin b. 1826/7.

*408. George A. Benjamin b. 1830.

Resources: Vol. 161 p. 72 DAR Lineage Book; Records of H. H. Benjamin via Earl W. Benjamin of Englewood, Fla.; Research by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

138. NATHAN BENJAMIN^{5} (Nathan$^{4-3}$, Richard$^{2-1}$) born 1759/60 in Long Island; the son of Nathan and Jemima (Aldrich) Benjamin; died July 30, 1838, age 78 (gs) and is buried in the Baiting Hollow Cemetery. He married Joanna Sweezy. She was born about 1761 and died October 23, 1838, age 77 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He was located in the 1790 census at Southold, L.I. with 1-1-3 and in the 1800 census at Riverhead with 2 m. 0/10; 1 m. 10/16; 1 m. 26/45//2 f. 0/10; 2 f. 10/16; and 1 f. 26/45.

He lived about a mile south of the main road on the way to Riverhead (still called Nathan's Path) and in 1823 Daniel, his brother, must have been there also.

Nathan was among the Southold Minutemen and enlisted on August 5, 1776 at the age of 17. He had a dark complexion, was six feet tall, and joined the First Regiment of the Suffolk Company.

Children of Nathan and Joanna (Sweezy) Benjamin:

409. Joanna Benjamin b. October 6, 1783; d. July 24, 1783 m. James Hulse, who was born at the west end of L.I. on April 25, 1787, d. October 18, 1834; resided at Baiting Hollow, L.I. and had a son named Benjamin Hulse. She m/2 Isaiah Benjamin. (see #87).

*410. Nathan Benjamin b. April 15, 1785.

411. Polly Benjamin b. September 28, 1787 at Baiting Hollow, L.I.; d. January 13, 1864 at Flanders, L.I.; m. January 13, 1824 John Fanning at Baiting Hol-

low. He was b. August 18, 1784 and d. March 26, 1862, the son of John and Mary (Aldrich) Fanning. He had m/1 in 1807 Hannah Sayre. They had a dau. Joanna Fanning b. at Flanders, L.I. May 27, 1825 who m. at Flanders Nov. 28, 1843 James Benjamin, the son of Phillip and Hannah (Fanning) Benjamin.

412. Jemima Benjamin b. February 7, 1791 at Baiting Hollow, L.I.; d. November 9, 1870; m. Daniel Warner.

*413. John Benjamin b. 1792 at Baiting Hollow, L.I.

*414. Daniel Benjamin b. July 6, 1795/6 at Baiting Hollow.

*415. Sarah/Sally Benjamin b. August 8, 1798; d. May 10, 1861 (gs).

Resources: p. 327 & 329 Hist. of Fanning Fam., Walter F. Brooks, 1905; p. 78 Fam. of Richard Smith, Fredrick K. Smith, 1967; James F. Young Recalls courtsey of F. Everett Benjamin; Baiting Hollow Parish records; Cemetery records research F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.; Records of James Parker Ferguson of Speonk, N.Y.

140. PHINEAS BENJAMIN[5] (Nathan[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1762 on Long Island, New York; the son of Nathan and Jemima (Aldrich) Benjamin; died January 2, 1837, age 75 yrs. (gs) and is buried in the Aquebogue Cemetery. He married Mary (Polly) ---, who was born in 1762 and died in 1836 (gs) at the age of 74 (gs) and is buried in the same cemetery as her husband. He MAY have m/2 Ellis Squires.

The Ackerly Deed Book, located in the East Hampton Library gives much reference to brothers Jacob, Phineas, and Nathan as the son of Nathan Benjamin.

Phineas was located in the 1800 census at Riverhead, L.I. with 1 m. 0/10; 1 m. 26/45; and 1 f. 26/45. In the 1810 census at the same location he had: 2 males 0/10; 1 m. 10/16; 1 m. 26/45; and 1 f. 26/45. The 1830 census of Southampton, L.I. gave a Phineas Benjamin with 1 m. 15/20; 1 m. 20/30; 1 m. 50/60; 1 f. 50/60.

Children of Phineas and Mary (---) Benjamin:

*416. Selden Benjamin bc. 1798 at Riverhead.

*417. Nathan R. Benjamin b. 1806 or 1811.

*418. Phineas Benjamin bc. 1806/7 at Riverhead.

Resources: Census records; Cemetery research by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

142. JACOB BENJAMIN[5] (Nathan[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born February 26, 1766 (or 1769 or 1777). (Note: 1766 was recorded in his own Bible.) He was the son of Nathan and Jemima (Aldrich) Benjamin; died November 12, 1850, age 84-5-12 (gs) or June 7, 1850, age 86-3-12 (Bible rec.) and is buried in the Baiting Hollow Congregational Church Cemetery. He married Rachel Osborn, who was born May 1, 1777 and died September 12, 1861, age 84-5-12. (Note: Her headstone was

broken in many pieces in 1971.) She is buried with her husband.

Jacob was located in the 1810 Riverhead, L.I. census with: 1-1-0-0-1//2-1-0-1-0. He was also located there in the 1830 and 1840 census and is living with his dau. Harriet in the 1850 census.

Jacob lived where Daniel A. Corwin and George F. Terry lived at a later date, but his farm included William Youngs, J.B.W. Benjamin, and the late Elbert Edwards holdings. It was on the north side of the road and went to the Sound and perhaps as much more on the south side of road.

Children of Jacob and Rachel (Osborn) Benjamin:

419. Sarepta Benjamin b. March 23, 1802 at Baiting Hollow d. May 31, 1802, age 2 mos. (gs) and buried with her parents.
420. Jared Benjamin b. May 31, 1803; d. November 20, 180? (gs) and buried with parents.
421. Fanny C. Benjamin b. July 2, 1805; d. April 6, 1846, age 41 yrs. (gs).
422. Phylenda Benjamin b. September 30, 1807.(See #187.)
423. Mary Benjamin b. 1810; d. 1813, age 3 yrs. (gs).
434. Rensallaer Benjamin b. November 23, 1809; d. October 1, 1813, age 3-10-6 (gs).
435. Jacob Mitchel Benjamin b. June 15, 1812; d. October 8, 1813, age 1 yr. (gs).
436. Harriet Benjamin b. August 26, 1814 at Baiting Hollow, L.I.; d. April 27, 1894, age 79 yrs. 8 mos. (gs) and buried in the Riverhead Cem.; m. Dr. Abraham B. Luce.
436. Rachel Jane Benjamin b. March 3, 1818; d. April 29, 1853, age 37-1-26 (gs) and buried with parents.

Resources: James F. Youngs Recalls and cemetery records courtsey of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.; Wickham-Billard Gen., Josephine C. Frost; Bible records in the possession of Mrs. B. Kogut of W. Islip, L.I.; Baiting Hollow Parish Records.

144. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[5] (Samuel[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born May 20, 1769 at Southold, L.I., New York; the son of Samuel and Hannah (Wells) Benjamin; died about 1800 at Riverhead, L.I. He married Mary Wells about 1792, the dau. of Deacon Timothy and Mary (Wells) Wells. She was born October 15, 1774.

His will is on file at Southold in Vol. B. p. 111 and was probated January 1801. In it he names his wife, Mary, and three sons: Samuel, David, and Joseph.

Mary is located in the 1800 census of Riverhead, Suffolk Co., N.Y. with: 3 males 0/10 and 1 f. 26/45.

Children of Samuel and Mary (Wells) Benjamin:

*437. Samuel Wells Benjamin b. January 14, 1794 in N.Y.

*438. David Wells Benjamin b. April 11, 1797 at Southold.
439. Joseph Benjamin b. May 14, 1799 at Southold.

Resources: Salmon Records; Census Records; Records of David Benjamin of Cleveland, Ohio; Records of Robert H. Benjamin; Long Island research by F. Everett Benjamin.

147. WELLS BENJAMIN[5] (Samuel[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born August 29, 1780; the son of Samuel and Hannah (Wells) Benjamin; died February 23, 1841 and buried in the Papakating Cemetery at Sussex Co., New Jersey. He married Hannah Morris August 15, 1805. She was born October 20, 1781 and died March 23, 1842. She had a son: Ezekiel Ivins b. Dec. 19, 1803 by a first marriage.

He was located in the 1830 and 1840 census of Vernon, Sussex Co., New Jersey.

Children of Wells and Hannah (Morris) Benjamin:
440. Jane Eliza Benjamin b. September 24, 1806; m. November 18, 1826 Gabriel Welch.
441. Mary Ann Benjamin b. March 20, 1809; d. January 26, 1849; m. March 17, 1832 Charles L. Hunt.
442. Sarah Ann Benjamin b. June 23, 1810.
*443. Mordecai Wilson Benjamin b. October 31, 1813.
*444. Orval Wilkes Benjamin b. September 27, 1815 at Sussex Co., N.J.
*445. Joseph Morris Benjamin b. September 7, 1817.
*446. Samuel Wells Benjamin b. September 4, 1822.

Resource: Records of Helen M. Benjamin, via David Benjamin of Cleveland, Ohio; Bible Records.

151. SARAH BENJAMIN[5] (Benjamin[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born October 4, 1767 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the dau. of Benjamin and Hannah (Jessup) Benjamin; died April 27, 1841. She married Benjamin Overton of Southold and Russia, Herkimer Co., N.Y. He was born January 2, 1751 and died August 22, 1834.

He was a hatter by trade and had steady attendance at the Presbyterian Church at Norway village.

Children of Benjamin and Sarah (Benjamin) Overton:
447. Sally Overton b. September 12, 1789.
448. Hannah Overton b. September 29, 1790.
449. Nathaniel Overton b. May 28, 1794; m. Ann Williams; removed to Antwerp, Jefferson Co., N.Y.
450. Lucinda/Lucindo Overton b. January 21, 1797.
451. Daniel Overton b. July 26, 1799.
452. Joshua Overton b. July 25, 1803.
453. Maurtin/Martin H. Overton b. April 10, 1806.
454. Clark Overton b. May 20, 1813.

Resources: Boston Tanscript Feb. 1, 1928; Norway Tidings Dec. 1887; Records of Mrs. Christopher Wyatt of Geneva, Ill.

152. JOSHUA BENJAMIN[5] (Benjamin[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1770 or 1773 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the son of Benjamin and Hannah (Jesup) Benjamin; died July 22, 1834 at Norway, Herkimer Co., New York, age 64 yrs. (gs) and is buried in the Old Hurricane Cemetery. He married Priscilla Sherman, the dau. of Samuel and Sarah (Sawyer) Sherman. She was born October 11, 1782 at Tiverton or Providence, Rhode Island and died April 17, 1846, age 62-6-6 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He was located in the 1800 census at Fairfield, Herkimer Co., N.Y. and in the 1810, 1820, and 1830 census at Norway, Herkimer Co., N.Y.

He was an Ensign in the Herkimer Co., N.Y. State Militia in 1814.

Children of Joshua and Priscilla (Sherman) Benjamin:

*455. David Benjamin b. December 9, 1801 at Norway, N.Y.
*456. Joshua Benjamin Jr. b. 1806 at Norway, N.Y.
*457. Samuel Sherman Benjamin b. August 29, 1814.
458. Sarah Benjamin bc. 1818; m. James Baker.

Resources: Family Group Sheet from Library of Latter Day Saints at Salt Lake City, Utah; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

153. BENJAMIN BENJAMIN JR.[5] (Benjamin[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born June 27, 1775/6 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the son of Benjamin and Hannah (Jesup) Benjamin; died October 4, 1861, age 85-3-7 (gs) and is buried in the Old Hurricane Cemetery, which is located on the Hurricane Road between Cold Brook and Gray. His grave stone reads..."A firm Belief in the restitution of all things." He m/1 Ruth ---, who was born in 1779 and died August 22, 1838, age 59 (gs) and is buried with her husband. He m/2 Marybath Smith. She was born 1789/90 and died in 1856 (gs) and is buried with her husband. He may have m/3 Margery (Mary) Looker b. 1790 and died 1871.

He was listed in the 1800 census of Fairfield, Herkimer Co., N.Y. and in the 1810, 1820, 1830, 1840, and 1850 census records of Norway, Herkimer Co., N.Y.

There is a record of a church pew transfer on April 26, 1839 in Russia, Herkimer Co., N.Y. He was a Universalist by faith.

His will is on file in Herkimer Co. Probate (#L:552) with Benjamin Hurd, Uriah and Samuel S. Benjamin named as executors and the inventory was taken by Samuel R. Vincent and Alanson Bly. He names his wife Margary and children: Merit, Uriah, Eli, Harriet, and nephew Samuel S. Benjamin. There are letters of administration on file (#00598) for a Margery Benjamin, who died in 1871. They name no husband or children and are given to Eliakim Looker of the town of Ohio, Herkimer Co., N.Y.

There are deeds on file in 1851 thru 1873 that concern

this family. (Vol. 60 p. 139; Vol. 76 p. 14; Vol. 82 p. 606.)

Children of Benjamin and Ruth (---) Benjamin:

*459. Merrit (Marryatt) Benjamin b. April 1801 in Herkimer Co., N.Y.
*460. Uriah S. Benjamin b. February 2, 1804.
*461. Eli Benjamin b. 1807 at Herkimer Co., N.Y.
462. Harvey Benjamin b. February 2, 1810; d. April 16, 1835, age 25 (gs); buried with parents.
463. Nancy Benjamin; m. Samuel Sherman, Jr.
464. Charles Benjamin b. 1812; d. July 11, 1830, age 17 (gs).
465. Harriet Benjamin b. 1816; d. Dec. 1829, age 13 (gs).
466. Parson Benjamin b. 1821; d. March 13, 1839, age 17 yrs. 6 mos. (gs); buried with parents.

Children of Benjamin and Marybath (Smith) Benjamin:

467. Harriet Benjamin b. 1839; d. December 8, 1876, age 38 yrs. (gs); buried in the Old Hirricane Cem.; m. George White and resided in Norway, N.Y.

Resources: Census records; Cemetery research by Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.; Norway Tidings Dec. 1887.

154. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[5] (Benjamin[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1781 in Southold, Long Island, New York; the son of Benjamin and Hannah (Jesup) Benjamin; died either in 1833 or 1855 at Bainbridge, Geauga Co., Ohio. He married Nancy McCarty on May 6, 1802 in Herkimer Co., N.Y. She was born 1782 in N.Y. and died 1852 in Ohio.

He was listed in the 1810 census of Norway, Herkimer Co., N.Y. and in the 1820 census of Russia, Herkimer Co., N.Y. He moved to Ohio with his two youngest children about 1833. He and Nancy are listed in the 1850 census at Bainbridge Twp., Geauga Co., Ohio, next door to their dau. Eliza.

Children of Jonathan and Nancy (McCarty) Benjamin:

468. Sally Benjamin b. 1805 in Herkimer Co., N.Y.; d. 1833; m. Jonathan R. Vincent; may have moved to Ohio; had children: Nancy, Solon, and Augustus Vincent.
*469. Alvah Benjamin b. March 1807/8 at Norway, N.Y.
*470. John Benjamin b. 1809 at Russia, N.Y.
*471. SamuelRathbone Benjamin b. August 18, 1810 at Russia.
*472. Alanson Benjamin b. March 3, 1813 at Norway, N.Y.
*473. Henry Harrison Benjamin b. 1816 at Russia, N.Y.
*474. Eliza Benjamin b. 1819 at Russia, N.Y.

Resources: J. P. Benjamin family Bible; p. 282 Foote Gen.; Norway Tidings Dec. 1887.

155. MAJOR JOSHUA BENJAMIN[5] (Simeon[4], William[3], Simeon[2], Richard[1])

born 1748 at Cutchogue, Long Island, New York; the son of Lt. Simeon and Abigail (Wells) Benjamin; died December 14, 1804, age 57 yrs. (gs) and is buried in the Cutchogue Bury ing Grounds. He married Hannah Wells of Kachague on April 6, 1769 at Mattituck, L.I. (Parish rec). She was the dau. of William Wells and was born in 1751 and died December 21, 1809, age 58 (gs). She m/2 Joshua Bent.

William Wells, who died intestate, had letter of admin istration granted to James Wells and Joshua Benjamin, both of Suffolk Co., N.Y. on Nov. 10, 1784.

Joshua was a signer of the Association Pledge in the summer of 1775. He was a Lt. in the Suffolk Co. Militia of the First Regt. of Minutemen under Col. Josiah Smith. He enlisted August 5, 1776, age 28, had a dark complexion, and was 5'8" tall. He became a Captain in 1786, a Major in 1790, and resigned in 1798.

In 1787 Capt. Joshua Benjamin was selected to go to Morris Co., N.J. and invite them to come and ordain Mr. Green as pastor. In 1789 he was selected "moderator" of the Cutchogue Church.

On Feb. 27, 1769 Joshua Benjamin, Abigail Benjamin, and John Wells were witnesses to the will of Solomon Wells of Southold.

He was listed in the 1790 census at Southold with 2-0-4. In the 1800 census he is listed with 1 m. 16/26; 1 f. 26/45; and 3 f. 45+.

Children of Joshua and Hannah (Wells) Benjamin:

*475. Simeon Benjamin b. 1772 at Cutchogue, L.I.

476. Clarissa Benjamin b. 1755-74; m. William Horton. Had son Simeon Benjamin Horton, who was bp. Nov. 3, 1832 at Cutchogue (cr).

Resources: Parish Records of Mattituck and Aquegobue 1751-1809, Charles Craven, 1906; Salmon Records; Abstracts of N.Y. Wills by N.Y. Hist. Soc. Vol. 36 p. 416 and Vol. 35 p. 112; Cemetery Records research by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

162. RICHARD BENJAMIN^{5} (William$^{4-3}$, Simeon^{2}, Richard^{1}) born 1757 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the son of William and Mary (Terry) Benjamin; died December 8, 1808, age 51 yrs. (gs) at Mattituck, L.I. and is buried in the Aquebogue Cemetery. He married Nancy Fanning, the dau. of James and Deborah (Warner) Fanning. She was born in 1768 and died October 15, 1822, age 54 yrs. (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He is listed in the 1790 Federal Census of Southlod, L.I. with: 1-3-1 and one free negro. He was a farmer and had a farm located a short distance west of the Northville Church.

The Simeon Benjamin house is one of the realtively few old houses on Long Island that has been preserved. In

1966 the property was for sale and in danger of demolition. It was bought and eventually moved to Old Bethpage Village Restoration, where it now stands. The rear wing of the old house was built in Riverhead around 1715. In 1829 the main portion of the house was added. It stood on land the Benjamins had bought from the Indians for a "fat young heifer".

Richard was one of the signers in Brookhaven of the Association Pledge in 1775. He was a private in the First Regt. of Minutemen of the Suffolk Co. and enlisted August 5, 1776, was 5'4" tall, light complexion, and age 18. He served under Capt. Paul Reeves, Col. Thomas Terry and Col. Josiah Smith.

Children of Richard and Nancy (Fanning) Benjamin:

*477. Richard Benjamin b. 1784-90.
*478. David Benjamin b. September 1787 at Northville.
*479. William F. Benjamin b. 1790 at Northville.
*480. Simeon Benjamin b. May 29, 1792 at Northville.
481. Mary/Polly Benjamin b.1790-1800; m. Jesse Corwin of Greenport, L.I.; had at least one dau.
*482. Hannah Benjamin b. 1790-1800; m. cousin John Benjamin and resided in Baiting Hollow.(See #413.)
*483. Moses Benjamin bc. 1796 at Northville.
*484. James Benjamin b. 1797 at Northville.

Resources: Simeon Benjamin, Founder of Elmira College, McDowell; Family Bible and tombstone records from Mrs. Eleanor Antoun of Riverhead, L.I.; Elmira College Bulletin Vol. 21 April 1930-Hist. of Simeon Benjamin; p. 169 N.Y. in the Rev. as a Colony and State, Roberts, 1898; Dr. Wilson Papers; p. 156 Portrait and Biog. Rec. of Suffolk Co., N.Y.; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.; Newsday Magazine for L.I., May 25, 1975.

168. JOANNA YOUNG[5] (Mehitable[4], John[3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born 1748 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the dau. of James and Mehitable (Benjamin) Young. She married Rev. Maney Wells. He was born 1746/8 and died May 8, 1802. He m/2 Mary Benjamin on September 4, 1785. She was the dau of William and Mary (Terry) Benjamin. Mary survived him. (See #165).

His will was dated March 7, 1802 and probated May 24, 1802. His wife Mary and 6 children were named in the will.

Children of Maney and Mary (Benjamin) Wells:

485. Mary Wells b. 1785; d. Feb. 12, 1789.
486. Nathaniel Wells b. 1786.
487. Joanna Wells.
488. John Wells.
489. Maney Wells b. 1795.

Resource: p. 266 William Wells of Southold, Hayes, 1879.

169. LT. BENJAMIN TUSTEN[5] (Benjamin[4], Thomas[3], Priscilla[2], Richard[1]

born December 4, 1743 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the son of Col. Benjamin and Abigail (Conklin) Tusten; died July 22, 1779 at the Battle of Minisink, by Indians. He married Ann Brown of Newark, New Jersey.

Children of Benjamin and Ann (Brown) Tusten:

490. Sally Tusten; d. 1814.
491. Martha Tusten b. November 10, 1762; m. Isaac Van Duzer.
492. Thomas Tusten b. 1773; d. 1796,age 23.
493. Major James Tusten bc. 1770; d. 1836, age 66 and buried at Goshen, Orange Co., N.Y.; held a commission during the War of 1812.

Resource: Records of Miss Genevieve Van Duzer of Warwick, N.Y.

Chapter 15

GENERATION VI - RICHARD LINE

186. ISIAH TUTHILL BENJAMIN[6] (Isaiah[5], John[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born March 2, 1802 at Mattituck, Long Island, New York; the son of Isaiah and Sarah (Corwin) Benjamin; died September 14, 1838 at the age of 36-6-12 (gs) at Mattituck, L.I. and is buried in the Mattituck Parish Burying Grounds. He married Fannie C. Glover on February 5, 1823 at the First Church of Southold. She was the dau. of Charles and Frances (Case) Glover and was born August 20, 1804 and died January 10, 1844 and is buried in the Baiting Hollow Cemetery. She m/2 John Youngs Billard on December 24, 1839. He was born in 1811 and died in 1893. He m/2 Sarah Maria Godsmith.

Isaiah was listed in the 1830 and 1840 census records of Southold, L.I.

Children of Isaiah and Fannie (Glover) Benjamin:

?494. Mitchell Benjamin b. 1827. (In the 1850 census he was living with John and Philinda Benjamin.)

495. Isaiah T. Benjamin; d. September 28, 1838, age 0-0-18 at Mattituck (gs).

496. Frances M. Benjamin; d. November 13, 1836, age 1-8-0 at Mattituck (gs).

497. Martha Benjamin; d. Jan. 23, 1834, age 2-3-21 at Mattituck (gs).

498. Charles I. Benjamin; d. December 6, 1830; age 6-5-0 at Mattituck (gs).

Resources: Parish Register of Mattituck and Aquebogue 1751 1809, Rev. Charles Craven, 1906; Vol. 65 p. 155 N.Y. Gen. and Biog. Rec.; Wickham-Billard Gen, Josephine Frost.

187. JOHN BENJAMIN[6] (Isaiah[5], John[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born December 28, 1805 at Mattituck, Long Island, New York; the son of Isaiah and Sarah (Corwin) Benjamin; died March 7, 1890, age 85-2-9 (gs) at Riverhead, L.I. and buried in the River head Cemetery. He married Phylinda/Felinda/Phylenda Benjamin about 1830. She was the dau. of Jacob and Rachel (Osborn) Benjamin and was born September 30, 1807 and died March 9, 1882, age 74-6-10 (gs) and is buried with her husband. (See #142 and 422.)

Their home was located on Benjamin Lane, opposite the Congregational Church, between Main and First Streets.

He was a farmer and was listed in the 1830 census at Southold and in the 1840 thru 1870 census at Riverhead.

Children of John and Phylinda (Benjamin) Benjamin:

499. Sarah P. Benjamin b. 1832; d. January 27, 1841, age 9-11-0 (gs) and buried at Mattituck.

500. Harriet Benjamin b. 1834; d. July 27, 1843, age 9-2.

*501. Frances M. Benjamin b. 1839.

*502. John W. Benjamin b. 1832/3.

*503. Sarah H. Benjamin b. April 18, 1848 at Riverhead.

504. Philenda (Lena/Linnie) H. Benjamin b. 1851; d. October 24, 1917 (gs) and buried at Mattituck. She m. October 10, 1877 James H. Davis. No issue.

Resources: Parish Record of Mattituck and Aquebogue 1751-1809, Rev. Charles Craven, 1906; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

190. GEORGE BENJAMIN[6] (Isaiah[5], John[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born May 15, 1810 at Mattituck, Long Island, New York; the son of Isaiah and Sarah (Corwin) Benjamin; died May 25, 1887, age 77 yrs. (gs) at Franklinville, L.I. and is buried in the Laurel Cemetery (between Jamesport and Mattituck). He m/1 December 25, 1834 Serepta Howell, the dau. of Micah and Anna (Youngs or Judge) Howell. She was born September 12, 1816 at Baiting Hollow and died May 31, 1837, age 20-8-18 (gs) and is buried in the Congregational Cemetery at Baiting Hollow. He m/2 Ann J. Cook, the dau. of Calvin (or Harvey) and Hannah (Judge) Cook. She was born in 1817 and died December 19, 1887, age 70-11-19 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He is listed in the 1850, 1860, and 1870 census records at Southold. His will is on file at Riverhead (#10694) and was probated August 4, 1890 and mentions his widow, Ann J., and heirs: George W. of Bridgehampton; Sophia M. Gildersleeves of Mattituck; George T. of Jamesport (minor); Sarepta A.; Alice M.; and Ida C. of Brooklyn Kings Co., N.Y.

Ann's will is also on file (#10826) and names: Alice M.; Sarepta A. of Brooklyn; George W. of Bridgehampton; Sophia M. Gilderstein; and grandson George T.

Children of George and Serepta (Howell) Benjamin:

505. John Howell Benjamin b. October 30, 1835; d. August 27, 1863 at Washington, D.C.; (gs); buried at Baiting Hollow Cemetery.

Children of George and Ann (Cook) Benjamin:

506. Sarepta A. Benjamin b. 1839 at Mattituck; d. 1925 (gs) and buried in the Laurel Cemetery.

*507. George Washington Benjamin b. January 17, 1841 at Mattituck, L.I.

508. Alice M. Benjamin b. 1843; d. January 31, 1923 in Brooklyn, N.Y. and buried in the Laurel Cemetery (gs); unmarried.

509. Sarah M. Benjamin b. August 9, 1845; d. November 6, 1885 (gs); buried in the Laurel Cemetery; unm.

510. Sophia M. Benjamin bc. 1848/9; m. Lester Gildersleeve (Gilderstein). (Note: A Sophia M. Benjamin m. March 9, 1871 Daniel H. Young at Franklinville (vr), so her m. to Gildersleeve may have been a second m.)

*511. Isiah Tuthill Benjamin bc. 1851 at Mattituck.

512. Ida Benjamin b. 1855; d. 1928.

Resources: p. 222 Young Gen., Selah Young, 1907; Howell Family Manuscript at Suffolk Co., Library; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

192. AUSTIN WARNER BENJAMIN[6] (Isaiah[5], John[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born April 10, 1815 at Mattituck, Long Island, New York; the son of Isaiah and Sarah (Corwin) Benjamin; died August 20, 1888/9, age 73-4-10 (gs) at Mattituck. He married Frances Emily Young on December 21, 1841, the dau. of David Harris and Eva (Hudson) Young. She was born Decemer 7, 1823 and died February 2, 1898.

He was a farmer and was listed in the 1850, 1860, and 1870 census records of Mattituck, Southold, L.I.

His will is on file at the Riverhead Surrogate Office (#11020) and names his wife, Frances E., son: Charles E. of Mattituck; and dau. Lilly Luce of Riverhead. Frances' will is also on file (#14061) and names children.

Children of Austin and Frances (Young) Benjamin:

513. Charles E. Benjamin b. May 29, 1844 at Mattituck; d. September 29, 1919 at Mattituck; m/1 Sarah A. Johnson b. 1843 and d. Sept. 2, 1893; m/2 Isabella Miller. He resided at Mattituck.

514. Lilly Lucy Benjamin b. November 21, 1862; m. December 2, 1885 Wilson Orange Luce; resided at Bay Shore, L.I.; had dau. Anna Luce b. November 10, 1897 at Bayshore; m. 1921 Raymond Elijah Tuthill b. 1887 at Mattituck.

Resources: p. 285 Young Gen., Selah Young, 1907; Tuttle-Tuthill Lines in Am., Ava Tuttle, 1968; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

193. ELIZABETH BENJAMIN[6] (James[5], David[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1765/6 in Orange Co., New York; the possible dau. of James and Hannah (Burt) Benjamin; died in 1849. She married Stephen Hall on August 1785. He was the son of Reuben and Sarah (Gray) Hall and was born June 22, 1760 at Peekskill, N.Y. and died April 15, 1833 at Warwick, Orange Co., N.Y.

Methodist Church services were held at their home until the church was built across the road from their home. The cemetery behind and above their home was plowed up and tombstones destroyed by a Quakenbush, who owned the surrounding farm.

Stephen was a soldier in the Revolutionary War and received a pension.

Children of Stephen and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Hall:

515. Stephen Hall Jr. b. 1791/2; d. June 15, 1865 at Jersey City, N.J.; m. 1812 Ann Gannon b. 1795, d. 1882; had son Alfred Hall b. 1822, d. 1878 at Portland, Oregon.
516. Nancy Hall; d. 1869; m. John Vandervoort.
517. Sarah/Sally Hall; m/1 --- Fox; m/2 --- Johnson; m/3 --- Baker.
518. Harriet Hall; m. Nehemiah Denton.
519. Mahala Hall b. 1804; d. 1840; m. William Rysdyk.
520. Mariah Hall; m/1 --- Peterson; m/2 --- Van Gelder.
521. Lewis Hall; d. 1872/3 in West Milford; m. Ann Lyons.
522. Caroline Hall; m. --- Coss.
523. Jane Hall; m/1 --- Hudson; m/2 --- Clark; she d.1862
524. Julie Hall; m. --- Garrison.
525. Horace Hall; b. 1809; d. 1898; m. Mahala Jennings.
526. Elizabeth Hall; d. in Defiance, Ohio; m. --- Vauskever.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Carl L. A. Schmidt of Berkley, Calif.; Records of Charles Benjamin of Elmira, N.Y.

194. JAMES BENJAMIN[6] (James[5], David[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born 1770 in either New York or New Jersey; the possible son of James and Hannah (Burt) Benjamin; died June 1825 at Somerset, Perry Co., Ohio. He married Jane Givens about 1790, the dau. of John and Christina (Dougan) Givens. She was born in 1770. He m/2 Sarah --- and Sarah may have m/2 John Bowers in the spring of 1826.

His will is dated May 13, 1825 (Docket #44 Perry Co., Ohio) and names: wife, Sarah; sons: Nathan, James, and Samuel; dau. Sarah Josling; and grandson James Hutcher. Witnesses were Samuel Binckley and E. Richman and executors were his wife and Joseph Brown.

He was a blacksmith and moved to Ohio about 1800. A correspondent wrote that an 80 year old man (in 1948) and a descendant of this James said that James was a son of Nathan Benjamin of Sussex Co., N.J. James is listed on the tax records of Perry Co., Ohio in 1819.

On Sept. 13, 1830 James Cain and his wife asked for a partition of the estate, and this again named his heirs.

James was listed in the 1820 census of Hopewell Twp., Perry Co., Ohio.

Children of James and Jane (Givens) Benjamin:

527. John Benjamin.
528. Mary/Polly Benjamin b. 1794-1804; m/1 --- Hutchins/Hutcher; m/2 December 12, 1828 in Perry Co., Ohio (vr) Joseph Hare. In a document pertaining to the will of her father she wrote.."Mary Hutcher, now Mary Hare", which was signed in 1828. Vol. C

p. 525-6 in the Court of Common Pleas of Perry Co. In the 1820 census she had 3 boys under 10 and 1 dau. She isn't located in Perry Co. after that time, hence may have moved after 2nd m.

529. Elsie/Eliza Benjamin; d. 1856; unm. in 1828; may have m. John Crabtree in 1831.

*530. Nathan Benjamin b. May 2, 1801 in Sussex Co., N.J.

*531. Samuel Benjamin b. either 1802 or 1806 in New York.

532. Jesse Benjamin b. between 1804-10.

*533. James Benjamin Jr. b. 1804 in New Jersey.

534. Emeline Benjamin b. 1809; m. September 9, 1827 in Perry Co., Ohio (vr) Edward Furgerson.

535. Hannah Benjamin; m. 1820 James B. Cain.

*536. Sarah Benjamin bc. 1813.

Resources: Records of Mrs. H. V. Carpenter of Pullman, Washington sent by her dau. Mrs. Valarie Felstead of Pullman; Perry Co., Ohio Will Abstracts 1818-1851; p. 135 Vol. 3 Tree Talks; Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind

196. JESSE BENJAMIN[6] (Jesse[5], David[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born October 17, 1773; the son of Jesse and Patience (Wells) Benjamin; died about 1828. He married Patience Hallock about 1796. She was born about 1769 and is buried in a cemetery in Clifford, Penn. She m/2 in 1826 Abram Richards.

Jesse was a tailor and was wounded in the War of 1812. Patience (a dress maker), after her 2nd marriage, resided on a farm at Gunn Hill, Susquehanna Co., Penn.

There is a Jesse Benjamin listed in the 1800 Federal Census of Minisink, Orange Co., N.Y. with: 1 m. 26/45; 1 m. 0/10; 1 f. 26/45; and 2 f. 0/10. This MIGHT be the record of the above Jesse, IF he had another dau. born before 1800, who died young. This Jesse does not appear in the 1810 census of Orange Co.

Children of Jesse and Patience (Hallock) Benjamin:

*537. Samuel Benjamin b. April 27, 1797.

538. Martha Benjamin b. November 18, 1898; died young.

*539. Henry Hallock Benjamin b. 1804.

540. Richard Hallock Benjamin b. February 17, 1812; d. 1882 at Clifford, Penn.; unmarried.

541. Patience Benjamin b. March 20, 1800; m. 1837 Joseph Pell; she d. 1859; resided Gunn Hill, Penn.

Resource: Records of Rev. Garford F. Williams of Nicholson Penn.

197. BENONI BENJAMIN[6] (Jonathan[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born April 11, 1772; the son of Jonathan and Margaret (Brown) Benjamin; died July 19, 1829 (gs) and is buried in the Old Burying Ground at Granville, Licking Co., Ohio. He married Anna ---, who was born April 3, 1774.

Benoni was born in Northampton or Northumberland Co.

Penn. In the spring of 1799 the Jones, Fords, and Benoni went out to the Scioto, where they planted and raised a crop, and returned in the fall. In Nov. 1800 they moved their families, traveling up the Scioto to where Circleville now stands, and from there followed an Indian trail through Fairfield Co. in the direction of Licking. Before coming there, the party had been offered what were termed "donation lots" by the agents of General Dayton--a large land holder in the territory now comprising Licking Co. These lots were located on Ramp Creek, a stream which ran out in sidecuts or bayous, forming little swamps. These, to Jones, foreboded agues and he refused to locate on Ramp Creek. Jones led his party across the Middle Fork, searching out one of the many springs that skirt the base of the hills. On lot #2 of the Granville purchase, some ten rods from the foot of the hill and some 20 rods from the present Granville-Newark Road, he made the first settlement within the present limits of Granville township. Benoni built farther down on the Ramp stream, within the present limits of Newark township.

Benoni was located in the 1820 census at Margaretta Twp., Huron Co., Ohio with one male 10/15; 1 m. 26/44; 1 female 0/10; 1 f. 10/15; 1 f. 16/25; and 2 f. 26/45. Ann, his widow, was located in the 1830 census of Union Twp., Licking Co., Ohio with one male 20/30; 1 f. 15/20. There There is a Jacob H. Benjamin, who was also located in the 1820 census in Huron Co., Ohio that might be related.

Children of Benoni and Anna (---) Benjamin:

*542. Jemima Benjamin b. July 24, 1800 in Ohio.
*543. Washington Mingomery Benjamin b. May 24, 1809 in Fairfield Co., Ohio.
544. dau. b. 1805-10.
545. dau. b. 1810-15.

Resources: Records of Roland J. Benjamin of Park Ridge, Ill.; Records of Mrs. Bert Wolfe Jr. of Logansport, Ind.

198. LILLY BENJAMIN[6] (Jonathan[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born July 9, 1774 at Lycoming Co., Penn.; the dau. of Jonathan and Margaret (Brown) Benjamin; died October 22, 1808, at the age of 28-3-13 of puerperal fever, and is buried in the Old Granville Burying Ground at Granville, Ohio. She married John Jones in 1794. He was of Welsh extraction and was born in Penn. on April 25, 1774 and died October 1851 at Fishing Creek, below Wheeling, Va.

On the first of October 1802 Mrs. Jones gave birth to the first white child born in Granville Township, and on the 22nd day of the same month, died of puerperal fever, age 28 years. It was the first death of a white person in Granville. Jones, after the death of his wife, sold his cabin and improvement ot a Nash, and removed to the mouth of Fishing Creek where he married in 1806 Sarah Hurd and

had seven more children. His was the first cabin errected in April 1801 and the entire party remained with him until the other cabins were errected in the selected locations. (See the notations under Benoni for their migration to Ohio--#197.)

Children of John and Lilly (Benjamin) Jones:

546. Margaret Jones b. 1796 in Penn.; d. August 23, 1824 in Monroe Co., Ohio; m. 1816 Stephen Atkinson.
547. Phoebe Jones b. 1798; m. --- Coleman.
548. Ephraim B. Jones b. March 21, 1800; d. December 18, 1876 at Paris, Ill. and buried in the Edgar Cemetery; m. 1827 Martha Clark b. 1840, d. 1883.
549. John Jones b. October 1, 1802; d. age 23 in West Virginia; unm.

Resources: Records of Robert B. Kilduff; History of Licking Co., Ohio, Norman Hill p. 215-8, 248, 429; p. 53 Tombstone Inscrip. & Fam. Rec. of Belmont, Ohio, Powell, 1969.

199. MARY BENJAMIN[6] (Jonathan[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born March 22/23, 1777 at either Lycoming Co. or York Co., Penn.; the dau. of Jonathan and Margaret (Brown) Benjamin; died October 15, 1863, age 86-6-23 (gs) and is buried in the Old Burying Grounds at Granville, Ohio. She married Phineas Ford on April 5, 1798 (DAR says 1796) at Washington Co., Ohio (vr). He was born November 1, 1772 and died April 7, 1839 at the age of 64-5-7 and is buried with his wife. He was the son of Thomas and Hannah (---) Ford and was originally from Farmington, Conn.

They, with the families of John Jones, Fredrick Ford, and Benoni Benjamin, placed all their effects on a flat boat and left the mouth of the Muskingum on Sept. 1799. They floated down the Ohio to the mouth of the Scioto, thence up the Scioto to a settlement about where Circleville now stands. Here they stopped and wintered with some friends who had preceeded them, and raised a crop. In the spring of 1801, as soon as the ice had left the river, started with their boat up the river for Franklinton, then the first white settlement on the Scioto above Circleville. They reached Franklinton the last of March and landed where Columbus now stands, in an unbroken forest. By the aid of a pocket compass and a map, they started from the Auter Creek branch of the Licking River. They reached their destination April 7, 1801 and Phineas, with his wife and 2 daus., set his stakes on the bank of Auter Creek, about one hundred and twenty rods above where Union Station of the Central Ohio Railroad now stands. Here, with the aid of his wife and brother, he errected a small cabin, and covered it with bark. By this time, their stock of provisions was nearly exhausted, and Phines Ford, with his brother Fredrick Ford, left Mrs. Ford with her two little girls at this lonely spot in the wilderness and

returned to the settlement on the Scioto. He was detained by high water and was absent 11 days. During this time Mrs. Ford did not see the face of a single human being besides her little children. On the 11th day, her provisions had become exhaused and with a degree of bravery that bordered on desperation, she started through a trackless wilderness to find the cabin of her sister, Mrs. Lilly Jones, some 4 miles distant, on Raccoon Creek. After wandering all day with her little children, just at night, wearied and forlorn, and near to the cabin of her sister, she met her husband, safely returning with supplies.

Phineas Ford and his brother had come to the Licking Valley on a proposition from the agent of some eastern land holders to donate 50 acres of land to each family, on condition of their occupying and improving it for a term of years, and encouraging a settlement.

Mr. Ford's New England education and taste induced him to provide for an orchard of fruit trees by planting seeds that he had broght with him, and some of the first apple trees planted in Granville were taken from his nursery. On this place he claimed to have sowed the first bushel of wheat that was sown in Licking Co. He carried the seed on his own back from the vicinity of Lancaster. From this bushel of seed he raised 36 bushels of wheat, only 5 bushels of which were used for bread. The balance was sold to the settlers for seed.

Mary dislocated her knee by a fall from a horse, and she recovered with a stiff knee, which left her a cripple the last 50 years of her life.

Children of Phineas and Mary (Benjamin) Ford:

550. Hannah Ford b. December 22, 1798; m. Jonathan Benjamin. (See # 565 for her carry down.)
551. Margaret Ford b. May 17, 1800; m. --- Ingraham; resided at Fairview, Ill.
552. Thomas Ford b. August 1, 1802; d. Jan. 2, 1883 at Brimfield, Ill.; buried in the Brimfield Cem.; m. 1824 Catherine Martin b. 1802, d. 1890.
553. Florilla Ford b. September 20, 1804; m. Allen Griffin
554. Cynthia Ann Ford b. October 20, 1806.
555. Benjamin Ford b. July 19/20, 1809/10; d. March 28, 1891 at Granville, Ohio and buried in the Maple Grove Cemetery; m. Priscilla ---.
556. Jane Ford b. October 19, 1811.
557. Mary Ford b. January 15, 1814; d. May 20, 1895 at Licking Co., Ohio; m. Feb. 4, 1841 Leonard P. Hopkins.
558. Drucilla Ford b. April 11, 1817; m. --- Jakeway and resided in Newark, Ohio.

Resources: Records of Roland J. Benjamin of Oak Ridge, Ill Vol. 2 p. 9 Gateway to the West; Vol. 99 p. 216-7 DAR Lineage Book; Hist. of Licking Co., Ohio, Norman Hill; p. 428-30; Vol. 3 p. 132 Old Northwest Gen. Quarterly;

Records of Robert B. Kilduff.

200. JEMIMA BENJAMIN[6] (Jonathan[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born September 25, 1783 at Lycoming Co., Penn.; the dau. of Jonathan and Margaret (Brown) Benjamin; died May 24, 1881 at the age of 97-7-29 at Jasper Co., Iowa and is buried in the Hewitt Cemetery near Galesburg, Iowa. She married John Black in 1807 at Licking Co., Ohio. He was born in 1780 and died September 19, 1827, at the age of 47 yrs. in Lick ing Co., Ohio and is buried in the Old Colony Burying Grounds at Granville, Ohio.

The people of Auter Creek for many years attended meetings at Mr. Nash's. Soon after the War of 1812, a Methodist society was formed at the house of John Park, and John Black was appointed class leader. This continued to be a regular preaching place until the errection of Park Chapel in 1840/1.

Children of John and Jemima (Benjamin) Black:

559. James Black b. December 25, 1808 at Licking Co., O. d. December 9, 1849 at Mason Co., Ill.
560. John Black Jr.; died Young in Crawford Co., Ill.
561. Benoni B. Black b. September 5, 1815; d. March 18, 1861 in Kansas; m/1 Eleanore Crowe; m/2 Mary Ann Dodge.
562. Jonathan B. Black b. September 13, 1818; d. June 6, 1881 at Galesburg, Iowa; m. September 17, 1841 Deborah Van Dorn.
563. Lillie Black; d. in Kansas; m. Benjamin Hancock.
564. Mary Black; d. in Kansas; m. Thomas Ingraham.

Resources: Hist. of Licking Co., Ohio, Norman Hill p. 599; Records of Robert B. Kilduff.

204. DAVID BENJAMIN JR.[6] (David[5], Jonathan[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1767 in Penn.; the son of David and Elizabeth (Brown) Benjamin; died July 17, 1834 at Union Station, Ohio and is buried in the Old Colony Burying Ground at Granville, Ohio. He married Elizabeth --- in 1795 in Penn. She was born about 1767 and died March 10, 1835, age 68, and is buried with her husband.

Supposedly he was born near the Susquehanna River in Penn. (Note: If the reference is to Northumberland Co., then he was probably born elsewhere, as Northumberland Co. was not opened for settlement until the spring of 1769.) Of course, family records were burned by the Indians, so his exact birthdate cannot be given. The Indians at this time were very restless in that part of the country and several of the Benjamin families, and a few others, for mutual protection, had errected a blockhouse and small fort, where they had kept their families for some time, knowing that a band of Indians was lurking around them. On a quite Sunday they sallied forth to look

at their respective homes and gardens and while thus divided, were ambushed by the awaiting Indians. Jonathan and his family, because they lived on the other side of the river escaped. David, the father, was killed and his family was taken into captivity as soon as their houses were pillaged and burned. They were probably taken into the western part of New York, as David's children said that their grandmother often told them they were close to the Canada line, but not in Canada. This family remained prisoners for seven years, until the end of the war. One or two of the children, having become so accustomed to Indian life, refused to return to civilized life, among them David's only sister. After their return, they remain ed on the Susquehanna until David married. He then moved, with his mother and one or more brothers, to the Northwest Territory, near the mouth of the Muskingum River. Here they remained about 4 years, when they moved about 20 miles from Marietta, probably in the northeast corner of Athens Co., Ohio. There they remained until May 1805/6, when they settled on a farm where Union Station now stands.

David was a frontiersman all his life, and so much of his youth having been spent among the savages, he grew up without education or much knowledge of the refinements of fashionable society, but he was a peaceable and kindheart-ed citizen. He was cheerful, quite sociable, and very industrious. For some cause,he entirely laid aside the use of a gun, and for many years kept none of his own.

Another story, given by Ezekiel Brown, an uncle of David's, gives basically the same story of the Indian raid. The Indians attacked the unsuspecting settlers. Brown's mother and father were murdered. His sister and her 7 children were carried off into captivity, and the mother was seperated from the children and the children from each other. Brown was forced to run the gauntlet three times, the last time successfully and was adopted by an Indian family who had lost a son. He was afterward taken to Canada, where he found his sister and got clues of her children. There he managed to get into the employ of a trader, soon bought his freedom and at once set about securing the release of his sister and her children. He tells a story about getting some Indians who were holding the last child drunk and then barring the door on them. But the lad had become enamored with the wild life of the woods and ran away, with Mr. Brown in pursuit. The boy was finally recaptured and the whole family returned to Penn. in 1783 or 1785.

On June 28, 1793 David owned 300 acres when the survey was taken in Penn. He was mustered into the Norumberland Co. Militia in 1789. He was listed in the 1820 census at Union Twp., Licking Co., Ohio.

Children of David and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin:

*565. Jonathan N. Benjamin b. October 11/12, 1797/9 in Pa.

*566. William Benjamin b. 1798/9 in Virginia.
*567. Christian/Christopher Benjamin b. 1803/4 at Washington Co., Ohio.
568. Rebecca Benjamin b. 1800; d. August 31, 1870, age 69-4-23 at Granville, Ohio; buried in the Maple Grove Cem.; m. September 29, 1818 Peter Gaich/Geach.
569. Margaret Benjamin b. 1808; d. February 13, 1882, age 73-10-5 and buried in Maple Grove Cem.; unm.
?570. Matilda Benjamin; m. May 14, 1823 Jonathan Bonham at Licking Co., Ohio. (vr).
?571. Mary Benjamin; m. February 15, 1818 John Van Kirk (Van Buskirk) at Licking Co., Ohio. (vr).
572. Sally Benjamin bc. 1805.
(David supposedly raised 3 sons and 4 daus.)

Resources: Records of Roland J. Benjamin of Oak Ridge, Ill p. 432-3 Hist. of Delaware Co., Ohio; Vol. 25 p. 81 Penn. Archives Series 3; p. 603 Hist. of Licking Co., Ohio, Hill.

205. EZEKIEL BENJAMIN[6] (David[5], Jonathan[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in Penn.; the son of David and Elizabeth (Brown) Benjamin. There is no data on his death or birth or the name of his wife.

He was located in the 1803 census of Adams Twp., Washington Co., Ohio. Pvt. Ezekiel Benjamin of Washington Twp. Franklin Co., Ohio was on the muster roll for battalion muster at Worthington, Ohio on May 27, 1808. Ezekiel, of Worthington, Ohio, gave $25. for a new capitol building in Ross County on Feb. 3, 1810.

Children of Ezekiel Benjamin:
*573. John Benjamin bc. 1795.
574. Herman Benjamin; had a son Judah P. Benjamin.
?575. Roger Benjamin.

Resources: The Old Northwest Gen. Quarterly Vol. 6 p. 153; Records of Francis M. Benjamin of Kirkland, Wash.

206. DANIEL BENJAMIN[6] (David[5], Jonathan[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in Penn.; the son of David and Elizabeth (Brown) Benjamin There is no data on his birth or death or wife. However, records would indicate that he m. Martha Young, who was the dau. of Robert Young. Robert was a native of Tyrone, Ireland. However, these same records indicate that this Daniel was a son of William Benjamin of N.Y, which of course, doesn't agree with the above. This data comes from information concerning the son, and since he was born at Worthington, Franklin Co., Ohio--it would seem that he was the son of the above Daniel!

A Daniel Benjamin owned 400 acres in Huntington Co., Penn. in 1793. In Franklinton, Franklin Co., Ohio Daniel Benjamin received $2.00 bounty for pelts of wolves and

panthers in Feb. 4, 1805. He was mustered in Franklin Co. Ohio in 1805/10. On Feb. 3, 1810 he pledged $50., as a citizen of Worthington, Ohio, toward building a state house in Worthington. He enlisted April 27, 1813 as a Private in Capt. George Sanderson's Co. which was recruited from Franklin, Fairfield, and Delaware Counties to serve in the War of 1812.

Children of Daniel and Martha (Young) Benjamin:

*576. Robert Young Benjamin b. July 7, 1808 at Worthington, Franklin Co., Ohio. He is listed as the eldest son and the third child.

Resources: Records of Roland J. Benjamin of Oak Ridge, Ill; Records of Robert B. Kilduff; Vol. 7 p. 192-3, Vol. 15 p. 84-5 The Old Northwest Gen. Quarterly; Hist. of Franklin and Pickaway Co., Ohio p. 106-7; p. 195-6 Hist. of DuPage Co., Ill.

207. WILLIAM BENJAMIN[6] (David[5], Jonathan[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1768 in Penn.; the son of David and Elizabeth (Brown) Benjamin; died April 9, 1830. He married Nancy ---, who was born in 1764.

William owned 300 acres in a survey taken March 30, 1793 in Northumberland Co., Penn. and 150 acres in Lycoming Co., Penn. in a survey taken on June 29, 1812. It might seem that he inherited his father's property. A William Benjamin was named guardian of a minor in Lycoming Co., Penn. (adjoinging Northumberland Co.) in 1798; lived there with his wife Nancy in 1800, and died there. His estate was issued to Rachel Lyon.

Children of William and Nancy (---) Benjamin:

577. Rachel Benjamin b. between 1784-90; m. --- Lyon.

Resources: Records of Roland J. Benjamin of Oak Ridge, Ill Records of Robert B. Kilduff.

208. NATHAN BENJAMIN[6] (David[5], Jonathan[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born between 1760-70; the son of David and Elizabeth (Brown) Benjamin; died in 1857 in Indiana and buried in the old cemetery at Lagro, Wabash Co., Indiana. He married Mary Nulton, who was born between 1780-90 in Penn. and died in 1836 in Ohio. She was "of direct German descent". He m/2 Hester Smith on November 23, 1845 at Athens Co., Ohio (vr).

He came from Penn. to Oho about 1800. He was located in the 1803 census at Waterford, Washington Co., Ohio. At that time, David Jr. and Nathaniel Benjamin were adjacent in the census. In the 1830 census he was in York Twp., Athens Co., Ohio. He moved to Lagro, Ind. to live with his son Elijah in 1848.

Children of Nathan and Mary (Nulton) Benjamin:

578. Rebecca Benjamin; m. May 15, 1819 John Matheny at Athens Co., Ohio. (vr).
579. Elizabeth Benjamin b. April 1, 1799; d. November 16, 1869, age 70-7-16 at York, Athens Co., Ohio; m. June 8, 1818 Heathcoat Pickett in Athens Co., Ohio. (vr). He b. 1799. She b. in Virginia.
*580. David William Benjamin b. 1800-10.
*581. Jacob Benjamin b. 1800-10.
582. Clarinda Benjamin.
583. Susan Benjamin.
584. Mary Benjamin.
*585. Elijah Willson Benjamin b. June/Oct. 7, 1810 at Athens Co., Ohio.
586. Louisa Benjamin bc. 1815-20.
587. Nancy Benjamin b. 1815-20; m. September 12, 1839 Elisha Spellman in Licking Co., Ohio. (vr).
588. Sophia Benjamin b. 1820-25.
589. Fletcher Benjamin b. 1825-30.
5 other children, unnamed. He had 9 boys and 8 girls

Resources: Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.; Vol. 2 p. 115 and Vol. 1 p. 159-60 Gateway to the West.

209. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[6] (Richard[5], Jonathan[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1770 in New York; the son of Richard and Martha (Bennett) Benjamin; died February 1, 1847, age 77 years at Asylum Twp., Bradford Co., Penn. He married Leah Ackla (Acla/Ackley), the dau. of Benjamin and Hannah (Bennett) Ackla and was born 1775-1794. He may have been married twice, since one census record shows a wife born 1790-1800 although there is an 1850 census for a Lear Benjamin, which I believe is in reality Leah Benjamin, in Durell, Bradford Co., Penn.

Jonathan was located in the 1830 and 1840 census records at Monroe, Bradford Co., Penn.

Children of Jonathan and Leah (Ackla) Benjamin:
590. 2 males b. 1810-15.
*591. John L. Benjamin b. May 31, 1815 in Penn.
592. Phebe Benjamin b. 1818.
*593. Jonathan Benjamin Jr. b. May 4, 1819 in Penn.
*594. Robert Benjamin b. 1823 (or 1826 or 1830) in Penn.
*595. Henry Benjamin b. 1828/9 in Penn.
*596. Moses Benjamin b. 1833-36 in Penn.
597. Maria Benjamin b. 1835; m. perhaps John Chilson.
598. Mahalia/Mahala Benjamin; possibly m. Sylvester Miller.
599. dau. b. 1820-25 (Possibly Mahalia).

Resources: Census Records; Research in cemetery and vital records by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

211. JOHN BENJAMIN[6] (Richard[5], Jonathan[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born

1782 or 1785; the son of Richard and Martha (Bennett) Benjamin; died about 1861. He m/1 Patty Vincent, who was born in 1788 and died 1859. He m/2 Hannah (Johnson) Benjamin, the widow of his brother, David. She was born in 1812 and died March 4, 1866. She m/3 Solomon Cole on December 4, 1862 at Bradford Co., Penn.

Letters of Administration gave everything to his son, Harry Benjamin. He was located in the 1810 census of Towanda, Luzerne Co., Penn. with 1 m. 16/26; 1 f. 10/16; 1 f. 45+ and 3 slaves; apparently unm. He was located in the 1830 and 1840 census of Monroe, Bradford Co. and in the 1850 census at Durell, Bradford Co. and in the 1860 census at Asylum Twp., Bradford Co., Penn.

Children of John and Patty (Vincent) Benjamin:

*600. Harry Benjamin b. April 27, 1811.
*601. John V. (?C.) Benjamin b. 1813 in Penn.
*602. Samuel Benjamin b. 1820 in Penn.
*603. Solon Benjamin b. 1824.
*604. Jehial Benjamin b. 1825/6.
605. Polly Benjamin b. 1814; d. 1877; m. --- Johnson.
606. 1 female b. 1804-10.
607. 2 females b. 1815-20.
608. 2 females b. 1820-25.
609. Mary Benjamin b. 1831 in Penn.; m. Philo Mingos.
*610. Levi Benjamin b. 1833 in Penn.
611. Alvira Angle Benjamin b. 1840 in Penn.

Resources: Census Records and research made by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

212. DAVID BENJAMIN[6] (Richard[5], Jonathan[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1787 in Penn.; the son of Richard and Martha (Bennett) Benjamin; died about 1855. He married Hannah Johnson. She was born in 1812 and died March 4, 1886, age 74 yrs., and is buried in the Durell Cemetery. She m/2 John Benjamin, a brother of her first husband. She m/3 Solomon Cole on December 4, 1862 at Asylum, Bradford Co., Penn.

David's will was dated August 29, 1855. He was a farmer and was located in the 1820 census at Towanda, Bradford Co., Penn. and in the 1820 and 1840 census of Monroe, Bradford Co., Penn.

Children of David and Hannah (Johnson) Benjamin:

612. Elizabeth (Betsey) Benjamin b. 1834 in Penn.; m. --- Houck.
*613. Charles Benjamin b. 1834 in Penn.
*614. George W. Benjamin b. November 21, 1835 in Penn.
615. Martha (Patty) Benjamin b. 1837/8 in Penn.; m. --- Mingas.
616. Rebecca Benjamin b. 1838; m. --- Bradley.
617. Caroline Benjamin b. 1841.
*618. Richard Benjamin b. December 12, 1845 in Penn.
619. Lucy A. Benjamin b. 1846/7; m. --- Sibley.

*620. Mathias/Mathew Mathias Benjamin b. 1851; perhaps m. Ida Borden.
621. Emeline Benjamin; m. --- Baldwin.

Resources: Census records and research by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

213. PETER BENJAMIN[6] (Richard[5], Jonathan[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1787 in Penn.; the son of Richard and Martha (Bennett) Benjamin. He seems to have been married twice. The first one was perhaps Ann --- and m/2 Huldah Miller. She was born between 1790-1800 and died about 1816. He probably married a third time, since in the 1840 census, a woman age 40-50 was in his household.

He was a farmer and was located in the 1820 census of Towanda, Bradford Co., Penn.; and in the 1830 and 1840 census of Monroe, Bradford Co., and in the 1850 census at Durell, Bradford Co., Penn.

Children of Peter Benjamin:
*622. Simon Benjamin b. 1810 or 1818 in Penn.
623. Lucy Benjamin b. 1820.
624. Huldah Benjamin b. 1816.
625. Sophy Benjamin b. 1828.
626. Sally Benjamin b. 1830.
627. Sene/Asenath Benjamin b. 1828.
*628. William Morgan/Morgan W. Benjamin b. 1832.
629. 1 female b. 1835-40.
*630. Peter Benjamin b. 1848 in Penn.

Resources: Census records and research in cemetery and vital records of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

214. JESSE BENJAMIN[6] (Richard[5], Jonathan[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1792 in Penn.; the son of Richard and Martha (Bennett) Benjamin. He m/1 Hannah --- and she died before the 1840 census. He m/2 Rosina --- b. 1805 in Conn.

He was listed in the 1820 and 1840 census at Monroe, Bradford Co., Penn. and in the 1850 census of Durell Twp., Bradford Co., Penn.

Children of Jesse and Hannah (---) Benjamin:
*631. David Benjamin b. April 3, 1832 in Penn.
*632. Harry S. Benjamin b. 1834 in Penn.

Children of Jesse and Rosina (---) Benjamin:
633. Polly Benjamin b. 1840.
634. Jesse Benjamin b. 1847.
635. Anthony Benjamin b. 1849 in Penn.
636. 2 females b. 1825-30 (daus. of Hannah!)

Resources: Census Records and research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

218. JOSHUA BENJAMIN[6] (Richard[5], Jonathan[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1800 in Penn.; the son of Richard and Martha (Bennett) Benjamin. He married Abigail ---,who was born about 1800 in Penn.

He was located in the 1820 census at Towanda, Penn.; in the 1830 and 1840 census at Monroe Twp., Bradford Co.; and in the 1850 census in Durell Twp., Bradford Co., Penn.

Children of Joshua and Abigail (---) Benjamin:

*637. Sylvanus/Sylvester Benjamin b. 1821 or 1828 in Penn.
638. Mary Benjamin b. 1823.
639. Fanny Benjamin b. 1825.
*640. Richard Benjamin b. 1825 or 1828 in Penn.
*641. Edwin Benjamin b. 1826 in Penn.
642. 1 female b. 1825-30.
643. 1 male b. 1835-40.
644. 1 female b. 1835-40.
645. 4 females b. 1830-35.

Resources: Census records and research by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

230. JAMES BENJAMIN[6] (Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1770-1780 (probably nearer to 1770-74) in Orange Co., New York; the son of Silas D. and Elizabeth (Youngs) Benjamin. His death date is unknown. He married Phoebe Cahoon, who was born about 1774.

He was located in the 1800, 1820, and 1830 census records of Blooming Grove, Orange Co., N.Y. It would seem that he remained in this area, as did his children.

The placement of his children are educated "guesses" taken larely from census records!

Children of James and Phoebe(Cahoon) Benjamin:

?*646. 2 males b. 1790-1800; perhaps. John Benjamin b. 1790
?*647. ; perhaps Stephen H. Benjamin b. March 19, 1800 at Blooming Grove, N.Y.
?*648. 1 male b. 1802-04; perhaps Richard Benjamin b. 1800.
649. 2 males b. 1804-10.
650. 2 females b. 1794-1800.
651. 2 females b. 1804-10.
652. 2 females b. 1810-15.
653. 2 females b. 1820-25
654. 1 female b. 1825-30 at Blooming Grove, Orange Co.,NY

Resources: Census records.

231. DAVID BENJAMIN[6] (Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born December 3, 1775 or 1780 in Orange Co., New York; the son of Silas D. and Elizabeth (Youngs) Benjamin; died December 25, 1865 in Orange Co., N.Y. He m/1 Deborah Coleman who was born 1777 and died in 1803. He m/2 Charity Tuthill on October 13, 1804, the dau. of Francis and Frances (Conklin) Tuthill. She was born June 10, 1780 at Blooming Grove, New

York and died May 25, 1856 at Blooming Grove.
He was listed in the 1810, 1830, and 1840 census records at Blooming Grove, Orange Co., New York.

Children of David and Deborah (Coleman) Benjamin:
655. Deborah Benjamin b. 1794-1800; m. July 17, 1822 to Samuel Oncles at Blooming Grove, N.Y. (vr).
656. 1 male b. 1784-94.

Children of David and Charity (Tuthill) Benjamin:
*657. Francis L./S./Tuthill Benjamin b. February 8, 1806.
658. Jane E. Benjamin b. November 6, 1808; d. June 17, 1890.
*659. James Egbert Benjamin b. May 3, 1810.
660. Amanda Benjamin b. June 9, 1813.
*661. Hector Benjamin b. November 20, 1815.
*662. Horace Tuthill Benjamin b. May 20, 1817.
663. Warren Benjamin b. September 15, 1819; d. August 1890.
664. Hannah Tuthill Benjamin b. April 11, 1825; d. 1894; m. --- Brown.

Resources: Census records; Tuttle-Tuthill Lines in Am., Ava Tuttle, 1968; Tuttle Gen., George Tuttle, 1883; Records of Mrs. Olive Nozell of Monroe, N.Y.

232. JOHN BENJAMIN[6] (Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born between 1775-1784; the son of Silas D. and Elizabeth (Youngs) Benjamin. He m/1 Esther Duryea, who died April 1825. He m/2 Esther E. (Mapes) Tuthill, the widow of Jonathan Tuthill. She was born December 1, 1798.
He was listed in the 1820 census of Blooming Grove, Orange Co., New York.

Children of John and Esther (Duryea) Benjamin:
665. 3 daus. b. 1810-20.
perhaps Anna Maria Benjamin bc. 1820; m. October 20, 1841 Francis Hoyt of Blooming Grove, N.Y. (vr).

Resources: Census record; p. 20 Mapes Fam. in Am., Frank Ham, 1962.

233. ABRAHAM BENJAMIN[6] (Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born January 22, 1781 (cem. rec.) or 1784 (gs); the son of Silas and Elizabeth (Youngs) Benjamin; died June 12, 1857 (gs) and is buried in the Bethlehem Cemetery, Town of Cornwall, Orange Co., New York. He m/1 Esther Coleman, the dau. of Daniel and Esther (Curtis) Coleman. She was born December 8, 1788. He m/2 Margaret Reader, who was born February 25, 1787 and died February 23, 1861, at the age of 73-11-23 (gs) and is buried with her husband.
His will appears at Goshen, N.Y. (Liber W-296). He was located in the 1820 and 1830 census records of Blooming Grove, Orange Co., N.Y.

Children of Abraham and Esther (Coleman) Benjamin:

666. Albert Gallilon Benjamin b. December 31, 1809 at Blooming Grove, N.Y.
667. Ann Eliza Benjamin b. September 26, 1811.
668. Harriet Benjamin b. October 7, 1813; d. January 24, 1841, age 27 yrs. and buried in the Bethlehem Cem m. James White. Had daus.: Harriet and Mary Ann White.
668. Andrew Jackson Benjamin b. February 13, 1816; had 5 children.
669. Anna Benjamin b. April 17, 1818; m. October 30, 1837 to Albert Benton Wood. Issue: Mary Louise; Anne Elizabeth; Harriet Augusta; and Charlotte Elinore Wood.
670. Esther Benjamin b. October 31, 1820; d. 1848, age 27 m. November 9, 1842 Henry White b. 1819, d. 1900; had 1 child.
*671. Mary B. Benjamin b. May 29, 1823.
*672. Edward Benjamin b. April 8, 1824.
*673. Nathan Benjamin b. June 27, 1825.
674. Margaret Benjamin b. June 11, 1827; m. Cyrus Field Wixon; no issue.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Records of Mrs.John Schroeder of Evansville, Ind.; Orange Co. Death Records; Hamptonburg Presbyterian Church Records of Orange Co., N.Y.; Records of Mrs. Edwin Nozell of Monroe, N.Y.

234. COLVILLE/COLVIN BENJAMIN^{6} (Silas$^{5-4}$, David^{3}, Richard$^{2-1}$) born between 1780-1790 in Orange Co., New York; the son of Silas D. and Elizabeth (Youngs) Benjamin. He married Jemima Coleman, the dau. of Caleb and Keziah (Clark) Coleman. She was born in 1773 and died March 19, 1838, age 64-8-21 and is buried in the Bethlehem Cemetery at Cornwall, N.Y.

Colville was listed in the 1830 census at New Windsor, Orange Co., New York.

Children of Colville and Jemima (Coleman) Benjamin:

675. Caroline Benjamin; m. December 29, 1819 to Peter Earl of Newburg, the son of Peter and Elizabeth (Bull) Earl.
676. Mary Benjamin; m. Selah Reeves.
677. Deborah Ann Benjamin; m. Thomas Hallett.
678. Daniel Benjamin b. 1810-15.
679. Elizabeth Benjamin b. 1811; d. 1891; m. John Eggleston.
*680. James (?Joseph) Benjamin b. 1810-15.
681. Emily Benjamin; m. Edward Eggleston.
682. Joseph Benjamin b. 1815-20.
683. son b. 1820-25.

Resources: Census records; Records of Mrs. Edwin Nozell of Munroe, N.Y.; Coleman Gen.; Orange Co. Marriage records.

235. SILAS BENJAMIN JR.[6] (Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born between 1780-90 in Orange Co., New York; the son of Silas D. and Elizabeth (Youngs) Benjamin. He married Nancy Satterly who was born between 1790-1800.

He was located in the 1820 and 1840 census records of Blooming Grove, Orange Co., New York.

Children of Silas and Nancy (Satterly) Benjamin:

*684. Silas Benjamin b. 1805/6.
685. Uriah Benjamin.
686. 2 females b. 1794-1804.
687. 1 female b. 1804-10.

Resources: Census records.

236. ELIZABETH/BETSEY BENJAMIN[6] (Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born between 1784-1790; the dau. of Silas D. and Elizabeth (Youngs) Benjamin. She m/1 Thomas Smith and m/2 John Forshee, who died between 1870 and 1875.

John Forshee's will (Liber 23:141) at Goshen, N.Y. was dated February 1, 1870 and probated September 13, 1875 and named Robert F. Forshee his executor. It was witnessed by Gilbert O. Hulse and T. D. Schoonmaker, both of Middletown N.Y. He named his grandchildren: Sarah Elizabeth and William Pollard.

Children of John and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Forshee:

688. Eliza R. Forshee; m. Josiah Jenkins.
689. Sarah Ann Forshee; m. David Lynch.
690. Mary Jane Forshee; m. --- Pollard. She was born in 1826 and d. October 20, 1856, age 30, in New York City. Her issue is named above.
691. Robert F. Forshee.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Edwin Nozell of Munroe, N.Y.

237. MARY BENJAMIN[6] (Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1791 in Orange Co., New York; the dau. of Silas D. and Elizabeth (Youngs) Benjamin. She is buried in Satterlytown Cemetery, a private cemetery located between Monroe and Washingtonville in the township of Blooming Grove, N.Y. She married Phineas Brooks, the son of John Brooks who was of Eagle Valley, town of Munroe, N.Y. (now the town of Tuvedo). He is buried in the same cemetery.

At the First Presbyterian Church of Monroe, N.Y. Mrs. Mary Brooks was received on confession on May 21, 1842.

Children of Phineas and Mary (Benjamin) Brooks:

692. Susan Brooks b. 1816; d. March 1888 at Monroe, N.Y.; m. Elliot Strong b. 1806, d. 1878 at Maplehurst, Washingtonville, N.Y. He was the son of Selah and Ruth (Woodhull) Stong. They had a son Selah Strong b. 1843; d. 1905 at Maplehurst, N.Y.; m. Stella Hetzell, dau. of Joseph and Harriet (Seely)

Hetzell b. 1850, d. 1918. They are all buried in the Washingtonville Cemetery in Blooming Grove,NY

Resources: Records of Mrs. Edwin Nozell of Monroe, N.Y.

238. SARAH ANN BENJAMIN[6] (Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born March 13, 1791 in Orange Co., New York; the dau. of Silas D. and Elizabeth (Youngs) Benjamin; died June 26, 1886. She m/1 Phineas Satterly and m/2 Mathew Graham, a stone mason by trade.

There is also a record of a Sarah Benjamin m. Obadiah Coleman, the son of Asahel and Esther (---) Coleman, b. June 3, 1787. This may be her 3rd m., or that of another Benjamin girl.

Children of Phineas and Sarah (Benjamin) Satterly:

693. Courtlandt Satterly b. November 4, 1809 at Blooming Grove, N.Y.; d. December 31, 1903 at Middletown, N.Y. and buried in the Howells Cemetery; m. Sarah Anderson on Jan. 15, 1834. She was b. April 11, 1811, d. Oct. 8, 1872. They had a dau: Jane Satterly b. Feb. 9, 1835; d. Feb. 12, 1918; m. James Linckrom. He may have had a dau.: Hulda Caroline Satterly who d. June 5, 1902; m. Abrah Locey and he may have had a dau. who m. --- Barto.

694. Isaac Satterly b. November 5, 1813/4 at Satterlytown m. Nov. 8, 1843 at Satterlytown, Orange Co., NY Mary Moffat, dau. of William and Elizabeth (Scott) Moffat b. July 16, 1809, d. Nov. 5, 1880 at Bloom ing Grove, N.Y. Issue: Clarkson Moffat Satterly; m. Margaret Horton; Charles Scott Satterly; and Sarah Elizabeth Satterly.

Children of Mathew and Sarah (Benjamin Satterly) Graham:

695. Olive Ann Graham bc. 1815; m. Gilbert Turner Smith.

697. Eliza Ann Graham b. Jan. 19, 1825; d. May 21, 1914, age 89-4-2; m. August 5, 1843 at Satterlytown to Rev. John Nelson Brown.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Edwin Nozell of Monroe, N.Y.

241. SAMUEL (?ANDREW JACKSON) BENJAMIN[6] (John[5], Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1782 or 1787 in New York; the son of John and Sarah (Mathews Reed Osborne) Benjamin; died in 1856 and is buried in Petersburgh, Indiana. He m/1 --- McCutchan and m/2 Ruanor Dickerson. She was born in 1797 and died in 1856 at Petersburgh, Indiana. He had seven children with his first wife and nine with the second wife.

His will was dated in 1850 at Petersburgh, Indiana. He was located in the 1810 census at Blooming Grove, Orange Co., N.Y.; in the 1820 census at Bethel, Sullivan Co., N.Y in the 1840 census at Scott Twp., Vanderburgh Co., Indiana and in the 1850 census at Petersburgh.

The McCutchan brothers founded the area north of Evans

ville, Ind., which is now called McCutchanville. Samuel may have come along with them at the same time.

There is a Samuel and Ellsworth listed in the taxable lists in 1826 in Herrick Twp., Susquehanna Co., Penn.

Children of Samuel and --- (McCutchan) Benjamin:

698. Desire Benjamin; m. William McCutchan.
*699. Esther Benjamin b. August 23, 1804.
*700. Ellsworth Benjamin bc. 1805.

Children of Samuel and Ruanor (Dickerson) Benjamin:

701. Priscilla Benjamin b. June 29, 1826 at Belmont, Wayne Co., Penn.; d. 1908 at Fresno, California; m. July 3, 1844 Asiah Smalley Hayhurst b. July 28 1822. They had a grandson: Dr. Emery Hayhurst of Columbus, Ohio.
702. Samuel Benjamin b. 1830.
703. William Benjamin b. 1833.
704. George Benjamin b. 1836.

Resources Records of Mrs. John H. Schroeder of Evansville, Indiana.

242. CHRISTINA MATHEWS BENJAMIN[6] (John[5], Silas[4], David[4], Richard[2-1]) born either May 25, 1784 or July 25, 1794; the dau. of John and Sarah (Mathews Reed Osborne) Benjamin; died April 3, 1870. She married David Many Mapes on December 13, 1804. He was the son of John/James and Anna (Many) Mapes and was born either December 18, 1784 or December 13, 1787 and died September 25/28, 1866.

Soon after they were married they established a home at Graycourt, Orange Co., N.Y. A few years later they removed to Westrockville, Sullivan Co., N.Y. and then to Mt. Pleasant, Wayne Co., Penn., where they remained 30 years. There he opened a general store, a village hotel, and blacksmith shop. The last few years of his life he spent on a farm in Gibson, Susquehanna Co., Penn.

Children of David and Christina (Benjamin) Mapes:

705. Elsworth Mapes b. September 11, 1805; d. 1899 at Moline, Ill.; m. 1826 Permelia Pettibone b. 1809 d. 1892.
706. Julia Ann Mapes b. March 1, 1808.
707. Mariah Mapes b. March 12, 1810.
708. Emery Cordenio Mapes b. December 18, 1812.
709. Johnson B. Mapes b. Feb. 27, 1815; d. 1816.
710. Sarh Jane Mapes b. March 31, 1817 at Tanners Fall, Penn.; d. April 1904; m. August 31, 1846 Edward Barnes. They had one child: Seymour Barnes b. April 5, 1860 at Tanners Fall, Penn; d. June 4, 1930 at Bethany, Penn.; m. Etta Rood b. 1863; d. 1939.
711. Mahala C. Mapes b. October 21, 1819.
712. David B. Mapes b. February 28, 1822.

713. Hiram W. Mapes b. March 13, 1824.
714. William H. Mapes b. September 22, 1826; d. 1827.
715. Benjamin B. Mapes b. November 22, 1828.
716. George W. Mapes b. November 17, 1831.
717. Melvina Mapes b. August 18, 1835.

Resources: Records of Mrs. John Schroeder of Evansville, Ind.; Vol. 21 p. 319 DAR Lineage Book; p. 19 Mapes Fam. in Am., Ham, 1962.

?249. DANIEL BENJAMIN[6] (Daniel[5], Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born between 1780 and 1790; a possible son of David Benjamin. There is a Daniel Benjamin listed in the 1820, 1830, and 1840 census records for Blooming Grove, Orange Co., Ny His wife's name is unknown, but she was born 1780-90.

Children of Daniel Benjamin:
718. 1 male b. 1804-10.
719. 1 male b. 1810-20.
720. 1 male b. 1820-25.
721. 3 females b. 1810-20.
722. 1 female b. 1820-30.
723. 1 female b. 1835-40.

Resources: Census records.

?257. JACOB BENJAMIN[6] (Samuel[5], Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) a possible son of Samuel Benjamin. His wife's name is unknown, but he lived in 1800 in Warwick, Orange Co., N.Y.

Children of Jacob Benjamin:
724. 2 males b. 1790-1800.
725. 1 male b. 1784-90.

Resources: Census records.

?258. ZACHARIAH BENJAMIN[6] (Samuel[5], Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born between 1755 and 1774; a possible son of Samuel and Deborah (---) Benjamin. He was listed in the 1800 census at Warwick, Orange Co., New York and his wife was the same age.

Children of Zachariah Benjamin:
726. 1 male born 1774-84.
727. 2 males b. 1790-800
728. 1 female b. 1784-90.
729. 1 female b. 1790-1800.

Resource: Census records.

259. ?JOHN BENJAMIN[6] (Samuel[5], Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1774; a possible son of Samuel and Deborah (---) Benjamin. He married Mary Millspaugh at either Shawangunk, Ulster Co., N.Y. or at Montgomery, Orange Co., N.Y. She

was the dau. of Fredrick Millspaugh.

Children of John and Mary (Millspaugh) Benjamin:
730. Susanna Benjamin b. July 13, 1799
731. Fredrick Millspaugh Benjamin b. August 20, 1801.
732. John Benjamin Jr. b. April 13, 1804.
733. Elmore Benjamin b. 1806.
734. Daniel Benjamin bp. December 19, 1808 at the Reform Dutch Church at Montgomery, Orange Co., N.Y.
735. Peter Benjamin bp. same date at same place.
736. Ann Eliza Benjamin bp. March 7, 1811 at same church.
737. Dilly Maria Benjamin bp. March 8, 1813 at same church

Resource: p. 6 and 12 Montgomery Reformed Dutch Church Records Vol. II, Kenneth Hasbrouck; p. 193 Millspaugh Gen., 1959.

261. ELIZABETH BENJAMIN[6] (Nathan[5], Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1786/7; the dau. of Nathan and Margaret (---) Benjamin; died in 1868 and buried at Bath, Steuben Co., New York. She married John Givens, the son of John and Margaret (---) Givens. He was born either 1760 or 1765 and died in 1833 at Bath, Steuben Co., N.Y. He had m/1 Christina Dougan. Elizabeth m/2 an --- Owens, perhaps Ebenezer Owens.

John's will is on file in Book C p. 125 of Newton, New Jersey, and was probated in 1833. He names his wife and son-in-law, Isaac Tompkins, as executors.

Nathan Benjamin Givens taught school near Sussex, N.J. and lived on and owned a farm adjoining the Charles Longwell farm.

Children of John and Christina (Dougan) Givens:
Samuel Givens b. April 11, 1799; m. 1820 Abigail Farber.
Malinda Givens b. 1797; d. 1870; m. Jan. 1814 Isaac Tompkins.
John Givens Jr. b. October 11, 1805; m. April 29, 1826 Dorothy Ryerson.
Abraham R./K. Givens b. 1810; m. 1848 Catherine Storm of Vernon, N.J.
William Givens b. 1817; m. July 7, 1832 Elizabeth Crabtree.

Children of John and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Givens:
738. James H. Givens b. 1825.
739. Robert B. Givens b. 1826.
740. George Truit Givens b. 1830 at Vernon, N.J.
741. Nathan Benjamin Givens; m. 1862 Mary Elizabeth Longwell. He is buried in the Vernon Methodist Church yard at Vernon, N.J.

Resources: Hartford Times July 8, 1950; Gen. and Hist. #3725.

263. JOHN BENJAMIN[6] (Nathan[5], Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born

either 1787 or 1789; the son of Nathan and Margaret (---) Benjamin; died June 16, 1846 at Brooktondale, Tompkins Co., New York and is buried in the Lane Cemetery at White Church (near Caroline), Tompkins Co., N.Y. He married Elizabeth Van Gelder/Gilder on January 13, 1811 at Hamburg, New Jersey. She was born 1795 and died March 2, 1862.

Children of John and Elizabeth (Van Gelder) Benjamin:

742. Margaret Benjamin; m/1 --- Jay; m/2 Hiram Howard; resided in Danby, Tompkins Co., N.Y. in 1850.
743. Letty Benjamin b. 1827; d. 1876; m. --- Van Steeburgh
*744. Nathan Benjamin b. 1815/6.
745. Ann Benjamin; m. Daniel Patchin.
746. Elizabeth Benjamin; m. --- Whitehead.
747. Jemima Benjamin b. 1829; m. Benson Wooden.
748. Jane Benjamin; m. --- Brooks; had dau. Ann Brooks.
*749. Hiram Jerome Benjamin b. 1834.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Robert Boehler of Wayne, Ind. and F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

264. DAVID BENJAMIN[6] (Nathan[5], Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born between 1780-90 (nearer 1790); the son of Nathan and Margaret (---) Benjamin. Per. m/2 Mariah ---, b. 1800.

There is a David Benjamin listed in the 1830 census records of Vernon, Sussex Co., N.J., that is probably him.

Children of David and unknown wife:

750. 1 male b. 1800-10.
751. 2 males b. 1810-15.
752. 1 male b. 1815-20.
753. 1 male b. 1820-25.
754. 1 male b. 1825-30.
*?755. David N. Benjamin b. 1832; d. 1868 at Big Flats, Steuben Co., N.Y.; m. Susan ---.
756. 1 female b. 1810-15.
757. 2 females b. 1825-30.
?758. 2 females b. 1820-25.

Resources: Census records.

266. ROBERT D. BENJAMIN[6] (Nathan[5], Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1799 in New Jersey; the son of Nathan and Margaret (---) Benjamin. The time and place of his death and the name of his wife are unknown. She was born either 1790-1800 or 1800-1810,or perhaps he had 2 wives.

He seems to be located in the 1825 census at Reading Twp., Steuben Co., New York and in the 1830, 1830, and 1850 census records at Starkey Twp., Yates Co., New York.

Children of Robert D. Benjamin:

*759. Andrew Benjamin b. October 6, 1819 in Sussex Co., New Jersey.
760. 1 female b. 1820-25.

761. 2 females b. 1825-30.
762. 2 females b. 1830-35.
763. 1 female b. 1835-40.
764. Mary Benjamin b. 1841 in N.Y.

Resources: Census records; Research of F. Everett Banjamin of Owego, N.Y.

267. NATHAN BENJAMIN[6] (Nathan[5], Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born April 16, 1801in New Jersey; the son of Nathan and Margaret (---) Benjamin; died in 1885, age 84, in Erin, Chemung Co., New York. He m/1 Anna Boyer who was born in 1803 and died in 1871. He m/2 Susan (---) Benjamin b. 1836, widow of his nephew David N. Benjamin. (See #755).
He is listed in the 1860 census at Erin Twp., N.Y.

Children of Nathan and Anna (Boyer) Benjamin:
*765. John Benjamin b. 1823/4 in New Jersey.
766. William Benjamin b. 1826; d. 1847.
*767. Robert Benjamin b. 1827 in New Jersey.
*768. Samuel C. Benjamin b. 1829/30.
769. Elizabeth Benjamin b. 1834; d. 1922; m. --- Edwards.
770. Sina Benjamin b. 1835; d. 1926; m. --- Hammond.
771. Mary (Marie) Benjamin b. 1844 (or 1832); d. 1912; m. Elijah Osgood b. 1822.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Robert Boehler of Wayne, Ind.; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.; Records of Mrs. Lois Wight of Lansing, Mich.

283. STOUT C. BENJAMIN[6] (Herrick[5-4], Jonathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1764 in New Jersey; the son of Herrick and Mary (Stout) Benjamin; bapt. June 3, 1849 at the First Presbyterian Church of Morristown, N.J. (cr); died June 10, 1853, age 89 and is buried in the First Presby. Church yard at Morristown, N.J. He married Hannah Peck on September 22, 1789 at the First Presby. Church of Morristown (cr). She was born in 1769 and died April 11, 1839, age 72, and is buried with her husband. She is perhaps the dau. of Nathaniel Peck.
Stout resided above Morristown, at what is now Morris Plains. His old farm was taken by the state when the insane asylum was built there. He was located in the 1820, 1840, and 1850 census records at Hanover, Morris Co., N.J.

Children of Stout C. and Hannah (Peck) Benjamin:
772. Stout C. Benjamin Jr. b. 1795; d. August 30, 1831, age 36. (First Presby. Church of Morristown cr).
773. Nathaniel Peck Benjamin b. 1795.
774. Mary Benjamin b. June 1797; d. February 2, 1861; m. April 9, 1840 Stephen V. Tunis. She had a son: Charles H. Tunis b. 1840.
*775. Lewis Condict Benjamin b. February 1807.
776. Martha Benjamin b. 1805-10; m. George W. Earle.

Resources: Census and Church Records.

284. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[6] (Herrick[5-4], Jonathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1764; a possible son of Herrick and Mary (Stout) Ben jamin. (Note: This is one of the few lines that seems to continue the name of Herrick, so it MUST fit in this line-age SOMEWHERE!) He m/1 Elizabeth Barnes about 1789 in Maryland, the dau. of William Barnes. She was born about 1770 and died about 1820 in Madison Co., Ohio. He m/2 Elizabeth Davis of Logan Co., Ohio in Ohio. She died about 1830. Jonathan was still alive in 1850 and probably died at Fairfield, Madison Co., Ohio.

Jonathan sold land (lot #3763) in Allegany Co., Maryland to William Barnes on May 24, 1802. Jonathan had bought this land from Mountjoy Bailey, and was patented to William Barnes May 24, 1802 (1C #Rff 189-190). They cross ed the mountains into Ohio about 1803 and settled near Chillicothe, but moved to Madison Co., Ohio in 1807. He purchased a large tract of land and had it nearly paid for, when ownership was taken from him on the grounds of defect ive title. He was allowed to reside on the land until his death. This land is now known as the old Dowing farm and is near Big Plain, Fairfield Twp., Madison Co., Ohio.

Children of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Barnes) Benjamin:

*777. William Benjamin b. March 4, 1790 in Maryland.
778. Joseph Benjamin b. in Maryland; died in Ohio; no further records on him.
*779. Herrick Benjamin b. in Maryland.
*780. Samuel Benjamin b. 1800 in Maryland.
*781. Elizabeth Benjamin b. June 23, 1801 in Maryland.
*782. Philip Miller Benjamin b. 1806 in Ohio.
783. Silas Benjamin; probably unm.; killed in a mowing accident and bled to death.
784. Jonathan Benjamin Jr.; went down the Mississippi River and never heard of again.

Children of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Davis) Benjamin:

785. Isaac Benjamin.
786. Jacob Benjamin.
*787. Abel Rowland Benjamin b. 1826 in Ohio.

Resources: Records of Dr. P. Mabel Nelson and Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind; Hist. of Madison Co., Ohio, 1883.

285. JOHN BENJAMIN[6] (Herrick[5-4], Jonathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1776; the possible son of Herrick and Mary (Stout) Benjamin; died March 11, 1852, age 76 (gs) and is buried in the First Presbyterian Church Yard at Morristown, New Jersey. He m/1 Elizabeth Doty, who was born 1778 and died May 2, 1822, age 44 (gs) and is buried with her husband. He m/2 Bethiah Crane, a widow.

He was located in the 1830 census for Hanover, Morris Co., N.J.

Possible Children of John and Elizabeth (Doty) Benjamin:
788. Daniel D. Benjamin b. 1807; d. Dec. 23, 1878.
789. Joseph H. Benjamin bc. 1807; a miller; m. Charlotte --- b. 1822 in N.J.; had son Abraham H. Benjamin b. 1838 in N.J.
790. John S. Benjamin bc. 1810-20; listed in the 1840 census of Hanover, N.J.; had son b. 1835-40.
791. 1 female b. 1800-10.
792. 2 females b. 1810-15.
793. 2 females b. 1815-20.

Resources: Census records.

287. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[6] (Jonathan[5], Herrick[4], Jonathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1775; the possible son of Jonathan and Elizabeth(Hines) Benjamin; died September 13, 1849 at Newfield, Tompkins Co., New York. He married Ann ---, who was born between 1790-1800. He may have m/2 Nancy ---, or they may have been the same person.

His will was proved September 1849 in Tompkins Co., NY (Letters of Adminstration 39:176) and names Ann Benjamin of Newfield. He resided on land claimed to be owned by his brother, Joseph, and his widow refused to move; claiming her husband had owned the land for 32 years.

He was located in the 1830 and 1840 census records at New field, Tompkins Co., New York.

Children of Jonathan and Ann (---) Benjamin:
794. Phebe Jane Benjamin b. 1810-15.
795. Lucinda Benjamin b. 1815-20.
796. Julia Ann Benjamin b. 1824.
*797. Herrick Benjamin b. 1800-1810.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, NY and F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

288. JOSEPH BENJAMIN[6] (Jonathan[5], Herrick[4], Jonathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1776 in New Jersey; the possible son of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Hines) Benjamin; died between February 14 and October 28, 1852 at Ithaca, Tompkins Co., New York. He married Phoebe Hanville. She died before 1852.

Joseph's will was written February 14, 1852 and probated October 28, 1852 in Tompkins Co., N.Y. He was in the 1820 and 1850 census in Tompkins Co., N.Y.

In land deeds of Tompkins Co. he is mentioned several times in 1817, 1818, and 1819 making sizable purchaes in the vicinity of Ithaca. He is also mentioned as being one of the petitioners for making a village of Ithaca in 1819.

Children of Joseph and Phoebe (Hanville) Benjamin:
798. Abigail Benjamin born 1794-1804; died before 1852;

m. --- Graham. Her children are named in Joseph's will: Esther Ann; Eliza; Julia A.; Lucy Ann; and Sarasha Graham.

*799. Seeley/Selia T./F. Benjamin b. 1809 in N.Y.

800. Eliza A./S. Benjamin b. 1804; m. September 18, 1820 at Ithaca, N.Y. to George P. Frost. She d. 1860. George was named the executor of Joseph's will.

*801. Maria Benjamin b. January 28, 1807 at Lansing, N.Y.

802. Alansen/Alson/Alanson F. Benjamin b. January 17, 1812; d. January 2, 1873; m. Harriet N. White b. 1814; d. October 23, 1893, age 79. They are both buried in the Smith Valley Cemetery in Tioga Co., N.Y. Alanson received a house and lot in Ithaca in his father's will.

Resources: p. 54 Slason-Slauson-Slauson-Slosson Fam. by George Slawson, 1946; Joseph's will #G-220 in Tompkins Co,. N.Y.; p. 752 Whitney Fam. of Conn., S. Whitney, 1878; p. 168 Vol. 3 N.Y. Gen. and Biog. Record; p. 175 Delano Gen., Delano, 1899.

299. JESSE BENJAMIN[6] (John[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1778 at Saybrooke, Conn.; the son of John and Patience (Post) Benjamin; died March 2, 1834, age 56 (gs) and is buried in the Roxbury Cemetery in Delaware Co., New York. He married Catherine Keator/Keaton about 1805. She was born December 20, 1788 at Marbletown and died March 25, 1837, age 84-3-5 (gs) at Roxbury and is buried with her husband.

A Jesse Benjamin was an Ensign in the Delware Co., N.Y. State Militia in 1816.

Children of Jesse and Catherine (Keator) Benjamin:

*803. Betsey Benjamin b. 1808.

*804. John P. Benjamin b.1810.

*805. Roxy Ann Benjamin b. 1813.

*806. Maria Benjamin b. 1815.

807. Catherine Benjamin; m. March 4, 1867 at Bloomfield, N.Y. to Philetus Corbin, son of Michiah and Marie (Wordon) Corbin. They resided at Roxbury, N.Y. Issue: Polly Maria Corbin, m. O. A. Meeker and had 2 daus.; Hiram B. Corbin, m. Abigail Burrough and had one son; Andrew J. Corbin, m. Lucy Ann Champion and had no issue.

808. Richard Benjamin b. 1816; d. October 27, 1854, age 37-5-0 and is buried in the Roxbury Cemetery.

*809. Jacob K. Benjamin b. May 1820.

Resources: p. 323 Hist. and Desc. of Clement Corbin, Harvey M. Lawson, 1905; p. 70 Three Centuries of Keator Fam. in Am., Keator, 1955; Deaths from 'Gazette' of Delhi, N.Y. copied by Barber.

302. ROXANNA BENJAMIN[6] (John[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born

February 25, 1779 at Saybrooke, Conn.; the dau. of John and Patience (Post) Benjamin; died November 8, 1859 at Prattsville, Green Co., New York and is buried in Prattsville. She married James More, the son of John and Betty (Taylor) More. He was born January 10, 1782 at Catskill, N.Y. and died May 19, 1866 at Gilboa, Schoharie Co., N.Y.

Children of James and Roxanna (Benjamin) More:
810. Jesse Benjamin More b. January 22, 1802 at Roxbury, Delaware Co., N.Y.
811. John Benjamin More b. November 21, 1804.
812. Patience More b. January 31, 1808; m. --- Peck.
813. Robert Benjamin More b. July 13, 1813.
814. Dolly More.
815. Alexander More; died in infancy.
816. Betty Taylor More; b. June 26, 1819; m. --- Hunt.

Resources: p. 291 The More Fam., David F. More, 1893; Hartford Times June 5, 1948 and June 12, 1948.

305. SAMUEL S. BENJAMIN[6] (Usher[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1790/1; the son of Usher and an unknown wife; died October 15, 1860, age 69-11-24 (gs) at Brooklyn, Susquehanna Co., Penn. and is buried in the Hill Cemetery. He married Margaret Bosthwick, who was born about 1807 and died January 17, 1875, age 68 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

On March 13, 1849 (Deed #17-416) in Schoharie Co., N.Y. Land Records, Samuel S. and wife Margaret were grantors to land for Jacob L. and Edwin Benjamin.

His will is listed in Book 2 p. 397 and names son Nelson C. as executor and wife Margaret.

He is listed as the former owner of the Chapman homestead in Brooklyn twp., Penn. He is also listed in the 1835 census in Middleburg, N.Y., a few doors from Usher and in the 1840 census of the same place with 2 males 5/10 and 1 female 0/10.

Children of Samuel S. and Margaret (Bostwick) Benjamin:
*817. Nelson Charles Benjamin bc. 1830.
*818. George J. Benjamin b. August 28, 1832 at Middleburgh, Schoharie Co., N.Y.
*819. Lyman T. Benjamin bc. 1830-35.
820. Mary E. Benjamin b. 1840; d.Agust 14, 1869, age 29 (gs); m. Charles Eldridge.
821. James Benjamin bc. ?; a soldier.

Resources: p. 168 Hist. of Brooklyn, Penn., E. A. Weston; Blackman's Hist. of Susquehanna Co., Penn., 1873; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y. and F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

306. DANIEL BENJAMIN[6] (Usher[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1791 in Rensalaer Co., New York; the son of Usher

Benjamin and an unknown wife; died before 1870. He married Jemima Flint, who was born in 1794/5 and was still alive in 1880, when she was living with her son Hiram.

He was located in the 1820 and 1840 census of Angelica, Allegany Co., in the 1830 and 1850 census of Amity, Allegany Co., and in the 1860 census of Ward, Belfast Twp., of Allegany Co., New York.

Children of Daniel and Jemima (Flint) Benjamin:

822. 1 male b. 1810-15.
823. 1 female b. 1810-15.
*824. David Benjamin bc. 1818.
*825. Hiram Benjamin bc. 1819.
826. 2 males b. 1820-25.
827. 1 female b. 1820-25.
828. Isaiah Benjamin bc. 1827 in New York; m. Helen Ketridge; had son Francis M. Benjamin b. 1860 in Illinois m/2 Sept. 1916 Stella Hammond b. 1875.
829. Lucinda C. Benjamin bc. 1831; m. 1850 Nelson Hall, son of Russell and Phoebe Hall bc. 1831. He was a farmer and resided in Ward, Allegany Co., N.Y. He d. 1893 at Belmont, N.Y. They had a son Merrit Hall who m. Susan Tucker, dau. of William and Susan (Vaughn) Tucker; Selan Hall bc. 1848 resided with Daniel Benjamin in 1860.
830. Pamelia Benjamin bc. 1832.
831. Andrew Benjamin bc. 1834.
832. Philo Benjamin bc. 1837.
833. Mariah Benjamin bc. 1840; m. --- Manning; had son Philip Manning bc. 1859.

Resources: Census Records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

311. EDWIN/ELWIN R. BENJAMIN[6] (Usher[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2]-1) born in 1822, probably in Schoharie Co., New York; the son of Usher and Selinda (Whiting) Benjamin; died in 1907 (gs) and is buried in the Pine Grove Cemetery, Broome Twp., Schoharie Co., New York. He married Bertha Turner, who was born 1826 and died 1904 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He is listed in the 1850, 1870, and 1880 census record for Broome Twp., Schoharie Co., N.Y. In the 1850 census he lived next door to Jacob L. Benjamin.

Children of Edwin and Bertha (Turner) Benjamin:

834. Emma Benjamin bc. 1859.
835. Charles L. Benjamin b. 1863; d. 1948 (gs); m. Eva May ---, who was born 1865 and d. 1933. Both are buried in the New Livingstonville Cem.

Resources: Census and Cemetery records.

312. JACOB L. (?LIVINGSTON) BENJAMIN[6] (Usher[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3],

Richard$^{2-1}$) born November 9, 1823 in Schoharie Co., New York; the son of Usher and Selinda (Whiting) Benjamin; died May 9, 1898 and is buried in the Pine Grove Cemetery in Broome Twp., Schoharie Co., N.Y. He married April 26, 1849 Maryette Church, the dau. of Simeon C. and Katherine (Dumond) Church. She was born October 30, 1825/6 and died October 28, 1906 at Livingston, N.Y. and is buried with her husband.

His will is on file in Schoharie Co., N.Y. (case #2 B:13) and mentions widow Mary E. and sons: Theodore C. of Broome and DeWitt of Albany and dau. Julia E. Carmody of Green Co. He is listed in the 1850 census of Broome Twp., Schoharie Co., N.Y. and lived next door to his brother, Edwin. He also was in the 1870 census of the same place.

Children of Jacob L. and Maryette (Church) Benjamin:

836. Theodore C. Benjamin b. March 19, 1850; died February 13, 1919 and buried in the same cemetery as his parents; m. October 21, 1879 Ellen M. Chapman b. Oct. 28, 1855, d. 1934; they resided at Livingston, N.Y.

837. Juliette Benjamin b. September 10, 1851; m. August 3, 1873 James F. Carmody/Cannady/Canaday of Berne, N.Y. at Berne, Albany Co., N.Y. He was b. April 28, 1832. They had a dau.: Hattie O. Carmody b. 1883. Res.: Livingston, N.Y.

*838. DeWitt C./Frank Benjamin b. March 9, 1856.

839. McKendrie L. Benjamin b. January 17, 1858; d. February 17, 1888; buried in Pine Grove Cem.

840. John L. Benjamin b. September 9, 1862; d. July 26, 1886/7.

Resources: p. 277-8 Simeon Church of Conn., Charles W. Church, 1914; Census Records; Rec. of Ref. Dutch Church of Beaver Dam in Berne, N.Y.; Cemetery Records.

317. ZERAH BENJAMIN^{6} (Richard$^{5-4}$, Amaziah^{3}, Richard$^{2-1}$) born June 20, 1805 in Green Co., New York; the son of Richard and Jerusha (---) Benjamin; death date unknown. He married Asenath Adams.

He lived for a time in Cortland Co., N.Y. and in 1835 migrated to Michigan. He is listed in the 1845 census at Florence Twp., St. Joseph Co., Michigan.

Children of Zerah and Asenath (Adams) Benjamin:

841. Jerusha Meriah Adams Benjamin; m. Artimus Porter. Issue: Charles, Jerusha, and Frances Porter.

842. Amanda Benjamin; m. --- Wood. Issue: Lillie Wood, m. --- Frost; Minnie Wood, m. --- Nelson.

843. Mary Benjamin; m. Gilbert Timmerman. Issue: Zerah; Ashley; Porter; and Elizabeth Timmerman, who m. --- Bailey.

844. Lyman Benjamin. Issue: Claude (was family 'black sheep'); Frank; and Carrie Benjamin, m. --- Tatro.

845. Richard Benjamin; married and moved to Iowa; had a family--but no record.
*846. William Washington Benjamin b. 1845-50 in New York.

Resources: Records of Rev. Stanley L. Benjamin of Cheboygan, Michigan.

318. HORATIO NELSON BENJAMIN[6] (Richard[5-4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born September16, 1808 in Green Co., New York; the son of Richard and Jerusha (---) Benjamin. He married Lydia Waldron on June 4, 1842.

He lived in Chatauqua Co., N.Y. in 1845.

Children of Horatio Nelson and Lydia (Waldron) Benjamin:
847. Alice C. Benjamin b. July 14, 1847; m. Alfred M. Davis.
848. Florence A. Benjamin b. July 25, 1851; d. Sept. 23, 1852.
849. Thresa A. Benjamin b. January 29, 1857.

Resources: Records of Rev. Stanley L. Benjamin of Cheboygan, Michigan.

320. STILLWELL MUDGE BENJAMIN[6] (Richard[5-4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born October 11, 1826 at Durham, Green Co., New York; the son of Richard and Laura (Mudge) Benjamin; died November 7, 1908. He married Harriet A. Eggleston of Cortland , New York on September 30, 1850. She was born in 1831 in Madison Co., New York.

He came to Cortland Co., N.Y. in 1845 with his mother, brothers, and sisters. He was an extensive manufacturer and dealer in monumental works.

Children of Stillwell and Harriet (Eggleston) Benjamin:
850. Jennie Benjamin b. December 4, 1958 in Cortland Co., N.Y.; d. September 20, 1878, age 20.
851. Son, who died in infancy.
852. Louise Cerepta Benjamin b. 1869 in Cortland Co., NY; m. Nelson H. Waters.

Resources: Gen., and Fam. Hist. of Central, N.Y., W. R. Cutter, 1912; Hist. of Cortland Co., N.Y., Smith.

322. JOHN WESLEY BENJAMIN[6] (Richard[5-4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1], born December 23, 1832 at Durham, Green Co., New York; the son of Richard and Laura (Mudge) Benjamin; died June 13, 1882 atChicago, Illinois (while on a business trip). He married Sarah J. Gager, the dau. of Dwight H. and Hannah (Allen) Gager. She was born in 1837 at either Cortland or Tompkins Co., N.Y.

In 1845 he was listed as being of "Chenango Co., N.Y." but he too, came to Cortland Co., N.Y. in 1845 with his mother, sisters, and brothers. He was a farmer and in the marble business. He was in partnership with his brother,

Stillwell, all of his life. He was a member of the Congre gational Church. He enlisted in 1861 in Co. E, 157th N.Y. Regt. of Volunteer Inf. as a private. He rose to 2nd Lt. and was wounded at the Battle of Gettysburgh. His widow was in the 1896 census of Cortlandville, Cortland Co., NY.

Children of John W. and Sarah (Gager) Benjamin:

853. Josephine L. Benjamin b. 1857 in Cortland Co., N.Y.; m. E. P. Wright of Cortland Co., N.Y. Issue: Benjamin E.; Ivan N.; and Ira Wright.

854. Julia T. Benjamin b. 1859 in Cortland Co., N.Y.; in 1880 she took poison over a love affair and died.

855. Jessie Benjamin b. 1856 in Cortland Co., N.Y.; m. William H. McCray.

*856. Page Wesley Benjamin b. March 25, 1878 in Cortland Co

857. Sarah (Sadie) J. Benjamin b. 1879/80; m. Howard Tuthill of Detroit, Michigan.

Resources: Gen. and Fam. Hist. of Central, N.Y., W. R. Cutter, 1912.

325. DANIEL BENJAMIN[6] (Daniel[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) the son of Daniel and Molly (Dowd) Benjamin; perhaps was bapt. October 1799 at Madison, Conn. (First Cong. cr); and died before his father. (1835). He married April 18, 1822 at Coxsackie, Green Co., New York (vr) to Eliza Ann Hubbell.

Eliza Ann was appointed the guardian of the minor children.

Children of Daniel and Eliza (Hubbell) Benjamin:

858. Ezra Benjamin. He was married and had the following children: Anna; William; Hattie; and Charles Benjamin.

*859. Charles Benjamin bc. 1831?.

860. Susan Benjamin; m. --- Borgardus and had daus.: Ophelia Borgardus, m. --- Barber; Rebecca Borgardus, m. --- Cooper.

861. Edwin/Edmond Benjamin.

Resources: Records of Mrs. W. R. Lawrence of St. Michaels, Maryland.

327. JESSE BENJAMIN[6] (Daniel[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) the son of Daniel and Molly (Dowd) Benjamin; bapt. April 1802 at Madison, Conn. (First Cong. cr). His death date is unknown. He married Elizabeth ---.

In Land Deed record #I:448 on June 1826 J. Jewett sold land to Jesse Benjamin of Coxsackie. In 1837 Jesse and his wife Elizabeth of Durham, Green Co., N.Y. sold 108 acres to Silas Standard for #2,500.

Children of Jesse and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin:

862. Kate Benjamin.

863. Mary Benjamin.

Resources: Records of Mrs. W. R. Lawrence of St. Michaels, Maryland; Land records of Green Co., N.Y.

328. WILLIAM HUBBARD BENJAMIN[6] (Daniel[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) bapt. October 1813 at Madison, Conn. (First Cong. cr); the son of Daniel and Molly (Dowd) Benjamin. His death date, and marriage date, and wife's name are unknown.
He resided at Cosackie, Green Co., N.Y.

Children of William Hubbard Benjamin:
864. Katie Benjamin.
865. Marie Benjamin; m. --- Bacon and had daus.: Sophia and Rebecca Bacon.
866. William Benjamin.
867. Fredrick Benjamin.

Resources: Records of Mrs. W. R. Lawrence of St. Michaels, Maryland.

329. HORACE BENJAMIN[6] (Daniel[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1808; the son of Daniel and Molly (Dowd) Benjamin; died January 25, 1871, age 62-4-23 (gs) and is buried in the Old Cemetery, west of the village of Cosackie, Green Co., New York. He married Elizabeth Williamson, who was born about 1815 and died February 16, 1877, age 61-11 (gs) and is buried with her husband.
In 1842 (Green Co. land records #31-440) E. Judson sold to Horace Benjamin of Cosackie, a lot on the Hudson.

Children of Horace and Elizabeth (Williamson) Benjamin:
868. Lucy Benjamin b. 1832; m. --- Lamb.
869. Elizabeth Benjamin b. 1834; married; had one child.
870. Jane Frances Benjamin b. 1837; d. July 25, 1837, age 10 mos. 22 days (gs) and buried with parents.
871. Daniel Benjamin b. 1840. His wife is unknown; but he had the following children: Richard; Horace; Charles; and Adelaide Benjamin.
872. Adaline Benjamin b. 1843; d. January 17, 1850, age 6-8-22 (gs) and buried with her parents.

Resources: Records of Mrs. W. R. Lawrence of St. Michaels, Maryland; Green Co., N.Y. Land Records.

331. ALEXANDER HAMILTON BENJAMIN[6] (Daniel[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) the son of Daniel and Molly (Dowd) Benjamin. His birth date is unknown and he died before 1888. He married Catherine Stannard, and she died before 1888 in Columbia Co., New York.
In 1834 (#39-97) Alexander H. and wife Catherine Stannard of Stockport, Columbia Co., N.Y. bought land from Silas Stannard and wife Lucinda of Cosackie, Green Co., NY that had previously belonged to Daniel Benjamin and later

to Horace Benjamin. The widow's will is on file in Green Co., N.Y. (#S522).

Children of Alexander H. and Catherine (Stannard) Benjamin
873. William H. Benjamin; died about 1888 in Stockport, Columbia Co., N.Y.
874. George H. Benjamin.
875. Jane/Jenny Benjamin; m. Albert Ham.
876. Alice Benjamin.
877. Ida E. Benjamin.
878. Caroline Benjamin; m. Morris Casper.

Resources: Land records of Green Co., N.Y.; Family records of Mrs. W. R. Lawrence of St. Michaels, Maryland.

332. HIRAM BENJAMIN[6] ((Gamalial[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1799; the son of Gamalial and Dorothy (Jones) Benjamin. His death date is unknown. He married Gertrude Van Hosen (Hoesen), who was born in 1802.

He resided in Delaware Co., N.Y. and in 1850 was listed in Richford, Tioga Co., Penn.

Children of Hiram and Gertrude (Van Hosen) Benjamin:
*879. John More Benjamin b. January 13, 1825 in Delaware Co., N.Y.
880. Cornellia Benjamin b. 1826.
881. George Benjamin b. 1830.
882. Pauline Benjamin b. 1833.
883. Dorothy Benjamin. b. 1835.
884. Levi Benjamin b. 1836.
885. Orvis Benjamin b. 1838 (male).
886. Elizabeth Benjamin b. 1842.
887. Peter Benjamin b. 1844.
888. Gertrude Benjamin b. 1846.

Resources: p. 1580 Whitney Fam. of Conn., Vol. 2, 1878; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

334. HENRY BENJAMIN[6] (Gamalial[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1798; the son of Gamalial and Dorothy (Jones) Benjamin; died April 3, 1881, age 82-6-23 (gs) and is buried in the Richmondville Cemetery in Schoharie Co., New York. He married Elizabeth ---, who was born in 1800 and died May 28, 1888, age 87-6-8 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

There is a Henry Benjamin in the 1840 census at Middleburgh, Schoharie Co., N.Y.

There is also a record of Hannah Maria, wife of Henry Benjamin. She was born 1819 and died February 1, 1848, age 29, and is buried in the Lansingburgh Village Cemetery In Rensalaer Co., N.Y.

Either of the above may be the son of Gamalial.

Resources: Cemetery record and Census records.

337. Rev. ALANSON LEWISTON BENJAMIN[6] (Gamalial[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1802 at Middleburgh, Schoharie Co., New York; the son of Gamaliel and Dorothy (Jones) Benjamin. He died May 5, 1888, age 86-2-4 (gs) at Norwich, New York and is buried in the Evergreen Cemetery at Cazenovia, Madison Co., N.Y. He m/1 Ruth Ann Devine about 1839. She was born about 1811 and died June 7, 1843, age 31-1-2 (gs) and is buried in Orwell, Bradford Co., Penn. He m/2 in 1854 Mary Jane Wilson, the dau. of Hubert (Hulet) Dubois and Jane (---) Wilson. She was born in 1825 in Madison Co N.Y. and died April 15, 1889, age 64 (gs) at Norwich, N.Y. and is buried with her husband.

He was a minister in the Methodist Church and was assigned to churches in Oneida and Central New York Conference. He was a student in the Cazenovia Seminary in 1834 and was listed then as being from Owego, N.Y. He bought land in Norwich in 1879 and 1883 and deeded it to his wife in 1886. He signed the deed with an x, because he was paralysed. His wife left her only heir as Mary E. In Blackman's History of Susquehanna Co., Penn. (p. 421) "A. Benjamin, traveling Methodist Preacher between 1830-45".

Children of Alanson and Ruth (Devine) Benjamin:

889. George Benjamin; d. 1842; buried in Orwell, Penn. with his mother.

*890. Harriet Hall Benjamin b. November 24, 1842.

Children of Alanson and Mary J. (Wilson) Benjamin:

891. Mary Eudora Benjamin bc. 1854; unm. at age of 50 in 1905 census at Norwich, N.Y.; a dressmaker; died in the state of Washington.

892. Florence E. Benjamin b. 1857; d. April 12, 1863, age 5-3-14 and buried in Crossroads Cem. at Crystal Lake, Albany Co., N.Y.

Resources: Census records; Family records of Mrs. Charles Mullen of Ft. Edward. N.Y.

338. EBENEZER BENJAMIN[6] (Jonathan[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1797/8 at Duanesburgh, Albany Co., N.Y. (though a1855 census says b. Columbia Co., N.Y.); the son of Jonathan and Fanny (Staley) Benjamin; bapt. May 18, 1798 at the Dutch Reform Church os Schenectedy, N.Y.; died September 3, 1888 at Gilboa, Schoharie Co., N.Y. He married Catherine Shew, the dau. of John and Dorotha (Hager) Shew b. Jun. 11, 1801/2 at Schoharie Co., N.Y.

His will is on file in Schoharie Co., N.Y. (2:B13) and names children and grandchildren: Fredrick; Benjamin; and Minnie Farquham--all of Schoharie Co., N.Y. He is listed in the 1830 through 1880 census records of Blenheim Twp., Schoharie Co., N.Y. He is named in the land records of Schoharie Co. when in 1820 he bought land from Jonathan Benjamin for $130.00 and in 1842 when he sold some land.

Children of Ebenezer and Catherine (Shew) Benjamin:

*893. Hiram Benjamin b. 1821/2.
894. Jonathan Benjamin bc. 1830/1; resided in Deposit, Broome Co., N.Y. at time of father's will.
895. Susan Benjamin b. 1832 at Schoharie Co., N.Y.; m. --- Wood; resided in Deposit, N.Y.
896. Cornelia A. Benjamin bc. 1835; m. --- Disbrow; and resided at Alden, McHenry Co., Illinois at the time of her father's will.
*897. John Henry Benjamin bc. 1838/9.
898. Catherine Maria Benjamin bc. 1940/1; m. --- Farquham of Schoharie Co., N.Y.; was dead before her father. She left three children: Fredrick; Benjamin; and Minnie Farquham.
899. Sarah (Sally) Benjamin b. 1844/5.
900. Diana Benjamin; m. --- Disbrow; and resided in Alden McHenry Co., Illinois at time of her father's will.

Resources: Census, Land, and Probate records of Schoharie Co., N.Y.

339. MATHIAS BENJAMIN[6] (Jonathan[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1802/3 at Schenectady, N.Y.; the son of Jonathan and Fanny (Staley) Benjamin; died before 1870. He married Martha Hoagland. She was born January 5, 1800 (gs) at Schoharie Co., N.Y. and died December 4, 1879 (gs) at Gilboa and is buried in the Gilboa Cemetery in Schoharie Co., N.Y.

He is listed in the 1825 thru 1860 census records for Blenheim, Schoharie Co., N.Y. In the 1870 census Martha, age 69, is listed alone. In 1849 he sold land to William H. Rose of Blenheim.

Children of Mathias and Martha (Hoagland) Benjamin:
901. Fanny M. Benjamin b. 1824.
902. Phebe J. Benjamin b. 1827.
903. Lavinia/Lovina Benjamin b. 1831; m. October 23, 1851 to Addison P. Myers (vr) at Schoharie Co., N.Y.
904. Julia Benjamin bc. 1834; d. 1909 (gs) and buried in the Gilboa Cem., Gilboa Twp., Schoharie Co., NY; m. Daniel Rivenburgh.

Resources: Vital Records of Schoharie Co., N.Y.

340. HENRY BENJAMIN[6] (Jonathan[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1807; the son of Jonathan and Fanny (Staley) Benjamin; died April 22, 1888 at Blenheim, Schoharie Co., New York. He married Susan ---, who was born in 1807.

His will is on file in Schoharie Co., N.Y. (Case #2 B 12). He was listed in the 1830 through 1880 census records at Gilboa, Schoharie Co., New York.

Children of Henry and Susan (---) Benjamin:
905. Salinda Benjamin b. 1830-40; m. --- Effner.

906. Eva Ann Benjamin b. 1830-40; m. --- Perry; resided in Clyde, Kansas at the time of her father's will.
907. Martha Jane Benjamin bc. 1842; m. --- Loomis.
908. Luardma/Loama Benjamin bc. 1845; m. --- Briggs.
909. Valentine Benjamin bc. 1848; resided at N. Blenheim at the time of his father's death.

Resources; Census and probate records of Schoharie Co.,N.Y.

342. RULOFF/RULIF BENJAMIN[6] (Jonathan[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1810 in Schoharie Co., New York; the son of Jonathan and Fanny (Staley) Benjamin. The data concerning his death and marriage are unknown. He is listed in the 1825 and 1830 census records for Blenheim, Schoharie Co., N.Y. and lived next door to Jonathan in the 1830 census. His wife was born 1800-10.

Children of Ruloff Benjamin:
910. 1 male b. 1824.
911. 2 females b. 1825-30.

Resources: Census records.

349. OGDEN BENJAMIN[6] (Josiah[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1805; the son of Josiah and Betsey (Rood) Benjamin; died October 20, 1874, age 68-6-15 (gs) and is buried in the Franklinton Cemetery in Broome Twp., Schoharie Co., New York. He married Hannah Snyder, who was born about 1808 and died April 5, 1884, age 75-4-13 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Ogden was supervisor of the town of Broome in 1854 and 1857. He was listed in the 1830 through 1870 census records of Broome Twp., Schoharie Co., N.Y. and Hannah is listed alone in the 1880 census. Betsey Snyder, age 77, was living with then in the 1855 census records.

In the Schoharie Co. land records, Ogden and George Benjamin sold land to R. Ellis in 1854 (#27-393) and in 1859 (#27-401) he and his wife sold land to A. Mattile of Broome. He also sold land to Elizur Benjamin of Broome.

Children of Ogden and Hannah (Snyder) Benjamin:
*912. George Benjamin b. 1830 in Schoharie Co., N.Y.
*913. Alvin Benjamin b.1830/1 (according to gs) but bc. 1825-30 according to census records.
*914. Lewis Benjamin b. 1832.
915. Lavinia Benjamin b. 1834; m. --- Witbeck; resided in Franklinton, N.Y.
916. Horace Benjamin b. 1836.
*917. Ira Benjamin b. 1838.
918. Lodena/Ledema Benjamin b. 1842; m. January 4, 1866 William E. Rivenburgh b. 1842. (vr).; resided at Franklinton, N.Y.; both buried in the Franklinton Cemetery.
*919. Wesley Benjamin b. October 1845.

*920. Orson Benjamin b. 1847.
921. Martha Benjamin b. 1849; m. --- Soraboger; resided Livingstonville, N.Y.

Resources: p. 802 Desc. of Moses Cleveland, Edmund J. Cleveland, 1899; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

350. PHILO BENJAMIN[6] (Josiah[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1806 or 1811; the son of Josiah and Betsey (Rood) Benjamin. His death date is unknown. He married Sally/Sarah ---, who was born in 1811/2.

Betsey Snyder, age 70, was living with them in 1850. Perhaps Sally was a Snyder, and a sister to Hannah. Philo was listed in the 1850 and 1870 census records of Livingstonville, Broome Twp., Schoharie Co., New York.

Children of Philo and Sarah (---) Benjamin:
922. Lorenzo Benjamin b. 1843-5 in Schoharie Co., N.Y.; resided at Cobbeskill, Schoharie Co.,N.Y.
923. Aurelia/Fidelia Benjamin b. 1846/7; m. November 26, 1867 Harvey Rivenburg (vr).
924. Sabrina/Eliza Benjamin bc. 1847/8.
*925. Josiah Benjamin b. 1849/50.
926. Ransom Benjamin b. 1851/2; m/1 Ursula ---, bc. 1849, d. Jan. 25, 1875 and buried in the Safford Hill Cemetery, Gilboa Twp., Schoharie Co., N.Y.; he m/2 Nancy --- bc. 1859. He had a son Clarence Benjamin bc. 1865.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.; Census records.

351. ELIZUR/ELIZER/ELIAZAR BENJAMIN[6] (Josiah[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1812 in Schoharie Co., New YOrk; the son of Josiah and Betsey (Rood) Benjamin; died July 21, 1884, age 71-11-9 (gs) and is buried in the Franklinton Cemetery, Broome Twp., Schoharie Co., New York. He married Eunice Pratt, who was born in 1814 and died February 27,1888, age 73-4-17 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He was a Supervisor of the Town of Broome in 1852 and 1859. From a land deed (#13-17) on March 4, 1847 Elizur was grantor to land for Noah and Solomon Pratt of Middleburgh, N.Y. On May 15, 1854 Elizur was granted land by Ogden Benjamin and wife (#27-401) and on September 16, 1862 Elizur and wife, Eunice, sold land to J. Vaughn of Broome. (#41-352).

Children of Elizur and Eunice (Pratt) Benjamin:
927. Nancy Benjamin b. 1833 or 1835; m. --- Rust and resided in New York City. (She wrote to Dr. Wilson and her signature looked like Kurt!)
928. Rosalina/Rosella/Rozella Benjamin b. 1837 in Scho-

Co., N.Y.; m. --- Russell; resided in Penn Yamm, Yates Co., N.Y.

*929. Melvin Benjamin b. 1843/4 at Schoharie Co., N.Y.

*930. Pratt Benjamin b. 1853 in Schoharie Co., N.Y.

931. Linne Benjamin b. 1860; d. June 25, 1861, age 10 mos. and is buried with his parents.

932. Eunice Benjamin; resided in Green Co., N.Y.

Resources: Wilson Papers, which included a letter form Nancy Rust/Kurt; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.; Census records.

367. JAMES BENJAMIN[6] (Zina[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1805 in Green Co., New York; the son of Zina and Hannah (---) Benjamin; died in 1888 and is buried in the Gibson Corners Cemetery in the Town of Owego, Tioga Co., New York. He married Nelly M. ---, who was born in 1808 in Montgomery Co., New York and died May 24, 1885 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

They were listed in the 1855 census of Tioga Co., N.Y. and the census records include Franklin Taylor b. 1853 in Tioga Co., N.Y. and James Taylor b. 1855 in Iowa and they were listed as grandsons.

Children of James and Nelly (---) Benjamin:

933. Allen Benjamin b. 1830; d. July 20, 1860, age 30 (gs) and is buried with his parents.

*934. Albert Benjamin b. 1831 in Albany Co., N.Y.

935. Ruth Benjamin b. 1833 in Albany Co., N.Y.

936. Maria Benjamin b. 1837; d. January 18, 1849, age 11 years (gs) and is buried with her parents.

937. Catherine Benjamin b. 1842 in Tioga Co., N.Y.; d. Nov. 12, 1859, age 17 yrs. (gs) and buried with her parents.

938. Jane Ermena Benjamin b. January 25, 1847 in Owego, Tioga Co., N.Y. (vr).

Resources: 1855 census of Tioga Co., N.Y.; Cemetery record; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

368. GEORGE W. BENJAMIN[6] (Zina[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1806 probably in Green Co., New York; the son of Zina and Hannah (---) Benjamin; died September 17, 1883 at Concord, Minnesota. He married Almira ---, who was born about 1811 in Rensslaer Co., New York, died before 1880.

They were listed in the 1855 census of Owego, Tioga Co., N.Y. and apparently moved to Tioga Co. about 1836.

Children of George W. and Almira (---) Benjamin:

939. Frances A. Benjamin bc. 1841 in Owego, N.Y.

940. Franklin W. Benjamin bc. 1844 in Owego, N.Y.; d. June 5, 1912 in Concord, Minn.; m/1 Edith Van Orin and m/2 Gertie --- of Indiana.

Resources: Census Records; Records of Helen (Benjamin)

Brown of Oak Park, Ill.

369. AMAZIAH BENJAMIN[6] (Zina[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born in Green Co., New York in 1807; the son of Zina and Hannah (---) Benjamin; died July 18, 1885, age 78 (gs) and is buried in the Gibson Corners Cemetery in the Town of Owego, Tioga Co., New York. He married Emeline/Emily Goodrich, the dau. of Zenas and Patience (Webb) Goodrich and was born in 1810 and died July 31, 1858, age 48 yrs. 2 days. (gs) and is buried with her husband. He m/2 Joanna ---, who was born in 1829 and died January 3, 1867, age 38(gs).

Children of Amaziah and Emeline (Goodrich) Benjamin:
941. Maria Benjamin b. 1838; d. January 13, 1849, age 11 (gs) and buried with parents.
942. Katie Benjamin b. 1841; d. November 12, 1858, age 17 yers (gs) and buried with parents.

Children of Amaziah and Joanna (---) Benjamin:
943. Irwin Benjamin bc. 1860.

Resources: p. 160 and 252 Goodrich Fam. in Am., Case, 1889 Cemetery Records.

371. EDWARD BENJAMIN[6] (Zina[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1820; the son of Zina and Hannah (---) Benjamin; died in 1851 (gs) and is buried in the Gibson Corners Cemetery in the Town of Owego, Tioga Co., New York. He married Matilda Bowman, who was born in 1817 and died 1899 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Children of Edward and Matilda (Bowman) Benjamin:
944. James U./V. Benjamin b. 1840; d. 1922 (gs) m/1 Amelia White b. 1849; d. 1905 (gs); m/2 Atlanta Williams b. 1850; d. 1934 (gs). They are all buried in the Gibson Corners Cemetery, Tioga Co.

Resources: Cemetery Records.

372. FRANKLIN BENJAMIN[6] (Zina[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1822; the son of Zina and Hannah (---) Benjamin; died January 31, 1853, age 31 yrs. 6 mos. (gs) and is buried in the Gibson Corners Cemetery in the Town of Owego Tioga Co., New York. He married Ester Ann ---.

Children of Franklin and Ester (---) Benjamin:
945. Isabel Maria Benjamin b. August 15, 1847 in Owego, Tioga Co., N.Y. (vr).

Resource: Cemetery and vital records.

377. DEACON USHER BENJAMIN[6] (Amaziah[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born June 2, 1798 (Bible rec.) or August 1799 at Middleroad, Long Island, New York; the son of Amaziah and Achsa (Sweezy) Ben-

jamin; died April 10, 1875, age 76-10-8 (gs) at East Moriches and is buried in Cemetery #7, Center Moriches Cemetery. He m/1 Jemima Reeves, the dau. of Silas Reeves. She was born August 18, 1796 and died September 29, 1832 (gs) age 37. He m/2 Maria (Mariah) Tuthill, who was born February 3, 1801 at Northville and died September 28, 1891, age 90 yrs. 8 mos. (gs) at Riverhead, L.I. Both wives are buried with Usher.

He was listed in the 1830 through 1870 census at Brookhaven, E. Moriches, L.I. His will is on file at the Riverhead Surrogate Office (#7773) and names his wife, Maria, son: Usher H.; son: Hirmam F.; dau.: Charry M. Miller and Jemima A. Howell and deceased dau. from New York City.

The will of Silas Reeves of Brookhaven, dated Feb. 12, 1829, named his dau. Jemima as a wife of a Benjamin.

Children of Usher and Jemima (Reeves) Benjamin:

*946. Francis Benjamin b. January/June 2, 1822 at East Moriches, L.I.

947. Jemima Amanda Benjamin b. April 8, 1826; d. December 15, 1884; m. Daniel G. Howell of Riverhead at the Presb. Church of Moriches.

948. Mary Jane (Elizabeth) Benjamin b. August 7, 1828; d. May 27, 1872 and buried in the Riverhead Cemetery; m. Henry Riesdorph.

Children of Usher and Maria (Tuthill) Benjamin:

949. Cham Benjamin (female) b. 1835-40. (Note: This might be Charity!)

950. Charity Maria Benjamin b. August 25, 1837 (Bible rec. said 1835); d. November 21, 1917 (gs) and buried in the same cemetery as her parents; m. Gilbert Lewis Miller.

*951. Usher Hampton Benjamin b. December 13, 1837.

952. Laura L. Benjamin b. 1842.

Resources: Cemetery Book of L.I., Osborn Shaw; p. 589 L'Hommedieu Vol. 1, 1951; Bible Records belonging to Miss Edith Howell; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, NY p. 9 Vol. 239 DAR Records of Church of Moriches.

379. HOWELL BENJAMIN^{6} (Amaziah^{5-4-3}, Richard$^{2-1}$) born in 1806 at Middleroad, Long Island, New York; the son of Amaziah and Achsa (Sweezy) Benjamin; died September 19, 1873, age 67 (gs) at East Moriches, L.I. and is buried in the Mount Pleasant Cemetery at Moriches. He married Larinda/Laurinda Terry, the dau. of David and Sarah (Penny) Terry. She was born October 25, 1807 and died in 1898 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He was listed in the 1830 through 1870 census records at Brookhaven, East Moriches, Long Island.

Children of Howell and Laurinda (Terry) Benjamin:

*953. Sidney H. (?Howell) Benjamin b. September 28, 1829 at E. Moriches, L.I.
*954. Mitchell Benjamin b. February 4, 1833.
955. Louise Benjamin b. 1835.
956. Margaret Benjamin b. 1838.
*957. Charles H. Benjamin b. November 2, 1842 at E. Moriches, L.I.
958. Laurinda Benjamin b. 1855.
959. Sarah P. Benjamin b. 1858; may have m. February 3, 1881 at E. Moriches to James Wells Barber.

Resources: p. 66 Suffolk Co. Deaths, Gertrude Barber; Census Records; Raynor and Terry Manuscript located at the Suffolk Co. Hist. Soc. in Riverhead; Research of cemetery records by F. Everett Benjamin.

380. HARVEY BENJAMIN^{6} (Amaziah^{5-4-3}, Richard$^{2-1}$) born in 1808 at Middleroad, Long Island, New York; the son of Amaziah and Achsa (Sweezy) Benjamin; died February 20, 1871, age 63 yrs. (gs) at East Moriches and is buried in the Mt. Pleasant Cemetery at Moriches, L.I. (or the Center Moriches Cemetery). He married November 16, 1839 at Eastport, L.I. to Jemima Elizabeth Dayton of Rocky Point, N.Y. She was the dau. of Joseph and Jemima (Robinson) Dayton and was born May 7, 1823 and died June 7, 1899, age 75 yrs. 11 mos. (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He was listed in the 1840 through 1870 census records at Brookhaven, E. Moriches, L.I.

His will is on file at the Riverhead Surrogate Court (#7054) and names his widow, Jemima E.; Hannah E. Tuthill; Harvey F.; and J. Herbert.

Children of Harvey and Jemima (Dayton) Benjamin:
960. Jemima/Izanna E. Benjamin b. April 18, 1840; d. November 18, 1909; m. April 12, 1865 Thomas Jefferson Tuthill, b. April 14, 1838, d. March 13, 1927 at E. Moriches. Issue: Orville Benjamin Tuthill b. 1866; Martha Elizabeth Tuthill b. 1870, m. 1891 Frank Lewis Miller b. 1868 at E. Moriches, the son of Gilbert Lewis and Charity M. (Benjamin) Miller. (See #950.)
*961. Harvey Ferdinand/Fredrick Benjamin b. 1842.
*962. John Herbert Benjamin b. March 21, 1859 at E. Moriches, L.I.

Resources: Osborn Shaw's Cem. Book of Brookhaven Town via Leroy Wilcox of Speonk, N.Y.; p. 213 Desc. of William and Elizabeth Tuttle, Geroge F. Tuttle, 1883; Tuttle-Tuthill Lines in Am., Ava Tuttle, 1968; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

382. HIRAM BENJAMIN^{6} (Amaziah^{5-4-3}, Richard$^{2-1}$) born in 1812 at either Middleroad or Benjaminville, Long Island, New York;

the son of Amaziah and Achsa (Sweezy) Benjamin; died January 7, 1845, age 32-5-5 (gs) and is buried in Cemetery #7 at Center Moriches. He married either Abigail Jane --- born 1817 and died October 26, 1857, age 70 yrs. 10 mos. (gs) and buried with her husband or Phebe J. ---. (Note: They probably are the same person!). She m/2 William R. Saxton.

Children of Hiram and Abigail J. (---) Benjamin:

963. Hiram E. Benjamin b. 1835-40; d. December 24, 1863 in South Carolina in the Civil War; m. Mary J. ---, who m/2 --- Smith of New Haven, Conn. There was no issue of his marriage.
964. Mary Benjamin b. 1835-40; m. --- Smith.(?Hiram's wife)
965. John P. Benjamin b. 1844; d. October 13, 1864, age 20 yrs.(gs) and buried in the same cemetery as his parents. (Note: He was a son of Phoebe J. and Hiram Benjamin.)

Resources: Cemetery Book of Brookhaven Town, Osborn Shaw via S. L. Wilcox of Speonk, N.Y.; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

384. FANNY BENJAMIN[6] (David[5], Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born December 1801 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the dau. of David and Deziah (Terry) Benjamin; died November 29, 1874 at Farmingville, N.Y. She married January 17, 1830 Ebenezer Terry, who was born August 17, 1805.

Children of Ebenezer and Fanny (Benjamin) Terry:

966. Frances May Terry b. February 11, 1831.
967. Augustine D. Terry b. March 4, 1832.
968. Ann Maria Terry b. January 20, 1834.
969. John Benjamin Terry b. August 15, 1835.
970. Wickham W. Terry b. December 4, 1839.
971. Theodore F. Terry b. December 21, 1843.

Resource: Records of Miss Ella Terry of Blue Point,N.Y. from Bible records belonging to Hiram E. Terry, her grandfather.

386. DAVID TERRY BENJAMIN[6] (David[5], Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born October 27, 1808 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of David and Deziah (Terry) Benjamin; died December 23, 1895 at Redwood City, California. He married Mehitable Wells Cook on January 12, 1832. She was the dau. of Calvin and Hannah (Youngs) Cook of Baiting Hollow, L.I. She was born November 22, 1813 and died September 30, 1896 at Redwood City, Calif. (Note: Bible records say she died October 2, 1896.).

David was listed in the 1840 through 1870 census at Southold, L.I. and was a master carpenter.

Children of David and Mehitable (Cook) Benjamin:

972. Amorette P. Benjamin b. October 19, 1832; died September 12, 1905 in San Francisco, Calif.; m/1 --- Hodge; m/2 --- Lowe; no issue of either marriage.

*973. Mary Ann Benjamin b. October 29, 1834 at Riverhead.

974. Charles M. Benjamin b. May 16, 1838; d. September 12, 1840.

975. Charles E. Benjamin b. January 12, 1842; died August 8, 1909 in California; believe he had a son: M. Charles Benjamin, who was a dentist in San Francisco, Calif.

976. Edward C. Benjamin b. October 3, 1848; d. June 1, 1892 in California; after serving in the Civil War, he became a soldier of fortune and served in the Mexican Army, etc.

Resources: p. 222 Young Gen., Selah Young, 1906; Records of H. H. Benjamin via Earl W. Benjamin of Englewood, Fla.; Records of Philip Stiles Breck of Berkley, Calif.; Census records; Wilson Papers.

387. JOHN CONKLIN BENJAMIN[6] (David[5], Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born May 22, 1810 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of David and Deziah (Terry) Benjamin; died June 24, 1893 age 83-1-2 (gs) at Riverhead and is buried in the Riverhead Cemetery. He married Eliza Ann Lee on December 11, 1837, the dau. of George Dorr and Pamela (Rutland) Lee. She was born April 1, 1816 and died July 9, 1880, age 64 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He was listed in the 1850 census at Riverhead.

Children of John and Eliza (Lee) Benjamin:

977. John Hull Benjamin b. September 29, 1838 at Riverhead; d. at sea, as a young man.

978. Anne Amelia Benjamin b. December 18, 1839 at Riverhead; d. August 28, 1928 and buried in the Riverhead Cemetery; m. May 27, 1877 to William R. Duvall. Issue: Robert Duvall and Florence Duvall.

979. Adrianna Matilda Benjamin b. February 22, 1842 at Riverhead; m. John Duryea. Issue: Minkel Duryea, who resided in Brooklyn, N.Y.

980. Fannie Morilla (Temperance) Benjamin b. February 17, 1844 at Riverhead; m. --- Wells and resided at New Haven, Conn. Issue: Charles Wells and Alice Wells.

*981. Alice Pierson Benjamin b. May 8, 1850 at Riverhead.

982. Mary Emily Benjamin b. August 26, 1852 at Riverhead; m. March 30, 1881 George Harrison Skidmore of Riverhead. Issue: Munela; Hattie; and Harry Skidmore.

*983. Frank Lee Benjamin b. February 1, 1858 at Riverhead.

Resources: Vol. 151 p. 249 and Vol. 161 p. 72 DAR Lineage Books; p. 963 Hyde Gen. of William Hyde of Norwich, Vol. II, Reuben Walworth, 1864; Wilson Papers, which included

Family Bible records and newspaper clipping of the Skidmore marriage; Records of H. H. Benjamin via Earl W. Benjamin of Englewood, Fla.; Cemetery records copied by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

388. DEACON MOSES BENJAMIN[6] (David[5], Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born February 6, 1812 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of David and Deziah (Terry) Benjamin; died March 13, 1898, age 86-1-7 (gs) at Riverhead and is buried in the Aquebogue Cemetery. He married Juliette Howell on November 8, 1835, the dau.of Benjamin and Huldah (Hallock) Howell. She was born in 1816 and died November 7, 1885 age 69-8-22 (gs) at Middle Head and is buried with her husband.

Moses was a farmer and was listed in the 1840 through 1870 census at Riverhead, L.I.

Children of Moses and Juliette (Howell) Benjamin:

?984. Joseph Howell Benjamin (no dates); buried in the Aquebogue Cemetery.

*985. Horace H. Benjamin b. September 13, 1837 at Riverhead.

986. Phebe Jane Benjamin b. May 24, 1840 at Riverhead; d. 1925; buried in the Riverhead Cemetery; m. December 24, 1859 Charles W. Hallock, b. 1838, d. 1922. They had 7 children, including Charles P. Hallock.

*987. Alonzo Hallock Benjamin b. July 15, 1842 at Riverhead, L.I.

988. Angeline (Lena) Augusta Benjamin b. March 4, 1845; d. 1880; m. 1870 John Corwin Young; had 2 children: Millie Young, m. --- Robinson; Iva Young.

989. David H. Benjamin b. June 8, 1849; d. May 20, 1895; m. Emma C. White on May 11, 1872 at Smithtown, L.I., the dau. of Samuel White. His will is on file at Riverhead Surrogate Office (#13311). He is "of Huntington" and names only his wife, Annie and father Moses. Apparently no children. Not clear if Annie is a second wife, or a reference to Emma.

990. Mary Estelle Benjamin b. August 23, 1853; m. June 5, 1876 at Aquebogue, L.I. to John D. Briggs of Pachogue. Issue: Florence E. and Ruth Briggs.

991. Fannie Benjamin; m. --- Terry. She had 6 children.
1. Frances Terry; m. Hiram Terry.
2. Ann W. Terry; m. Smith Still.
3. Daniel H. Terry.
4. John B. Terry.
5. Wilkinson W. Terry.

Resources: Vol. 151 p. 71; Vol. 161 p. 72 DAR Lineage Book; p. 288 Youngs Gen., Selah Young, 1906; Census Records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.; Vol. 94

p. 85-7 DAR Bible Records from Bible owned by Mrs. John D. Hallock of Riverhead, L.I.

396. JOSEPH/JOHN WELLS/WILLS BENJAMIN[6] (Israel[5], Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born January 10, 1810 at Middleroad, Long Island, New York; the son of Israel and Desire (Wells) Benjamin; died Augsut 10, 1890, age 80-7-3 (gs) at Riverhead and is buried in the Aquebogue Cemetery. He married Christina Downs, the dau. of David and Sarah (Griffing) Downs. She was born in 1818 and died September 26, 1900, age 82-4-0 (gs) at Centerville and is buried with her husband.

He was a farmer and was listed in the 1840 through 1870 census records at Riverhead. In 1850 he was listed as a carpenter.

According to the Bible records, his name was listed as John Wells Benjamin.

Children of Joseph/John and Christiana (Downs) Benjamin:

992. Marion Benjamin b. 1835; d. August 28, 1836, age 10-14 (gs) and is buried with his parents.

993. Frances D. Benjamin b. 1837.

*994. John Alonzo Benjamin b. November 27, 1841 at Riverhead, L.I.

?995. Jonathan A./H. Benjamin b. 1843.

Resources: p. 268 William Wells of Southold, Charles W. Hayes, 1879; Aquebogue Cemetery records copied by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.; Census records.

399. JOHN CONKLIN BENJAMIN[6] (Israel[5], Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born December 30, 1814 at Good Ground, Long Island, New York; the son of Israel and Desire (Wells) Benjamin; died December 6, 1883, age 69-2-28 (gs) at Southold, Mattituck, L.I. He married Mehitable H. Carter, who was born in 1824 at Speonk, L.I. and died May 12, 1917, age 93-7-28 at Riverhead and is buried at Greenport, L.I. She was the dau. of David and Huldah (Raynor) Carter.

He was listed in the 1860 census at Southold as a blacksmith and in the 1870 census at Riverhead.

Children of John C. and Mehitable (Carter) Benjamin:

*996. William R. benjamin b. 1841 at Southold, L.I.

997. Maria A. Benjamin b. 1844; d. Agust 7, 1895, age 51; m. February 25, 1869 David Andrew Wiggins, b. October 2, 1836, d. October 2, 1872, the son of James and Sarepta (Moore) Wiggins.

998. John Allen Benjamin b. 1847; d. March 8, 1908, age 60-3-20 at Jamesport, L.I.; m. December 31, 1872 Sarah Frances Corwin, b. 1849 at Franklinville; d. January 22, 1909, age 59-11-22 at Jamesport, L.I. He was a blacksmith.

999. Amos (perhaps Anna) Benjamin b. 1852.

1000. Carrie A. Benjamin b. 1856; m. February 2, 1880

Hiram Goodman of West Hampton at Cutchogue, L.I.

1001. David Benjamin b. 1860. (Perhaps died, since not named in the 1870 census.)
1002. Frank Benjamin bc. 1860. (Perhaps the above David.)
1003. Lottie D. Benjamin b. 1862.

Resources: Vol. 59 p. 278 N.Y. Gen. and Biog. Record; Census Records; Research by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

400. USHER H. BENJAMIN[6] (Israel[5], Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born April 5, 1818 at Middleroad, Long Island, New York; the son of Israel and Desire (Wells) Benjamin; died April 1, 1888, age 70-11-20 (gs) at East Marion, L.I. and is buried at Greenport, L.I. He married Jane Lucretia Jacobs, the dau. of John Henry and Mary (Robinson) Jacobs. She was born July 16, 1822 and died January 10, 1898 at Southold, age 75-11. Bible records say he married January 17, 1841 to Levitta Jane Robinson.

He was listed in the 1850 census at Southampton as a carpenter, in the 1860 census at Southold as a carpenter, and in the 1870 census of Greenport, Southold, L.I.

Children of Usher and Jane (Jacobs) Benjamin:

1004. Alrvilda/Abwilda F. Benjamin b. October 20, 1841.
1005. Roxanna Benjamin b. November 10, 1843; d. July 10, 1845.
1006. Iantha Jane Benjamin b. December 28, 1847; resided at Sayville, L.I.
*1007. George Gilbert Benjamin b. December 9, 1850 at Riverhead.
1008. Richard Peck/Wells Benjamin b. August 22, 1854; resided in Jersey City, Penn. and was in the freight Dept. of the Penn. Railroad.
1009. Mary E. Benjamin b. September 28, 1856; d. January 16, 1958.
1010. William W. Benjamin b. June 12, 1859; d. August 1, 1860.
1011. Jennie E. Benjamin b. February 8, 1863; m. December 28, 1881 at E. Marion, L.I. to Charles A. Beebe.
1012. Mary E. Benjamin b. February 8, 1863; d. May 25, 1923, age 69 yrs.; buried Yaphenk (Brookhaven d. vr); unm.
1013. Joseph Seymour Benjamin b. March 22, 1867; resided at E. Marion, L.I.

Resources: Census records; Wilson Papers; Cemetery research by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.; DAR Bible Records Vol. 87 p. 33-4, Bible in possession of Mrs. Charles H. Lane.

401. RICHARD BENJAMIN[6] (Israel[5], Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born September 26, 1819 at Middleroad, Long Island, New York; the son of Israel and Desire (Wells) Benjamin; died June 19,

1871, age 51 yrs. 9 mos. (gs) and is buried in the Greenport Cemetery. He m/1 Mary Vail, the dau. of Capt. John and Elizabeth (Edwards) Vail. She was born July 10, 1820 at Sayville, L.I. and died May 7, 1846. He m/2 Sarah Ann Vail on September 2, 1847 at Riverhead (vr), the dau. of Gamaliel and Harriet (Wells) Vail. She was born March 30, 1830 and died December 26, 1890, age 60 yrs. 8 mos. (gs) and is buried in the Greenport Cemetery.

He was a ship's carpenter at Greenport.

Children of Richard and Mary (Vail) Benjamin:

1014. Lena Benjamin b. 1844.

1015. Mary M. Benjamin b. June 24, 1842 at Riverhead, L. I.; m. --- Clark.

1016. Emma S. Benjamin b. May 13, 1845; d. June 1, 1886; m. --- Albertson.

Children of Richard and Sarah (Vail) Benjamin:

1017. Anne Benjamin b. 1850; d. 1852 (gs) and is buried in the Greenport Cemetery.

1018. Harriet A. Benjamin b. 1854.

?1019. Richard H. Benjamin Jr.

Resources: p. 136 and 141 Vail Family, Henry Vail, 1902; Riverhead Town Records 1792-1886; Salt Lake City, Utah Family Group Sheet of Latter Day Saints Library; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

404. SUSANNA BENJAMIN[6] (Ezra[5], Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born March 27, 1815 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the dau. of Ezra and Phebe (Luce) Benjamin; died October 14, 1885 at Huntington, L.I. She married John Burnes, who was born October 29, 1812 at New York City and died July 22, 1882 at Riverhead, L.I.

Children of John and Susanna (Benjamin) Burns:

1020. Evaline Burns b. April 9, 1847 at Riverhead; m. January 16, 1866 Henry Lockwood, b. April 17, 1838, the son of John Freeborn and Eliza (Sammis) Lockwood. Resided in Huntington, L.I.

Resources: p. 598 Lockwood Fam. in Am., 1889.

407. ORRIN DANIEL/DANIEL O. BENJAMIN[6] (Ezra[5], Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1826/7 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of Ezra and Phoebe (Luce) Benjamin; died about 1879 at the town of Almond, Allegany Co., New York. He married Mary Ann ---, who was born about 1827/8 in N.Y.

His will is on file (#8-186) in Allegany Co., N.Y. and was written October 6, 1876 and proved in 1879. His wife had died before him.

Children of Orrin and Mary (---) Benjamin:

1021. Elida/Alida J. Benjamin; m. --- Smith.

1022. Ellen A. Benjamin; m. --- Pryor.

1023. Olney T. Benjamin; m. Ada B. ---.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, NY

408. GEORGE A. BENJAMIN[6] (Ezra[5], Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1830 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of Ezra and Phoebe (Luce) Benjamin; died December 9, 1900 at Hornellsville, Steuben Co., New York. He married Huldah ---, who was born about 1835, and she survived him.

His will is on file in Steuben Co., N.Y. Surogate Court (#A-389) and names his widow, 2 sons, 2 daus. and a grandson: Floyd Benjamin.

He was listed in the 1860 census at Andover, Almond Twp., Allegany Co., N.Y.

Children of George A. and Huldah (---) Benjamin:

1024. William C. Benjamin b. 1859; d. January 9, 1920 in Almond, N.Y.; m. Amelia ---. His will names no children, but menions brother Fred and sister Jesse Karr.

1025. Fred Benjamin b. 1865; m. Beridana ---; resided at Hornellsville, N.Y. apparently had the son: Floyd Benjamin.

1026. Cornelia Benjamin; unm. in 1900; resided at Hornellsville., N.Y.

1027. Jesse L. Benjamin; m. --- Karr of Almond, N.Y. and later of Hornell, Steuben Co., N.Y.

Resources: Census and probate records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

410. NATHAN BENJAMIN[6] (Nathan[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born April 15, 1785 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of Nathan and Joanna (Sweazy) Benjamin; died June 15, 1885, age 70 yrs. 2 mos. (gs) and is buried in the Baiting Hollow Cemetery. He married Elizabeth Warner (?Warren). She was born October 11, 1796 and died November 15, 1838, age 42 yrs. (gs) and is buried in the same cemetery as her husband.

He was listed in the 1820 and 1840 census records at Riverhead, L.I.

He may have m/2 Julia Howell about 1851.

Children of Nathan and Elizabeth (Warner) Benjamin:

1028. Catherine Benjamin; buried with her parents.

1029. Harmony Benjamin b. 1822; d. November 11, 1838, age 16 yrs. (gs) and buried with her parents.

1030. Mary Benjamin b. February 17, 1824 at Baiting Hollow, L.I.; d. May 24, 1850 (gs) at Flanders, L.I. m. April 3, 1844 at Baiting Hollow to Edward King Conklin Fanning b. 1820. They are both buried in the Riverhead, L.I. Cemetery.

*1031. John B. W. Benjamin b. November 16, 1831.

1032. Frances Benjamin b. 1834; d. November 15, 1838, age

4 yrs.; buried with her parents.

1033. George H. Benjamin b. 1838/9.

Resources: p. 440 Hist. of the Fanning Fam., Walter Brooks, 1905; Cemetery records by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, NY Records of William Randell Hulse of Southampton, N.Y.

413. JOHN BENJAMIN[6] (Nathan[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1792 at Baiting Hollow, Long Island, New York; the son of Nathan and Joanna (Sweazy) Benjamin; died March 9, 1825, age 33 (gs) and is buried in the Congregational Church Yard at Baiting Hollow, L.I. He married Johanna/Hannah Benjamin, the dau. of Richard and Nancy (Fanning) Benjamin. She died August 16, 1839. (See # 482.)

Estate records give the guardianship of Ann, age 11; Laurinda, age 8; and Elma, age 4 to George Miller.

Children of John and Hannah (Benjamin) Benjamin:

1034. Jemima Benjamin b. February 28, 1817 at Baiting Hollow, L.I.; d. September 25, 1893, age 76 (gs) at Southampton, L.I.; m. September 14, 1833 to John Fanning, b. 1811 at Baiting Hollow. She is buried in the Aquebogue Cemetery.

1035. Laurinda Benjamin b. July 9, 1819; m. Daniel C. Terry.

1036. Elma Benjamin bc. 1823; d. November 1, 1837, age 14 yrs. (gs) and is buried with her parents.

Resources: Hist. of the Fanning Fam., Walter F. Brooks, 1905; Research by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

414. DANIEL BENJAMIN[6] (Nathan[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born July 6, 1796 at Baiting Hollow, Long Island, New York; the son of Nathan and Joanna (Sweazy) Benjamin; died June 21, 1867, age 71-11-5 (gs) at Middle Road, L.I. and is buried in the Congregational Church Yard Cemetery at Baiting Hollow, L.I He married Rebecca Young in 1820, the dau. of Benjamin and Philena (---) Young. She was born September 13, 1799 and died October 3, 1876, age 77-20-0 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Daniel was a farmer and belonged to the church in Baiting Hollow. He was listed in the 1830, 1850, and 1860 census at Riverhead, L.I.

Children of Daniel and Rebecca (Young) Benjamin:

*1037. Daniel Benjamin b. May 25, 1822 at Riverhead, L.I.

1038. John Benjamin b. October 25, 1825; d. December 5, 1853, age 28-1-10 (gs); prob. unm.; was an M.D.; buried in the same cemetery as his parents.

*1039. Jehial Benjamin b. November 19, 1828 in Riverhead.

1040. Frances M. Benjamin b. December 9, 1830; d. July 11, 1848, age 17-7-2 (gs); buried with parents.

1041. Betsey J. Benjamin b. May 4, 1834; d. January 27, 1857, age 22-8 (gs); buried with parents.

1042. Sarah Ann Benjamin b. October 9, 1835; m. Lucius Mosley/Moseley.
*1043. George O. Benjamin b. April 1, 1838.
1044. David Leullen Benjamin b. 1837.
1045. Infant dau.; d. October 11, 1838, age 8 days (gs); buried with parents.
1046. Mary Frances Benjamin bc. 1851; d. August 28, 1862, age 11 yrs. 7 mos. (gs); buried with parents.
1047. Theron A. Benjamin; d. January 7, 1863, age 7 mos. (gs); buried with parents.
1048. Webster Benjamin; small grave stone, partially covered.

Resources: p. 152 Youngs Fam., Selah Young, 1907; Records of William Randell Hulse of Southampton, L.I., N.Y.; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

415. SARAH/SALLY BENJAMIN[6] (Nathan[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born August 8, 1798 at Baiting Hollow, Long Island, New York; the dau. of Nathan and Joanna (Sweazy) Benjamin; died May 10, 1861 (gs She married Elikahah Davis, the son of Merrit and Esther (Whiting) Davis. He was born September 3, 1797 and died March 23, 1875.

Children of Elikahah and Sarah (Benjamin) Davis:
1049. Albert Nichols Davis b. March 14, 1826 at Baiting Hollow; d. May 13, 1894 (gs) and buried in the Baiting Hollow Congregational Church Yard; m. Anna Maria Turner.
1050. David Davis.
1051. Lewis Monroe Davis b. 1833; d. January 20, 1900 at Baiting Hollow, L.I.; m. Serepta Hulse.

Resource: Records of James Parker Ferguson of Speonk, N.Y.

416. SELDEN BENJAMIN[6] (Phineas[5], Nathan[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born July 15, 1799 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of Phineas and Mary (---) Benjamin; died February 28, 1856, age 56-7-13 (gs) at Islip, L.I. He married Charlotte Smith, the dau. of Philip and Hannah (Overton) Smith. She was born July 18, 1807 and was living with her dau., Addie in 1880. He is buried in the Oakwood Cem. at Bayshore.

His will is recorded at Riverhead Surrogate Court (#16273) and was probated February 28, 1856. He names his wife Charlotte (says deceased); dau. Deborah A. Burr and Emma A. Benjamin of Bayshore and grandchildren: Harriet S. Thompson, and Eugene, Selden, and Clinton Benjamin.

He was located in the 1830 census at Southampton, L.I. and in the 1840, 1850, and 1860 census Islip, Sayville, LI

Children of Selden and Charlotte (Smith) Benjamin:
1052. 1 male b. 1825-30.
1053. John F. Benjamin b. 1832; d. 1901 (gs) and is buried in the Oakwood Cemetery at Bayshore, L.I.; m.

March 30, 1879 Miss. G. A. Tuthill of Bayshore.

1054. Charlotte E. Benjamin b. 1831/2; d. April 3, 1850, age 17-6-19 and is buried in the Oakwood Cemetery at Bayshore.

*1055. Egbert R. Benjamin b. 1839.

1056. Deborah A. Benjamin b. 1841; m/1 Samuel Colt or Van Cott; m/2 --- Burr.

1057. Emma Adaline (Emily on gs) Benjamin b. 1841; d. 1907 (gs) and buried in the Oakwood Cemetery; was an invalid in a wheel chair.

Apparently Charlotte (Smith) Benjamin m/2 February 10, 1879 Albert D. Thompson of Brentwood at Islip, L.I.

Resources: Census records; Research by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.; Suffolk Marriage Records copied by Gertrude Barber from L.I. Newspapers.

417. NATHAN R. BENJAMIN[6] (Phineas[5], Nathan[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born either 1806 or 1811; the son of Phineas and Mary (---) Benjamin; died February 7, 1884 (obit said age 78 yrs.) at Islip or Bayshore, L.I. He married Mary Ann Howell of Islip, the dau. of Henry and Ruth (Weeks) Howell. She was born in either 1819 or 1811 and died February 13, 1884 (age 73 in obit) at Bayshore, L.I.

His will is on file at the Riverhead Surrogate's Office (#10017) and names his wife, Mary Ann, and children: Warren, Selah, Eliza E. L'Hommedieu, and George L., all of Bayshore.

He was listed as a carpenter, bayman, and fisherman in the 1840, 1850, and 1860 census records of Islip, L.I.

Children of Nathan R. and Mary (Howell) Benjamin:

1058. Warren Benjamin bc. 1835/7; m. Sarah ---, b. 1832.

1059. Selah Hampton Benjamin bc. 1840. Perhaps m/1 Mary E. Raynor, dau. of Nathan and Lydia (Lane) Raynor; m/2 January 4, 1880 at Bayshore, L.I. to Ella Thompson, b. 1861; and m/3 March 23, 1895 Edna Woodhull, the dau. of Samuel B. and Julia S. (Lane) Woodhull. She b. Sept. 15, 1872. She m/2 Percy Guy Smith. They had a son George Lawson Benjamin b. December 12, 1892. Both the first and third marriages were under the name Hampton Benjamin! (Note: This is confused with a child of # 1060.)

*1060. George Lawson Benjamin b. 1844.

1061. Estella (Eliza E.) Benjamin bc. 1846; m. Joseph L'Hommideu.

1062. Mary Benjamin bc. 1848.

Resources: p. 116 Desc. of Edward Howell, Emma Howell Ross 1968; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

418. PHINEAS BENJAMIN[6] (Phineas[5], Nathan[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born in

1806/7 on Long Island, New York; the son of Phineas and Mary (---) Benjamin; died April 25, 1849, age 42-5-23 (gs) and is buried in the Flanders, L.I. Cemetery. He married Abigail ---, who was born in 1805 and died in 1885, age 79-10-21 (gs) and is buried in the same cemetery. She m/2 Nathan King.

Abigail was located in the 1850 census of Riverhead.

Children of Phineas and Abigail (---) Benjamin:

?1063. Frances Benjamin b. 1825; m. John Brown, b. 1824; had son John Brown bc. 1845.
1064. Clarissa Benjamin bc. 1834.
1065. Abigail Benjamin bc. 1839.
1066. James H. Benjamin b. 1843; d. October 14, 1864, age 21 yrs. (gs); buried in Flanders Cemetery.
1067. William P. Benjamin bc. 1847.
1068. Walter M. Benjamin bc. 1849.

Resources: Census records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

437. SAMUEL WELLS BENJAMIN[6] (Samuel[5-4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born born between 1774-84, probably about 1782 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of Samuel and Mary (Wells) Benjamin; died in 1828. He married in 1812 Abigail Amanda Hallock, the dau. of Jonathan and Mary (Dickerson) Hallock. She was born about 1785 and died about 1865 at Manorville, L.I. There is some confusion whether she m/1 or m/2 John Chappell. Some records indicate she was the Widow Chappell at the time of her marriage to Benjamin.

Children of Samuel and Abigail (Hallock) Benjamin:

1069. James M. Benjamin.
1070. Mary Benjamin b. 1813; m. Harry J. Verity.
*1071. Martha Jane Benjamin b. 1815; m. Alfred Downs.
*1072. Olinda Ann Benjamin b. 1817.
*1073. David Wells Benjamin b. April 14, 1824.
1074. Samuel Benjamin b. 1826.; d. August 23, 1829 (gs) buried in the Cherry Valley Cemetery (#89) at Brookhaven, L.I.; age 2-7-17 (gs).
1075. John Benjamin b. 1828.
1076. Fannie Benjamin.

Resources:p. 145 Hallock Gen., Lucius Hallock, 1906; Osborn Shaw's Cemetery Book of Brookhaven Town, L.I. via S. L. Wilcox of Speonk, N.Y.

438. DAVID WELLS BENJAMIN[6] (Samuel[5-4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born April 11, 1797/95 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of Samuel and Mary (Wells) Benjamin; died July 12/19, 1857 at Sussex Co., New Jersey and is buried in the North Hardyston Cemetery. He married Eleanor Newman on July 3, 1819, the dau. of Emanuel and Jane (McKinney) Newman and was born April 26, 1799 at Vernon, Sussex Co.,

N.J. and died February 14, 1890. (gs).
He was located in the 1840 and 1850 census of Hardyston, Sussex Co., New Jersey.

Children of David and Eleanor (Newman) Benjamin:

*1077. Newman Emanuel Benjamin b. July 23, 1821 at Sussex Co., N.J.
*1078. Samuel (?Newman) Benjamin b. September 8, 1823 in Sussex Co., N.J.
1080. Anna Mary (Mary A.) Benjamin b. December 22, 1827; still alive in the 1890's; m. --- Kays; and had sons: Wells and Benjamin Kays.
1081. 1 male b. 1825-30.
1082. 1 female b. 1820-25.

Resources: Records of Robert H. Benjamin; Records of David Benjamin of Cleveland, Ohio; Records of Mrs. Robert Boehler of Wayne, Ind.

443. MORDECAI WILSON BENJAMIN[6] (Wells[5], Samuel[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born October 31, 1813 at Sussex Co., New Jersey; the son of Wells and Hannah (Morris) Benjamin; died in 1879 (gs) and is buried in the Oak Hill Cemetery in Tuscarora Twp., Steuben Co., New York. He married Margaret ---, who was born in 1814 and died 1881 (gs) and is buried with her husband.
He was listed in the 1850 census of Addison Twp., Steuben Co., N.Y.

Children of Mordecai and Margaret (---) Benjamin:

1083. David P. Benjamin b. 1836; m. Hannah Allen b. 1844, d. Nov. 28, 1893; apparently they had no children resided in Addison, Steuben Co., N.Y.
1084. Susan Benjamin b. 1842.
1045. Jane Benjamin b. 1843.
1046. Emily/Emma Benjamin b. 1845.
1047. Ann Benjamin b. 1847.
1048. Mariah Benjamin b. 1849.
*1049. Gaylord Benjamin b. 1852.
1050. Ruth Benjamin b. 1854.
1051. Jesse Benjamin b. 1856.
1052. Wilson Benjamin b. 1857; d. 1872 and buried in the same cemetery as his parents; age 15.
1053. Inez E. Benjamin b. 1856.
1054. Delphine Benjamin b. 1861.
1055. Mary Benjamin b. 1838.
1056. Sarah Benjamin b. 1840.

Resources: Census records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

444. ORVAL WILKES BENJAMIN[6] (Wells[5], Samuel[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born September 27, 1815 in Sussex Co., New Jersey; the son of Wells and Hannah (Morris) Benjamin. He married in 1839

Phebe Ann McNish of New Jersey. She was born 1810-20.
He was located in the 1840 census of Montague, Sussex Co., New Jersey and about 1844 moved to Eaton, Penn.

Children of Orval and Phebe (McNish) Benjamin:
1057. Sarah Caroline Benjamin b. 1840; m. Samuel Hardy.
1058. Huldah Benjamin b. 1843; m. S. D. Bacon.

Resources: Census records; p. 506A Hist. of Luzerne, Lackawana, and Wyoming Co., Penn., Munsell, 1880.

445. JOSEPH MORRIS BENJAMIN[6] (Wells[5], Samuel[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born September 1817 in Sussex Co., New Jersey; the son of Wells and Hannah (Morris) Benjamin. He married Jane Agar on December 28, 1836 in Vernon, Sussex Co., N.J. (vr). She was born between 1810-20.
He was listed in the 1840 census at Vernon, Sussex Co., New Jersey.

Children of Joseph and Jane (Agar) Benjamin:
1059. 1 male b. 1835-40 in N.J.

Resources: Census and Vital Records of New Jersey.

446. SAMUEL N./WELLS BENJAMIN[6] (Wells[5], Samuel[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born September 4, 1822 at Sussex Co., New Jersey or at Unionville, Orange Co., New York; the son of Wells and Hannah (Morris) Benjamin. His death date is unknown but he is buried in the Unionville Cemetery. He married in November 1842 at Sussex Co., N.J. (vr) Emeline Doty, the dau. of Thomas and Jemima (Schoohover) Doty. She was born November 27, 1819 at Vernon, N.J. and died in 1892.
He was located in the 1850 census at Vernon, Sussex Co., New Jersey.

Children of Samuel and Emeline (Doty) Benjamin:
*1060. Lewis Dunn Benjamin b. January 5, 1844 at Unionville, N.Y.
*1061. Thomas W./N./D. Benjamin b. April 25, 1846 at Unionville, N.Y.
1062. Frances L. Benjamin b.January 25, 1848 at Unionville, N.Y.; m. David P. Clark b. January 14, 1835; resided at Unionville, N.Y.
1063. Sarah E. Benjamin b. September 22, 1850 at Unionville, N.Y.; m. John B. Elston; resided at Union ville.
1064. Isabel C. Benjamin b. January 28, 1853 at Unionville, N.Y.; m. January 21, 1875 Theron S. Chanler, b. January 12, 1853, d. Jan. 7, 1877 at Unionville, N.Y.
1065. Alice J. Benjamin b. September 6, 1854 at Unionvill N.Y.; m. 1878 in Sussex Co., N.J. to John H. Young and resided at Newbury, N.Y.
1066. Kate Estella Benjamin b. March 29, 1858 at Union-

ville, N.Y.; d. February 15, 1897 at Andover, N.Y. m. February 18, 1880 George O. Young.

*1067. David Wells Benjamin b. May 8, 1859 at Unionville.

1068. Emeline/Emma L. Benjamin b. August 13, 1867; d. February 24, 1871, age 3 yrs. (gs) and is buried in the Unionville, N.Y. Cemetery.

?1969. Daughter; m. --- Lounsbury and resided in 1935 at Newburgh, Orange Co., N.Y. (Perhaps this is a granddaughter.)

Resources: Doty-Doten Fam. in Am., Ethan Allen Doty, 1897; Census records.

455. DAVID BENJAMIN[6] (Joshua[5], Benjamin[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born December 9, 1801 at Norway, Herkimer Co., New York; the son of Joshua and Priscilla (Sherman) Benjamin; died January 10, 1844, age 52 yrs. 4 mos. (gs) at Norway, N.Y. and is buried in the Old Hurricane Cemetery at Herkimer Co., New York. He married Dinah Allen, who was born November 25, 1804 in Herkimer Co., N.Y. and died January 23, 1841, age 36 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

His will was dated Nov. 8, 1843 and proved Dec. 23, 1845 at Herkimer Co., N.Y. Probate (#00367) with Uriah Benjamin, Alanson Bly, and David Thomsonville named as executors. He mentions his brother Samuel and Samuel's wife, Laura Ann, and minor sons: George W., Clark A., and William W. and his mother, Priscilla Benjamin. Henry S. Clark was appointed guradian for Clark and William on December 15, 1845.

Children of David and Dinah (Allen) Benjamin:

1070. 1 male b. 1810-20.

1071. 1 female b. 1820-25.

1072. George W. Benjamin b. January 5, 1825; d. October 8, 1845, age 20-9-3 (gs) and buried with his parents. He died of consumption.

1073. Clark Allen Benjamin b. January 19, 1828; d. April 1, 1848, age 20-2-12 (Norway vr) of consumption.

1074. William W. Benjamin b. February 19, 1832; d. December 23, 1851, age 19-2-12 (gs) of consumption.

1075. Dinah Benjamin b. October 28, 1840; d. February 16, 1841, age 3 mos. (gs) and is buried with parents.

Resources: p. 28 Dec. 1966 Tree Talks; Census Records; Dec. 1887 Norway Tidings; Norway Vital Records; Family Group Sheet from Library of Latter Day Saints in Salt Lake City, Utah; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, NY

456. JOSHUA BENJAMIN[6] (Joshua[5], Benjamin[4], Samuel[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1806 in Herkimer Co., New York; the son of Joshua and Priscilla (Sherman) Benjamin; died April 18, 1881 at Freetown, Cortland Co., New York, and is buried in the Freetown Cemetery. He m/1 Phebe Lyman, dau. of Moses Lyman of Conn. She was born in 1805 and died in 1844, age

39 (gs) and buried with her husband. He m/2 Elizabeth --- about 1846 in Rockland Co., N.Y. She was born in 1811 in Delaware and died in 1875 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

There is a deed on record (Vol. 60:478) when, in 1852, Joshua and wife Elizabeth, of Freedom, sold land to Samuel S. Benjamin.

Phoebe was a very superior woman of engaging manners and character and a devoted christian.

Joshua was listed in the 1850, 1860, and 1865 census records at Freetown, Cortland Co., N.Y.

His will is on file (#X5131), which states that he died intestate in 1870, which would disagree with the cemetery records. He names Nicy McKee; Sarah Turner; and Augusta Metzgar of Freetown; Rosalie Turner of Clara, Potter Co., Penn.; Mason W. of Pulaski Co., Little Rock, Arkansas. Son Harley appears to be deceased, since the will names Harley's wife and three children of Good Hope, McDough Co., Illinois.

Children of Joshua and Phebe (Lyman) Benjamin:

1076. Mason Wood Benjamin b. May 3, 1837 in Norway, Herkimer Co., N.Y.; m. Sue E. Reddell on September 29, 1869 in Kentucky. She was b. Sept. 19, 1842 at Irvin, Estell Co., Kentucky. He was a lawyer and resided in Arkansas.

*1077. Harley Benjamin b. 1840 in Cortland Co., N.Y.

1078. Nicy P. (Priscilla) Benjamin b. 1843; m. ---McKee; resided in 1870 in Freetown, Corland Co., N.Y.

Children of Joshua and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin:

1079. Sarah Elizabeth Benjamin b. August 9, 1850 in Freetown, N.Y.; m. --- Turner; resided in Freetown in 1870.

1080. Mary Rosalie Benjamin b. 1852; m. --- Turner; resided in Clara, Potter Co., Penn. in 1870.

1081. Frances Augusta Benjamin b. 1854; m. --- Metzgar; resided in Freetown, N.Y. in 1870.

Resources: Census Records; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

457. SAMUEL SHERMAN BENJAMIN[6] (Joshua[5], Benjamin[4], Nathan[3], Richard 2-1) born August 29, 1814 in Herkimer Co., New York; the son of Joshua and Priscilla (Sherman) Benjamin; died March 14, 1863, age 48 (gs) and is buried in the Old Huricane Cemetery in Herkimer Co., N.Y. He m/1 Laura Ann Vincent who was born July 30, 1816 and died March 9, 1850, age 33 years 7 mos. (gs) in Norway, N.Y. in childbirth. He m/2 Helen S. Payne, the dau. of Hoxie and Lucy (Root) Payne. She was born June 14, 1828 at Russia, Herkimer Co., N.Y. and died April 2, 1892. She m/2 Decatur Maxon Clark on January 10, 1866, the son of Samuel B. Clark. She was his 4th wife. He was born December 11, 1816 at Brookfield,

N.Y. and died March 16, 1889 at Andover, Allegany Co., N.Y.

Samuel was given land in Norway, N.Y. in 1845 by the will of his brother, David Benjamin. He had several land transactions. (Vol 60:478) In 1852 Samuel S. bought land from Joshua Benjamin. In Vol. 68:135, in 1856 Samuel S. of Newport, Herkimer Co., N.Y. bought land in Russia, N.Y. and in 1857 (Vol. 74:71) there were two transactions in Norway, N.Y.

Samuel's will was probated in 1867 and letters of adminstration were given to Helen S. for his estate on March 21, 1863. (#F:203).

Children of Samuel and Laura (Vincent) Benjamin:

1082. Emily J. Benjamin b. April 7, 1849 at Norway, N.Y. (vr).

Children of Samuel and Helen (Payne) Benjamin:

1083. Mary P. Benjamin b. November 20, 1854 at Cold Brook, N.Y.; d. January 27, 1888; m. June 28, 1883 at Andover, N.Y. Ellis Adelbert Witter, son of Charles Henry and Abby Kinsley (Edwards) Witter. He was b. June 28, 1853 at Wirt, N.Y. He was a 7th Day Baptist Clergyman in Salem, W. Virginia in 1904.

Resources: p. 217 Desc. of Charles Bowler of R.I., N.P. Bowler; p. 192 Clark Fam. of R.I., George Morrison, 1902; Salt Lake Family Group Sheet from Library of Latter Day Saints.

459. MERRIT BENJAMIN[6] (Benjamin[5-4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born April 1800 in Herkimer Co., New York; the son of Benjamin and Ruth (---) Benjamin; died October 23, 1871, age 70 yrs. 6 mos. (gs) and buried in the old Huricane Cemetery in Herkimer Co., N.Y. He married Clarissa ---, who was born in 1800 and died March 18, 1841 or 1871. (Hard to read gs, but probably 1871.)

He was deaf and dumb and remained on the homestead farm. His unfortunate condition did not prevent his being a useful citizen. He married and some of his descendants still reside in the town (1887).

Children of Merrit and Clarissa (---) Benjamin:

1084. Clarissa Ann Benjamin bc. 1840; d. March 24, 1856, age 15-1-5 (gs) and is buried in the Old Huricane Cemetery with parents.

1085. Harriet Benjamin; m. George White.

Resources: Dec. 1887 Norway Tidings; Cemetery Records.

460. URIAH S. BENJAMIN[6] (Benjamin[5-4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born Feb ruary 2, 1804 in Herkimer Co., New York; the son of Benjamin and Ruth (---) Benjamin; died August 13, 1876 at Chautaqua Co., New York. He married Maria Swezey on Dec-

ember 24, 1829 at Norway, N.Y. She was the dau. of Daniel and Clarissa (Sperry) Swezey and was born December 12, 1806 at Norway, N.Y. and died at Norway, N.Y.

Uriah was listed in the Herkimer Land Records several times. In 1843 (Vol. 45:353) he bought land; in 1850 (Vol. 58:215) he bought land from Eli and Phila Ann Benjamin; in 1856 (Vol. 66:73) and in 1866 (Vol. 85:592). He is listed in the 1850 census at Norway, Herkimer Co., N.Y. in 1873 resided in Erie Co., Penn.

Children of Uriah and Maria (Swezey) Benjamin:

1086. Jefferson Benjamin b. April 17, 1836 at Norway, N.Y. m. February 23, 1864 Amanda LaCill; resided at Corry, Penn.
1087. Alice Swezey Benjamin b. August 23, 1837 at Wayne, Eire Co., Penn.
1088. Nancy Benjamin bc. 1830; d. March 22, 1833, age 3 yrs. (gs); buried in Old Hurricane Cemetery.
1089. Leonard H. Benjamin bc. 1840; d. March 31, 184, age 8 mos. (gs) buried in Huricane Cemetery.
1090. Perhaps another child--grave stone sunken.

Resources: p. 255 Gen. of Swazey Fam., Benjamin Swasey, 1910; 1887 Norway Tidings; Cemetery research by Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

461. ELI BENJAMIN[6] (Benjamin[5-4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1807 in Herkimer Co., New York; the son of Benjamin and Ruth (---) Benjamin; died July 12, 1863 (gs) and buried in the Old Huricane Cemetery in Herkimer Co., N.Y. He married Phila/Fila Ann ---, who was born in 1808 in New York and died March 7, 1887 (gs) and buried with her husband.

He, too, made several land transactions. In 1847 Eli bought land (Vol. 82:617); in 1864 he bought land from Benjamin Benjamin and wife Margerty (Vol. 82:606); in 1850 Eli and wife Phila Ann sold land to Uriah S. Benjamin (Vol. 58:215); and in 1864 Phila Ann and Caroline E. Benjamin sold part of the estate of the late J. C. Benjamin. (Vol. 84:183).

Eli was a farmer and listed in the 1840 and 1850 census records of Norway, Herkimer Co., New York.

Children of Eli and Phila(---) Benjamin

1091. Charles J./I. or James Charles Benjamin b. 1830 in Herkimer Co., N.Y.; d. February 19, 1864; m. Caroline Eliza Jackson, the dau. of William S. Jackson.
1092. 1 male b. 1820-25. (Perhaps died, as not named in the 1850 census.)
1093. Clarissa Benjamin bc. 1840 in Herkimer Co., N.Y.

Resources: Census records; Cemetery records courtsey of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

469. ALVAH BENJAMIN[6] (Jonathan[5], Benjamin[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born March 1807/8 in Herkimer Co., New York; the son of Jonathan and Nancy (McCarty) Benjamin; died March 1867 at Cortland Co., New York. He married Sarah Gardner in 1829, the dau. of John Gardner. She was born in 1806 in Herkimer Co., New York.

He was a farmer and for a time was either a caretaker or superintendent of the Poor House in Cortland Co., N.Y. In the 1830 census he was listed in Fairfield, Herkimer Co., N.Y.

Children of Alvah and Sarah (Gardner) Benjamin:

*1094. Franklin M. Benjamin b. 1833 in Herkimer Co., N.Y.

?1095. Henry Benjamin b. 1838.

1096. Catherine Leeker/Seeber Benjamin b. 1838 (an adopted dau.); m. January 11, 1859 Rev. A. C. Bowdick; resided in Cortland Co., N.Y.

Resources: DAR Lineage Book Vol. 132; Dec. 1887 Norway Tidings; Census Records; Wilson Papers; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

470. DR. JOHN BENJAMIN, M.D.[6] (Jonathan[5], Benjamin[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1809 in Herkimer Co., New York; the son of Jonathan and Nancy (McCarty) Benjamin; died in 1855 at Niagra Falls, Niagara Co., New York. He married Betsey Boyden of Rome, Oneida Co., New York.

He graduated from Fairfield Medical Collage.

Children of John and Betsey (Boyden) Benjamin:

1097. Eliza Benjamin b. November 24, 1831; d. May 7, 1888 at Pewamo, Michigan.

1098. George W. Benjamin b. either 1828 or 1832; d. 1896 at Maple, Ionia Co., Michigan. (Dr. Wilson had Iowa Co.); m. Ann ---; and had sons: Glenn Benjamin and John Benjamin. Ann was a leader of the W.C.T.C. in Michigan.

1099. John Benjamin.

1100. Harriet Benjamin.

Resources: Dec. 1887 Norway Tidings; Wilson Papers.

471. SAMUEL RATHBONE BENJAMIN[6] (Jonathan[5], Benjamin[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born August 18, 1810 at Norway, Herkimer Co., New York; the son of Jonathan and Nancy (McCarty) Benjamin; died April 5, 1872, age 61-3-17 (gs) and is buried in the Groton Rural Cemetery in Groton Twp., Tompkins Co., New York. He m/1 Frances Reynolds of Fall River, Mass on May 3, 1832 at Russia, N.Y. She was born October 8, 1807 at Wickford, R.I. and died February 22, 1844 at Fall River, Mass. He m/2 Mary Angeline Richardson on January 16, 1850 at Marathon, N.Y. She was born February 25, 1825 at Freetown, Cortland Co., N.Y. and died September 24, 1874 at Groton, N.Y. She is buried with her husband.

He was a shoemaker and listed in the 1850 census at at Freetown, Cortland Co., N.Y. Mary's will is on file (#N:157) at Ithaca, Tompkins Co., N.Y. and names her brother, William H. Richardson, as guardian of the children: Jonathan, age 17, and Ida, age 15.

Children of Samuel and Frances (Reynolds) Benjamin:

1101. Thomas Perry Benjamin b. September 22, 1833 at Newport, N.Y.; d. March 21, 1902 (gs) at Canestota, Madison Co., N.Y.; buried in Indian Mound Cemetery at Cayuga Co., N.Y.; m/1 O. Augusta Robinson on October 30, 1868 at Moravia, N.Y., probably the dau. of David and Clarissa (Selleck) Robinson, b. 1844, d. May 19, 1873, age 28-5-18 (gs) and is buried with her husband. He m/2 Mary A. Brister, b. 1853, d. 1899 (gs). There were no children of either marriage. In 1896 he resided in Cortland Co., N.Y. and was a carriage maker.

1102. Sarah Frances/Frances M. Benjamin b. March 27, 1840 at Fall River, Mass.; d. June 23, 1885 at Albany, N.Y.; unmarried. Her will is on file (Vol. 32: 344) in Albany Co., N.Y. and names her brothers.

1103. George Harmon/Henry Benjamin b. January 15, 1838 at Fall River, Mass.; resided in Albany, N.Y.; unm.

Children of Samuel and Mary (Richardson) Benjamin:

*1104. John A./B. or Jonathan Benjamin b. September 7, 1857 at Marathon, N.Y.

1105. Ida M./Anna Benjamin b. October 19, 1859 at Groton, Cortland Co., N.Y.; m. September 26, 1883 at Groton to Arthur H. Sweet, b. 1854; d. 1933. Issue: Walter Benjamin Sweet b. October 8, 1885 at Groton, N.Y. Ida d. 1949 at Groton, N.Y.

Resources: John Parshall Benjamin's family tree via Helen Brown's brother; Wilson Papers.

472. ALANSON BENJAMIN[6] (Jonathan[5], Benjamin[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born March 3, 1813 in Norway, Herkimer Co., New York; the son of Jonathan and Nancy (McCarty) Benjamin; died in 1888 at Marathon, Cortland Co., New York. He married Harriet M. Ives in 1836. She was the dau. of Simeon Hall and Apluma (Sheppard) Ives and was born August 31, 1814 in Herkimer Co., N.Y. and died March 1901 at Norway, Herkimer Co., New York.

He was a carpenter and farmer and was a Deacon of the Marathon Baptist Church. They lived to celebrate their golden wedding in October 1886. He was listed in the 1850, 1855, and 1860 census of Freetown, Cortland Co., N.Y. and in 1880 was in Solon, Cortland Co., N.Y.

Children of Alanson and Harriet (Ives) Benjamin:

1106. Mary M. Benjamin b. 1838; d. 1849. (gs) She and an infant are buried in the Freetown Cemetery.

*1107. Willard J. Benjamin b. June 21, 1840 at Freetown,NY
1108. Harriet E. Benjamin b. July 19, 1848 at Freetown; m. Charles H. Bouton of Marathon, Cortland Co., N.Y. They had a dau. who m. George H. Swift of Marathon, N.Y.
1109. Other children, who died as infants, unnamed.

Resources: Vital Records of Freetown, Cortland Co., N.Y.; Dec. 1887 Norway Tidings; Family Group Sheet from the Library of Latter Day Saints in Salt Lake City, Utah.

473. HENRY HARRISON BENJAMIN[6] (Jonathan[5], Benjamin[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1816 in Herkimer Co., New York; the son of Jonathan and Nancy (McCarty) Benjamin; died in 1876 in Ohio. He married Caroline/Charlotte Vincent. She was born in 1811 or 1816 and died in 1895.

He went to Ohio with his father and was listed in the 1840 census at Scott Twp., Brown Co., Ohio and in the 1850 census at Bainbridge, Geauga Co., Ohio.

Children of Henry and Caroline (Vincent) Benjamin:
1110. 1 male b. 1835-40; apparently d. before 1850.
1111. 1 female b. 1835-40; apparently d. before 1850.
1112. Alvah Benjamin b. 1847 in Ohio; a lawyer in Cleveland, Ohio; d. childless.
1113. Mary Benjamin b. 1843 in Ohio; left one child: Mary Scott or Mary Scott Benjamin.

Resources: Dec. 1887 Norway Tidings; Wilson Papers; Census Records.

474. ELIZA BENJAMIN[6] (Jonathan[5], Benjamin[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1819 in Herkimer Co., New York; the dau. of Jonathan and Nancy (McCarty) Benjamin; died March 17, 1865 and is buried in the Chagrin Falls, Ohio cemetery. She married Ira A. Foote on May 30, 1839. He was the son of Martin and Nancy (Avery) Martin and was born September 10, 1816 in New York and died November 26, 1880 and is buried at Chagrin Falls, Cayahoga Co., Ohio.

They were listed in the 1850 census of Bainbridge Twp. Geauga Co., Ohio as a farmer.

Children of Ira and Eliza (Benjamin) Foote:
1114. Sarah N. Foote b. 1838 in Ohio; m. D. L. Fenkell of Chagrin Falls, Ohio. Issue: Geroge H. Fenkell of Detroit, Michigan and Neal Fenkell of Chagrin Falls, Ohio.
1115. Charles M. Foote b. 1842 in Ohio; resided in Cleveland, Ohio.

Resources: Dec. 1887 Norway Tidings; Wilson Papers; p. 282 Foote Gen.

475. SIMEON BENJAMIN[6] (Joshua[5], Simeon[4], William[3], Simeon[2], Richard

born in 1772 at Cutchogue, Long Island, New York; the son of Joshua and Hannah (Wells) Benjamin; died June 1, 1823, age 51 (gs) and is buried in the Cutchogue Burying Grounds. He married Esther Wines on May 7, 1809 at Cutchogue (cr). She was born about 1777 and died October 15, 1839, age 62 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

His will is dated Dec. 14, 1822 (Liber E:11) and was probated June 12, 1823. He leaves half of the estate to his wife, Esther, and the balance to his wife's nephew, Barnabas Wines Howell, who is to be educated and supported until of age and who is to care for his mother. Executors were: Ebenezer W. Case and Joshua Fleet and the witnesses were Jonathan A. and Amanda Horton and Salem Prince. Esther's will was dated Oct. 15, 1839 and gave administration to her sister, Mehitable Howell. She mentions a friend, Oliver Carey, and the only heirs are her sister, Mehitable Howell, and one other sister, Anna Reeve.

On July 9, 1815, Esther, wife of Simeon Benjamin, received communion at the Cutchogue Church (cr). On Jan. 13, 1829 Sister Esther Benjamin was charged with having made too full use of spiritious liquors at one certain time...inquiry revealed that she had fallen into the sin of intoxication. Also in trouble at the same time was her sister-in-law, Clarissa Horton. (Cutchogue cr).

In the 1820 census records of Southold, L.I. a male b. 1794-1804 is shown living in Simeon's household, but there are no children mentioned in his will. According to Dr. Wilson's records, Simeon Benjamin became blind.

Resources: Wilson Papers; Census records; Salmon Records.

477. REV.RICHARD BENJAMIN[6] (Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born between 1784-1790 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the son of Richard and Nancy (Fanning) Benjamin; died in 1816 at Clarence, (near Buffalo) Erie Co., New York. (Note Dr. Wilson's records indicate that he died in 1856.)

There are estate records on file for Richard Benjamin of Clarence, Erie Co., N.Y. on February 13, 1816. Luther McNeal and Malcom Dunn were appointed administrators. He owned property on Buffalo Road in the town of Clarence (now Main Street). There was no indication of next of kin, but since he wasn't mentioned in his brother, James' will in 1833, he most probably had died before that date. He was probably unmarried.

Resources: p. 134 Dec. 1966 Tree Talks; Wilson Papers; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

478. DAVID BENJAMIN[6] (Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born September 1787 (Note: Dr. Wilson says he was b. 1786 and grave stone indicates 1786!) at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of Richard and Nancy (Fanning) Benjamin; died October 17, 1861, age 74 yrs. 11 mos. (gs) and is bur

ied in the Northville Cemetery. He married Elizabeth E. Tuthill on March 15, 1812, the dau. of Nathan and Esther (Parshall) Tuthill. She was born October 1792 at Shelter Island, L.I. and died July 4, 1882, age 89 yrs. 9mos. (gs) at Mattituck, L.I. and is buried with her husband.

His will is on file with the Riverhead Surrogate Court (#5406) in which he names his wife and children. They had 13 children.

He was located in the 1810, 1820, 1830, 1840, and 1850 census records at Riverhead, Suffolk Co., N.Y. and was a member of the Congregational Church.

Children of David and Elizabeth (Tuthill) Benjamin:

*1116. David Benjamin b. 1809 at Riverhead, L.I. (Birth date from gs.)
*1117. VanRensellear Benjamin b. March 1, 1813 at Riverhead
1118. Suffronia Benjamin b. October 2, 1815; d. July 20, 1897; m. November 28, 1835 Joshua Lester Youngs. He was b. March 3, 1813 at Aquebogue, d. March 22 1878, the son of John Youngs. He was a farmer and butcher. They had 10 children.
*1119. Elizabeth Jane Benjamin b. 1816 at Riverhead.
*1120. John A. Benjamin b. August 16, 1817/8 at Riverhead.
1121. Polly Benjamin bc. 1820.
*1122. Caleb Halsey Benjamin b. March 15, 1821 at Riverhead
*1123. Albert T. Benjamin b. March 20, 1823/4.
1124. George A. Benjamin b. March 20, 1830 at Riverhead; d. October 21, 1857, age 26 yrs. 7 mos. (gs); m. Emily Youngs. He is buried in the Northville Cemetery. Emily was b. 1833 and d. 1912.
*1124. Simeon Oscar Benjamin b. February 24, 1834.
1125. 1 male b. 1835-40.
*1126. Mary M. Benjamin b. May 21, 1838 at Riverhead.
1127. Harriet Benjamin; d. age 2 yrs. (gs) inscription illegible.

Resources: Cemetery research by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.; p. 203 Portrait and Biog. of Suffolk Co., NY; p. 36 Hist. of Parshall Fam., James C. Parshall, 1903; Tuttle-Tuthill Lines in Am., Ava Tuttle, 1968; Simeon Benjamin, Founder of Elmira College, McDowell; p. 252 William Wells of Southold, L.I., Charles W. Hayes, 1879; p. 227 Young Fam., Selah Young, 1907.

479. REV. WILLIAM F. BENJAMIN[6] (Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[2-1]) born in 1790 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of Richard and Nancy (Fanning) Benjamin; died October 18, 1860, age 70 yrs. 3 mos.(gs) and is buried in the Northville Cemetery. He married Amelia Hallock on August 12, 1814, the dau. of Fredrick and Hannah (---) Hallock. She was born December 20, 1797 at Riverhead and died March 3, 1884, age 8702-11 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He was located in the 1820 through 1860 census records at Riverhead, L.I. He fought in the War of 1812. He was a farmer, and also an ordained minister and preached regularly to the Sinnecock Indians, who knew him as "Priest Billy". He was a faithful, tireless, and much beloved man of God. Without pay, he traveled 30 miles each week to preach to the Shinnecock Indians. His devoted wife abetted him in his "labor" and his church at Shinnecock loved and trusted him implicity. He was looked up to as a father and a source of wisdom and authority in matters pertaining both to this world and the world to come.

Amelia's will is recorded in the Riverhead Surrogate Office. She names sons: Richard H. and James Harvey and grandau. Elizabeth A. (Vail) and grandsons: Simeon T. and James William Henry.

He was born and brought up on the Northville farm, which was about 1 mile wide and 3 miles long and had been bought from the Indians for a 2 year old bull.

Children of William and Amelia (Hallock) Benjamin:

*1128. William Franklin Benjamin b. February 24, 1816 at Northville.
*1129. Richard Hampton Benjamin b. October 2, 1820.
*1130. James Harvey Benjamin b. April 4, 1823 at Northville
1131. Nancy P. Benjamin bc. 1827.
1132. Fredrick H. Benjamin b. May 16, 1829; d. August 30, 1832, age 2 yrs. 3 mos. (gs) and is buried with his parents.
1133. Fredrick H. Benjamin b. November 10, 1834; d. October 9, 1857 age 22 yrs. 11 mos. (gs) and is buried with his parents.
1134. Elizabeth Benjamin bc. 1842; d. 1850, age 7 yrs. (gs); an adopted dau.

Resources: Simeon Benjamin, Founder of Elmira College, McDowell; p. 164 Hallock Gen., Lucius Hallock, 1906; p. 156 Portrait and Biog. Rec. of Suffolk Co., N.Y.; Cemetery Research by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.; Wilson Papers.

480. SIMEON BENJAMIN[6] (Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born May 29, 1792 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of Richard and Nancy (Fanning) Benjamin; died September 1, 1868 at Elmira, Chemung Co., New York, and is buried in the Woodlawn Cemetery in Elmira. He married Sarah Wickham Goldsmith on May 20, 1816. She was born April 15, 1795 at Mattituck, L.I. and died February 2, 1860 at Elmira, N.Y. (gs). She is buried with her husband.

Sarah was the sister of Rev. John Goldsmith, pastor of the cnurch which Mr. Benjamin was an Elder.

Because he was a frail child, he received a little more "schooling" than his more rugged brothers. He was larely self-educated, which explains his interest in

Elmira College. His career as a merchant began in his early years with a stock of "motions" which he carried in his hands and on his back. When his profits made it possible, he bought a horse and cart, and with them he could have a larger stock and expanded territory. In 1808, at the age of 16, he became a clerk of Kipp's in New York City, which was on lower Broadway. In 1812 he returned to Riverhead, and opened a general store, which prospered when the New York merchants suffered because of the blockade by the British during the War of 1812. When the war was over, he put the profits of his general store into dry goods business at 371 Pearl Street in New York City, and prospered there for 20 years. Pearl Street, in his day, was the principal street in Manhattan, with elegant homes and fine stores. After his marriage, they lived in lower Manhattan and attended the Presbyterian Church on Vandewater Street.

In 1835 they left New York and came to Elmira by wagon (there was no train) to a village of 230 homes and 1000 inhabitants. After six months, he purchased for cash 15 pieces of desirable real estate on Lake, Water, and Baldwin Streets. This was in the town's most desirable business district. He then joined the Presbyterian Church, became an Elder and a trustee of the church, offices he held the rest of his life. He served as Sunday School superintendent andin 1839 was president of the Chemung County Bible Society, and this too he held until his death. In business affairs, he became president and principal manager of the Chemung Rail Company (which connected Elmira to Watkins). He was vice-president of the Elmira Rolling Mill, the town's main industry. He was president of the Bank of Chemung and president of the First National Bank. He built some of the early business buildings in Elmira. In 1850, he built a red brick mansion on the northeast corner of Lake and Third Streets.

He gave generously to Elmira College. It was through his first gift of $5,000. that the college was able to even get started, which was in 1835. During his life and at his death, he gave a total of $80,000. He also gave $30,000. to the Presbyterian Board of Publications and to institutions.

His assets were listed as $81,000. in 1850 and in 1860 were $200,000!

They had 3 sons and 4 daus., several dying in infancy.

Children of Simeon and Sarah (Goldsmith) Benjamin:

1135. Sarah M. Benjamin b. 1817; d. September 10, 1821, age 3-10-15 (gs) and buried in the Woodlawn Cem.

*1136. Sarah Maria Benjamin.

1137. William R. Benjamin b. February 26, 1827 in New York City; d. January 16, 1852 (gs) and is buried in the Woodlawn Cemetery at Elmira,N.Y.; died after graduation from Williams College; unm.

1138. Ann Margaret Benjamin b. 1829; d. in childhood.
1139. Julia Benjamin b. 1831; d. in childhood.

Resources: Simeon Benjamin, Founder of Elmira College, McDowell; Records of Charles Benjamin of Elmira, N.Y.; Parish Register of Mattituck and Aquebogue, Charles Craven, 1906; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.; Hist. of Chemung Co., N.Y.

483. REV. MOSES BENJAMIN[6] (Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born either 1794 or 1796 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of Richard and Nancy (Fanning) Benjamin; died either September 1, 1840, age 44 or September 18, 1839, age 35 (obit) at Hempstead, L.I., N.Y. and is buried in the Old Town Burying Ground at Hempstead. He m/1 Phoebe Hulse, the dau. of Jonan and Phoebe (Halsey) Hulse. She was born August 17, 1800 at Wading River, L.I.; bapt. October 20, 1801, and died March 1, 1824. He m/2 Ursula Newton, the dau. of Caleb and Elizabeth (Lorin) Newton. She was born in 1804 and died April 19, 1866, age 61-9-28, and is buried with her first husband. She m/2 George Remsen/Remson of Oyster Bay, L.I. on August 27, 1848 at Hempstead. He was born in 1798.

Rev. Moses was connected with the Methodist Church and supplied churches in the western part of Long Island. Ursula was listed in the 1840 census records of Hempstead Town, L.I. and is also there in 1850, married to George Remsen, who was listed as a clerk.

Ursula was mentioned in her father's will (Liber 3419) "of Nassau Co." when he died Feb. 21, 1844.

Children of Moses and Phebe (Hulse) Benjamin:

1140. James Benjamin b. May 10, 1820; d. November 5, 1852 or 1853 at Inkerman, in the Crimea. Although his mother died when he was a young lad, and his father remarried, young James' childhood appears to have been typical for a lad of that day. In letters to his brother John, he recalls "we had both a good home and kind and indulgent parents" and in a later letter, "Nearly all children have a dislike to attend school. I well remember how often we played truant ourselves, and even when not absent, how negligent we were of our studies".

On the 19th of June 1938, James got in some sort of disagreement with his father and made a vow to "never return". He boarded a whaling ship, the "Harvest" out of New Bedford, Mass., and sailed into the South Atlantic. In March 1830 the ship put into Capetown, South Africa and James, while on an evening shore leave, missed the ship. Fearing reprisal by the captain, he struck out for the interior of Africa, suffering much hardship in the desert between Capetown and

Stellenbush. After an 8 month stay, he shipped out for London, where he enlisted on the 22nd of May, 1840 in the British Service.

He saw action in Afghanstan and his adventures there in several battles earned him a medal. In 1845, he returned to the British Isles, to be stationed in Ireland for a period of about 7 years. It was during this time (1851-52) that he took up serious correspondence with his brother John. With the help of his Uncle Simeon Benjamin, the man given credit for the founding of Elmira College, he almost bought his way out of the British Army. (Simeon, however, sent him only $70. and it arrived too late for James to get out at the time he received it).

In 1853, James' regiment (the 41st) was engaged in the Crimean War against Russia. He won medals for action at Alma and Inkerman. However, it was at the latter, on Nov. 5, 1853, while on duty in the sandbag battery, that his position was over run by a vastly superior group and James was killed. It is believed that James never married, and this is indicated by his letters of the early 1850's. Also, in one of his letters, he mentions meeting Florence Nightingale.

*1141. John Benjamin b. January 10, 1822/3.

Children of Moses and Ursula (Newton) Benjamin:

*1142. Moses Franklin Benjamin b. August 6, 1830 at Coram.

1143. Francis N. Benjamin bc. 1839; d. August 6, 1844, age 4 yrs. 10 mos. (gs); buried with parents.

Resources: Simeon Benjamin, Founder of Elmira College, McDowell; Vol. 55 p. 376, Vol. 54 p. 205, 338 N.Y. Hist. and Gen. Record; Records of Mrs. Habib K. Antoun of Riverhead, N.Y.; Records of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.; Wilson Papers; Letters from James Benjamin in the possession of Mrs. Claud Shaw of Endicott, N.Y.; Hulse Manus. in Suffolk Library at Riverhead via James Fergueson.

484. JAMES BENJAMIN[6] (Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born in 1797 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of Richard and Nancy (Fanning) Benjamin; died February 9, 1833, age 36 at Sag Harbor of 'fit'. (Presby. Cr.) and is buried in the Oakland Cemetery. He married Nancy Latham on May 23, 1824 at Sag Harbour Presbyterian Church (cr). She was born in 1794 and died August 9, 1840, age 46 (Sag Harbor Presby. cr) and is buried with her husband.

His will mentions his wife and brother David, William, Simeon, and Moses Benjamin. There is no mention of any children. However, there is a James in the 1830 Riverhead census that had 1 male b. 1810-15; 1 female b. 1825-30,

and 1 female b. 1825-30 and 1 male b. 1790-1800 and 1 female b. 1790-1800.

Resources: Cemetery records by F. Everett Benjamin; Census Records.

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GENERATION VII - RICHARD LINE

501. FRANCES M. BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Isaiah[5], John[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1839 probably at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the dau. of John and Phylinda (Benjamin) Benjamin; died November 15, 1859, age 20-4-22 (gs) in childbirth and is buried in the Mattituck Cemetery. She married William H. Brown.

Children of William and Frances (Benjamin) Brown:
1144. John Brown b. November 1859. He was raised by his Aunt Sarah (Benjamin) Smith. He married Ernestine Benjamin, the dau. of Horace H. Benjamin. They had no issue. (See #985.)

Resource: Records of Mrs. Benjamin Kogut of W. Islip, N.Y.

502. JOHN W. BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Isaiah[5], John[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1832/3 probably in Riverhead, Long Island; the son of John and Philinda (Benjamin) Benjamin; died October 31, 1883, age 50-1-2 (gs) and is buried in the Riverhead Cemetery. He marriet Harriet ---, who was born in 1842 at East Quogue, L.I. and died May 7, 1907, age 64-8-28 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Children of John and Harriet (---) Benjamin:
1145. Sarah J. Benjamin b. May 30, 1862; d. November 29, 1929 (gs) and buried in the same plot as her parents in Riverhead Cem.; m. Samuel F. Henry.
1146. John Benjamin bc. 1860.
1147. Philinda Benjamin bc. 1862/3.
1148. Silas Benjamin.
1149. Jemima Benjamin.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin Of Owego, N.Y.; Census records.

503. SARAH H. BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Isaiah[5], John[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born April 18, 1848 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the dau. of John and Phylinda (Benjamin) Benjamin. She died January 15, 1928 and is buried in the Mattituck Cemetery. He married November 28, 1866 William Henry Smith of West Babylon, L.I.

He was listed as a blacksmith in the 1870 census.

Children of William and Sarah (Benjamin) Smith:
1150. Daughter, probably Phylinda Smith; d. young.

1151. Walter Davis Smith b. November 27, 1873 at Riverhead, L.I.; d. July12, 1950 at Brooklyn, N.Y.; m/1 Annie Hawkins b. 1875, d. 1903; m/2 Maude Pattison b. 1875, d. 1926. Maude was the mother of Audrey Pattis Smith (Mrs. Benjamin) Kogut of West Islip, N.Y.

1152. Harold Benjamin Smith b. December 1, 1878 at Riverhead, L.I.; d. March 15, 1949 at Riverhead; m/1 Maude Howell; divorced with no issue; m/2 1920 Teresa Morell, who d. Feb. 1969 with no issue.

Resource: Records of Mrs. Benjamin Kogut of W. Islip, L.I.

507. GEORGE WASHINGTON BENJAMIN[7] (George[6], Isaiah[5], John[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born January 17, 1841 in Mattituck, Long Island, New York; the son of George and Ann (Cook) Benjamin; died November 18, 1918, age 77-9-10 (gs) at Southold, L.I. and is buried in the Laurel Cemetery between Jamesport and Mattituck. He married Hannah M. Homan on December 1, 1883 at Franklinville, L.I. She was born 1856 and died November 24, 1889, age 33 yrs. 1 mos. (gs) at Southampton, L.I. and is buried with her husband. He m/2 Susan (---) Edwards on March 31, 1898 at New York City. She had m/1 Elbert H. Edwards.

Children of George and Hannah (Homan) Benjamin:

1153. Grace Estelle Benjamin b. 1885; d. June 9, 1887, age 2 yrs. 24 days. and buried with parents.

Resources: Census records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego and Riverhead, N.Y.

511. ISIAH TUTHILL BENJAMIN[7] (George[6], Isaiah[5], John[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born June 26, 1851 at Mattituck, Long Island, New York; the son of George and Ann (Cook) Benjamin; died May 16, 1887, age 35-10-21 (gs) (Southold vr) at Mattituck, L.I. He married Edith Lois Hallock of Jamesport, L.I. on January 27, 1879 at Jamesport, the dau. of William L. and Huldah (Corwin) Hallock. She was born in 1856 at South Jamesport, L.I. and died December 8, 1946, age 90-6-28 (gs) and is buried at the Mattituck Bethany Cemetery.

Children of Isiah and Edith (Hallock) Benjamin:

1154. William H. Benjamin b. 1883; d. May 12, 1883, age 10 mos. (gs) (Southold vr).

1155. George T. Benjamin b. February 4, 1887; d. January 30, 1962, age 74 at Jamesport, L.I. (Riverhead vr); m. September 20, 1916 Marie B. Mitchell. They were divorced. She was b. 1899 and d. Feb. 3, 1963, age 64, and is buried in the St. John's Cemetery at Riverhead. Issue:

1. Frances Bettie Benjamin b. 1917.
2. Lillian Marion Benjamin b. 1919.
3. Jeanette Clara Benjamin b. 1922.

Resources: p. 245 Hallock Gen., Lucius H. Hallock, 1906; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego & Riverhead, N.Y.

530. DR. NATHAN BENJAMIN[7] (James[6-5], David[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born May 2/11, 1801 in Sussex Co., New Jersey; the son of James and Jane (Givens) Benjamin; died April 7, 1875 at Tolono, Illinois and buried in the Ashgrove (now Bailey) Cemetery. He married Edith A. Shaw in 1821. She was born November 9, 1799 at Louden Co., Virginia and died August 9, 1888 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He was a farmer and country doctor. He was located in the 1830, 1840, and 1850 census at Hopewell Twp. and Madison Twp. in Perry Co., Ohio.

In 1826 Nathan Benjamin and wife Edith A., entered in to a partition of the estate of Nathan Shaw, who died intestate, leaving no children. (He was probably a brother of Edith's.)

Children of Nathan and Edith (Shaw) Benjamin:

1156. Isaac Benjamin b. 1810-15.
1157. John Benjamin b. 1820-25.
1158. Mariah Benjamin b. 1822.
1159. James Benjamin b. 1827; m. May 16, 1850 Sarah Redmond b. 1827, at Perry Co., Ohio. (vr).
1160. Mary Ann Benjamin b. 1825-30; m. June 14, 1842 Joshua Miller at Perry Co., Ohio (vr).
1161. Elizabeth Benjamin b. 1832.
1162. Sarah Benjamin b. 1839; m. December 18, 1860 William H.H. Cannon at Perry Co., Ohio.
1163. Priscilla Jane Benjamin b. March 4, 1842; d. April 27, 1888; m. December 29, 1869 George A./M. Stanley/Staley b. Sept. 1, 1845 at Perry Co., Ohio. (vr).
1164. Margaret Benjamin; died young.

Resources: Census records; Vol. 3 p. 135 Tree Talks; Records of Mrs. H. V. Carpenter, sent by her dau. Mrs. Valerie C. Felsted of Pullman, Wash.; Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

531. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[7] (James[6-5], David[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born either in 1806 or 1810 in New York; the son of James and Jane (Givens) Benjamin; death date unknown. He married Delitha/Delela Dean on August 2, 1827 at Perry Co., Ohio. (vr). She was the dau. of James Dean and was born in 1808.

He was located in the 1830 and 1840 census records of Hopewell Twp., Perry Co., Ohio and in the 1850 census of Madison Twp., Perry Co., Ohio.

Children of Samuel and Delitha (Dean) Benjamin:

*1165. Nathan Levi Benjamin b. 1829 in Ohio.
1166. Nancy Benjamin b. 1830 in Ohio.

1167. Emily Benjamin b. 1834 in Ohio; m. July 12, 1863 to John C. Kocker in Perry Co., Ohio. (vr).
1168. Delilah Benjamin bc. 1838 in Ohio.
1169. Mary Ann Benjamin b. 1839/40 in Ohio.

Resources: Census Records; Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

533. JAMES BENJAMIN[7] (James[6-5], David[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1804 in New Jersey; the son of James and Jane (Givens) Benjamin. His death date is unknown. He married Margaret Brooks on June 14, 1827 at Perry co., Ohio (vr). She was the dau. of John and Frances/Fanny (---) Brooks and was born in 1806 in Ohio and apprently died before 1870. (He MIGHT have m/1 Elizabeth Reed on October 11, 1823 Perry Co. vr.)

He was a farmer and located in the 1820 and 1820 census of Hopewell Twp., and the 1840 census of Madison Twp., Perry Co., Ohio. He is in the 1850 census at Hopewell Twp. Muskingum Co. and in the 1860 census of Hopewell Twp., Licking Co., Ohio.

In the land record for Feb. 17, 1828 (Vol. C p. 276) of Perry Co., Ohio, Margaret Benjamin inherits land from her mother, Frances (Fanny) Brooks, which had been property of John Brooks. The land was adjacent to land mentioned in the will of James Benjamin.

Children of James and Margaret (Brooks) Benjamin:
1170. Joel Benjamin bc. 1829 in Ohio.
1171. Mary Ann Benjamin b. 1834 in Ohio; m. John Miller.
*1172. Ambrose Benjamin b. May 13, 1835 in Ohio.
1173. Eliza Benjamin bc. 1838 In Ohio.
1174. William Benjamin b. 1839 In Ohio.
1175. Eliza Benjamin bc. 1853 in Ohio.

Resources: Census Records; Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.; Records of Mrs. James Benjamin of Regina, Sask., Canada.

?536. SARAH BENJAMIN[7] (James[6-5], David[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1813 in New York; the possible dau. of James and Jane (Givens) Benjamin; died March 29, 1879 in Illinois and is buried in the "Old Ohio" Cemetery, south of Marshall, Clark Co., Illinois. She married John Brown, the son of Adam and Mary (Cowden) Brown. (Adam laid out the town of Brownsville, Ohio.) He was born February 13, 1806 in Penn. and died October 13, 1876 in Illinois.

Adam came to Bowling Green, Licking Co., Ohio in 1808 from Fayette Co., Penn.

Children of John and Sarah (Benjamin) Brown:
1176. Mary Ann Brown b. 1832 in Ohio; d. before 1876; m. Ralph Kelm.
1177. Jane Brown b. May 31, 1835; d. April 28, 1903; m. January 30, 1861 Joseph Craige.

1178. Rosanna Brown b. March 7, 1837; d. April 22, 1895.
1179. Sarah Brown bc. 1840 in Ohio; m. May 30, 1867 James W. Wonnell.
1180. William Brown b. 1842; d. November 9, 1869; m. 1864 Susan B. Jenney.
1181. Hetty Brown b. December 7, 1850 in Ohio; d. March 29, 1925; m. James B. Skelley.
1182. Martha Brown b. 1853 in Illinois; m. April 1875 Robert Ketchum.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Marjorie Bowers of Olympia, Washington.

537. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[7] (Jesse[6-5], David[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born April 27, 1797; the son of Jesse and Patience (Hallock) Benjamin; died January 14, 1873, age 75-8-13 (gs) and is buried in the Stephens Cemetery outside Nicholson, Wyoming Co., Penn. He married Mary Sherwood on September 20, 1817 at Sussex Co., New Jersey; the dau. of Samuel Sherwood. She was born September 2, 1798 and died September 20, 1885, age 87 yrs. 18 days (gs).

There is some confusion regarding the placement of this line. Those who have researched this line say it should be placed as Richard[1-2-3-4], Jesse[5-6] but give no proof regarding that lineage. They also suggest that the above Samuel was born in Long Island, since Jesse[6] did not come to New Jersey until 1825. Neither lineage is proved, but both thoughts are included for consideration.

Samuel and his wife resided in Sussex Co., N.J. until 1823, when, with their 3 oldest children, they started for Penn. Their route lay through Narrowsburgh and across the Delaware River to Honesdale and over the Old Milford Turnpike to Hollisterville, then to Dunmore, where they lived until 1830, when they moved to Carbondale, Penn. They lived at Carbondale 9 years, when in March 1839, they moved to the farm in Lenox, Susquehanna Co., Penn. where he remained until his death.

He was a carpenter by trade, but also a fine cabinet maker. There are several pieces of fine furniture, which he made, in the family. His widow lived at the farm in Lenox until 1880, when she went to live with her dau. Jane. She died exactly 68 years after the date of her marriage.

Children of Samuel and Mary (Sherwood) Benjamin:
*1183. Jesse Benjamin b. August 29, 1818 in Sussex Co.,NJ.
*1184. Samuel S. Benjamin b. February 22, 1821.
*1185. Jane Benjamin b. November 5, 1822; d. 1903; m. in 1841 James Stephens and had 6 children.
1186 Richard Wells Benjamin b. November 23, 1824; d. Aug. 6, 1846, age 21-8-14 (gs) and is buried with his parents.
*1187. Alpheus S. Benjamin b. May 30, 1828.

*1188. Abram Richard Benjamin b. October 11, 1831; d. 1888; m. Jerusha Millard and had 5 children.
1189. Mary Sherwood Benjamin b. February 10, 1834; d.1834.
*1190. Mary Elizabeth Benjamin b. June 19, 1836; d. 1910; m. James Westcott and had 5 children.
1191. Thomas Jefferson Benjamin b. April 21, 1839; killed by a falling tree; unm.
*1192. Francis M. Benjamin b. December 16, 1842; d. 1926; m. Sarah Steele and had 8 children.

Resources: Manuscript by Mrs. Terwilliger via Rev. G. Williams of Nicholson, Penn.

539. HENRY HALLOCK BENJAMIN[7] (Jesse[6-5], David[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1804; the son of Jesse and Patience (Hallock) Benjamin; died June 1887, age 83 and buried in Dunmore, Penn. He married Sally K/Crotzer of Easton, Penn. She was born in 1806 and died in 1872, age 66.

Children of Henry and Sally (Krotzer) Benjamin:
*1193. Wells Benjamin b. August 8, 1831 at Carbondale, Pa.
1194. Mary Benjamin; m. William Beisecher.
1195. Sidney Benjamin; a carpenter.
1196. Sarah A. Benjamin; m. --- Moon.
1197. Harriet Benjamin; m. --- Washer.
1198. Henry Benjamin; d. 1899.
1199. Catherine Benjamin; m. --- Sharp.
1200. Hattie Benjamin; m. --- Moon.
1201. Irwin R. Benjamin b. August 9, 1843; a farmer at Simon, South Canaan Twp., Wayne Co., Penn.; was in the Civil War; m. December 1864 Orrillia R. Swingle b. 1846 at S. Canaan, d. 1895. Their only child to survive was Jennie M. Benjamin b. 1867, m. --- Merithew. Irwin m/2 Clara Brown.

Resources: Commorative Biog. Rec. of N.Y. and Penn, 1900, p. 957-980.

542. JEMIMA BENJAMIN[7] (Benoni[6], Jonathan[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born July 24, 1800 in Ohio; the dau. of Benoni and Anna (---) Benjamin; died August 30, 1939, age 39-2-6 (gs) at Pulaski Co., Indiana. She married John Leonard Widner on November 29, 1818 at Huron Co., Ohio (vr). He was born March 24, 1771 and died December 9, 1835 at Pulaski Co., Indiana.

John served in the War of 1812 from Ohio.

Children of John and Jemima (Benjamin) Widner:
1202. Rebecca N. Widner b. March 22, 1822 at Huron Co., Ohio; d. September 27, 1913 at Logansport, Ind.; m. February 6, 1839 William W. Fisher.
1203. Seth Widner b. 1829; m/1 Nancy Parsons; m/2 Maria Hildreth.
1204. David Widner.

1205. Margaret Widner.
1206. Benoni Benjamin Widner; married 4 times; first 3 wives died in childbirth.

Resources: DAR Ohio Marriage Records for Huron Co.; Record of Roland J. Benjamin of Park Ridge, Ill.

543. WASHINGTON MINGOMERY BENJAMIN[7] (Benoni[6], Jonathan[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born May 24, 1809 at Fairfield Co., Ohio; the son of Benoni and Anna (---) Benjamin; death date unknown. He married Margaret Goodwin on December 2, 1832 at Fairfield Co. or Newark, Ohio. She was the dau. of John and Susan (Daugherty) Goodwin and was born January 9, 1809 at Fairfield Co. or Newark, Ohio; died February 13, 1882.

He was a farmer, a Baptist; and a Republican. He was in the 1840 census of Liberty Twp., Fairfield Co, Ohio. He may have been married before, since in the 1840 census there was one male b. 1825-30 and one female b. 1825-30 included in his household. He is not named in the 1850 census of the same place, only Margaret and the children, which would seem to indicate he had died.

Children of Washington and Margaret (Goodwin) Benjamin:
1207. Martin Estern Benjamin b. October 20, 1833 in Fairfield Co., Ohio.
1208. John B. Benjamin b. August 15, 1835 in Ohio.
1209. Sarah A. Benjamin b. March 11, 1838 in Ohio.
1210. Susan A. Benjamin b. October 15, 1841 in Fairfield Co., Ohio; m. Orrin Teaford Goodwin.

Resources: p. 117 Goodwin Fam. in Am., 1897; Records of Roland J. Benjamin of Park Ridge, Ill.

565. JONATHAN N. BENJAMIN[7] (David[6-5], Jonathan[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born October 11/12, 1797 in either Penn. or Ohio; the son of David and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin; died September 3, 1876, age 76-10-22 (gs) and is buried in the Wittemberg Cemetery, near Newton, Iowa. He married Hannah Ford on June 6, 1820 at Licking Co., Ohio (vr). She is the dau. of Phineas and Mary (Benjamin) Ford and was born December 22, 1798 near Mariette, Ohio and died January 15, 1891, age 92-yrs. 24 days. (gs) and is buried with her husband. (See #550.)

He was located in the 1820 and 1830 census of Union Twp., Licking Co., Ohio and in the 1840, 1850, and 1860 census records of Burlington Twp., Licking Co., Ohio. He moved to Newton, Jasper Co., Iowa about 1867.

Children of Jonathan and Hannah (Ford) Benjamin:
*1211. Sylvanus Rufus Benjamin b. Feburary 20, 1821 in Licking Co., Ohio.
*1212. Derinza Emaline Benjamin b. December 18, 1823 in Licking Co., Ohio.
1213. Syntha Adaline Benjamin b. March 2, 1828,; d. July

20, 1829, age 1-4-18.

?1214. Cynthia A. Benjamin; d. July 20, 1830, age 18 mos. (Perhaps the same a Syntha.)

1215. Cordelia Adeline Benjamin b. September 12, 1830 at Licking Co., Ohio; m. William Dixon. Resided in Ely, Oregon. Had son Elmer Dixon, who had no issue.

*1216. Jonathan Felix Benjamin b. October 3, 1838.

*1217. Arestine Priscilla Benjamin b. April 13, 1843 in Licking Co., Ohio.

Resources: Records of Robert B. Kilduff and Roland Benjamin of Park Ridge, Ill.

566. WILLIAM BENJAMIN[7] (David[6-5], Jonathan[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1798/9 in Virginia; the son of David and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin; death date unknown. He married Rhoda Lane December 2, 1819 in Washington Co., Ohio. (vr). This wife is also reported as Rhoda Knott, Perhaps one of those names is a married name.

He was located in the 1850 census in Newark Twp., Licking Co., Ohio.

Children of William and Rhoda (Knott) Benjamin:

1218. Laura Benjamin bc. 1826 in Ohio.

1219. Adelia Benjamin b. January 16, 1839 at Zanesville, Ohio; d. March 11, 1929 at Pasadena, Calif.; m. Lyman H. Moore b. July 10, 1839 in N.Y., the son of Jeremiah and Caroline (Kingsley) Moore. He d. May 30, 1916 in Pasadena. They had a dau. Kate Girard Moore b. Oct. 10, 1878 at ?Quincy?, Michigan, d. August 15, 1967; m. Arleigh Clifford Hess.

1220. Clarissa Benjamin b. 1837 or 1839 in Ohio.

1221. Margaret Benjamin bc. 1842 in Ohio.

Resources: Census records; Records of Mrs. Jeanne Hess Green of Hawthorne, Calif.

567. CHRISTIAN or CHRISTOPHER BENJAMIN[7] (David[6-5], Jonathan[4], David Richard[2-1]) born March 21, 1803/4 at Washington Co., Ohio; the son of David and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin; died December 16, 1880/1, age 77-8-26 (gs) and buried in the Old Campbell Cemetery near Laura, Illinois. He married Jane W. Ingraham on August 31, 1826 at Licking Co., Ohio. (vr). She was born 1805/6 in Virginia and died October 10, 1856 and is buried with her husband. (Note: Another record calls her Mary Ingraham.) He m/2 about 1859/60 Bridget ---, who was born in Ireland about 1823/28.

He was a farmer and located in the 1830 census of Union Twp., Licking Co., Ohio and in the 1840 and 1850 census of Burlington Twp., Licking Co., Ohio. In 1850 he owned $2,500. worth of property. This family left Ohio in 1852 and purchased a farm north of Brimfield and east of

of Laura in Peoria Co., Illinois, where he was listed in the 1860 census.

Children of Christopher and Jane (Ingraham) Benjamin:
*1222. William J. Benjamin bc. 1826/7 in Licking Co., Ohio.
1223. Jobe A. Benjamin bc. 1828/9 in Licking Co., Ohio; he enlisted Nov. 5, 1861 as a private in Co. C., 76th Regt., Ohio Volunteers; recruited from Licking Co. to serve in the Civil War.
1224. Elizabeth A. Benjamin bc. 1830/1 in Licking Co., O.
1225. Margaret L. Benjamin b. 1835/6.
1226. David M. Benjamin bc. 1837/8 in Licking Co., Ohio.
*1227. Wilson S. Benjamin b. 1840/1 in Licking Co., Ohio.
1228. Isaac K./C. Benjamin bc. 1842 in Licking Co., Ohio.
1229. Grace Benjamin bc. 1843 in Licking Co.
1230. Abram/Abraham J. Benjamin b. 1844 in Licking Co., O.

Children of Christopher and Bridget (---) Benjamin:
1231. John Benjamin b. 1861 in Peoria Co., Ill.
1232. Charles Benjamin b. 1866 in Peoria Co., Ill.

Resources: Census records; Records of Roland J. Benjamin of Park Ridge, Ill.

573. JOHN BENJAMIN[7] (Ezekiel[6], David[5], Jonathan[4], David[3], Richard[2]-1) born in 1795 in Penn.; the son of Ezekiel Benjamin; death date unknown. He married Elizabeth ---, who was born in Penn. in 1798 and died before the 1860 census. He was located in the 1850 and 1860 census at Etna Twp., Licking Co., Ohio.

Children of John and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin:
*1233. Ezekiel Benjamin b. September 18, 1818 in ?Cleveland?, Ohio.
*1234. Richard Manning Benjamin b. March 9, 1818 in Terre Haut, Ind. (This birth place was taken from a newspaper article and bevlieve that it is wrong. Believe he was born in Ohio.)
*1235. Jefferson Benjamin b. 1817 in Penn. (prob. Ohio.)
*1236. William Benjamin b. 1827 in Penn. (prob. Ohio.)
1237. Rebecca Benjamin b. 1828/9.
1238. Mary Benjamin b. 1835.
?1239. Heber J. Benjamin b. 1833 (in 1860 census).
?1240. John H. Benjamin b. 1853. (in 1860 census).
?1241. Elizabeth Benjamin b. 1857. (in 1860 census).

Resources: Census records; Records of Francis N. Benjamin of Kirkland, Washington.

576. ROBERT YOUNG BENJAMIN[7] (Daniel[6], David[5], Jonathan[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born July 7, 1808 at Worthington, Franklin Co., Ohio; the son of Daniel and Martha (Young) Benjamin; death date unknown. He married Nancy Groff/Groves on February 25, 1826, the dau. of John Groff. She was born March 8, 1808 at Hopkins Co., Kentucky.

He resided in Brown Co., Ohio; Warren Co., Indiana; and in 1834 was in Wayne Twp., DuPage Co., Illinois.

Children of Robert and Nancy (Groff) Benjamin:

1242. William Benjamin b. April 1827 at Brown Co., Ohio; resided at Roseburg, Oregon; was register of the Land Office there.
1243. Allen Benjamin; resided at Harrison Co., Iowa.
1244. Daniel Benjamin; a twin; resided at Harrison Co.,Ia.
1245. Nathan Benjamin, a twin; resided in Wayne Twp., Ill.
1246. Walter Benjamin; resided Harrison Co., Iowa.
1247. George Benjamin; resided in Montana.
1248. Elizabeth Benjamin; m. John Kline; resided at Wayne Twp., DuPage Co., Ill.

Resources: p. 195/6 Hist. of DuPage Co., Ill.

580. DAVID Y./WILLIAM BENJAMIN[7] (Nathan[6], David[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born between 1800 and 1810 in Ohio; the son of Nathan and Mary (Nulton) Benjamin; died at unknown date. He married Mary Six on July 30, 1823 at Athens Co., Ohio. (vr) She was born between 1800-1810.

He was located in the 1830 census at Athens Twp., Athens Co., Ohio and in the 1840 census at Waterloo Twp., Athens Co. In the 1840 census he was listed as D.Y. Benjamin.

Children of David and Mary (Six) Benjamin:

*1249. Nathan Benjamin bc. 1824 in Ohio.
1250. 1 male b. 1825-30.
1251. 1 female b. 1825-30.
1252. 1 female b. 1830-35.

Resources: Census records; Ohio Vital Records.

581. JACOB BENJAMIN[7] (Nathan[6], David[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born between 1800 and 1810; the son of Nathan and Mary (Nulton) Benjamin. His death and marriage are unknown. His wife was born 1800-10.

He was located in the 1830 census of Athens Co., York Twp., Ohio and in the 1840 census of the same place.

Children of Jacob Benjamin:

1253. 1 male b. 1820-25.
1254. 2 male b. 1825-30; 1 perhaps died young.
1255. 2 males b. 1830-35.
1256. 1 female b. 1830-35.
1257. 1 male b. 1835-40.
1258. 1 female b. 1835-40.

Resources: Census records.

585. ELIJAH WILLSON BENJAMIN[7] (Nathan[6], David[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born June/October 7, 1810 at Athens Co., Ohio; the

son of Nathan and Mary (Nulton) Benjamin; died April 24, 1887 at Lagro, Wabash Co., Indiana. He married Elsie Jane Peoples on July 31, 1836. She was the dau. of Hugh and Sarah (Nelson) Peoples and was born November 18, 1821 at Gallia Co., Ohio and died July 8, 1887 at Lagro, Indiana.

He was listed in the 1830 census at York Twp., Athens Co., Ohio as William Benjamin and in the 1840 census of Dover Twp., Athens Co., Ohio as Elisha Benjamin. He was a Whig, Republican; a member of the Methodist Church; Sunday School Superintendent; Class leader and trustee and Justice of the Peace.

They moved to Wabash Co., Indiana in 1836 and were the parents of 13 children, 8 of whom lived to adulthood and 6 married. In the year 1884 he and his wife were the sole survivors of the 7 original members of LaGro Methodist Church which was organized June 1839.

Children of Elijah and Elsie (Peoples) Benjamin:

1259. Mary Benjamin b. 1830-35.
1260. Louisa Benjamin b. 1835-40.
1261. Hugh B. Benjamin.
1262. Charles E. Benjamin.
*1263. Nathaniel Benjamin b. November 24, 1843 in Athens Co., Ohio.
1264. Whitcome Benjamin.
*1265. Adella Jane Benjamin b. March 17, 1861.
1266. Martha Benjamin.
1267. Willson Benjamin b. May 27, 1852; d. November 22, 1881 at Lagro, Ind., age 29 yrs.

Resources: Wabash Co. History; Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.; Records of Susan K. Solloway of Huntington, Ind.

591. JOHN L./E. "Long John" BENJAMIN[7] (Jno.[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born May 31, 1815 in Penn.; the son of Jonathan and Leah (Acle) Benjamin; died August 4, 1891 (gs) and is buried in the Durell, Bradford Co., Penn. Cemetery. He married Mary --- who was born May 2, 1822 in Penn. and died April 4, 1893 and is buried with her husband.

He was a farmer and worth $1,000. in the 1850 census of Durell, Penn. Mary's will was dated April 3, 1893 and names children and grandchildren and was witnessed by Solon Benjamin.

Children of John and Mary (---) Benjamin:

*1268. Elias Benjamin b. 1841 in Durell, Penn.
1269. Harriet Benjamin bc. 1842.
1270. Clark Benjamin bc. 1844/5; prob. d. young.
*1271. Joshua Benjamin b. 1847 in Durell, Penn.
1272. George Warren Benjamin b. 1849.
*1273. Frank/Francis Benjamin b. 1852.
1274. Helen Benjamin b. 1859; d. 1897; m/1 --- Ayers; m/2 1887 Charles Benjamin.

1275. Polly Benjamin b. 1863; d. 1936; m/1 1888 Fred L. Benjamin b. 1868, d. 1892; m/2 June 7, 1899 Samuel Woodruff b. 1833. (See #1347 for carrydown)
1276. Pluma Benjamin b. 1862; m. 1886 Orlando Benjamin b. 1856. (See #1331 for carry down.)

Resources: Census records; research by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

593. JONATHAN BENJAMIN[7] (Jno.[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born May 4, 1819 in Penn.; the son of Jonathan and Leah (Acle) Benjamin; died April 29, 1892 (gs) and is buried in the Cole Cemetery between Towanda and Monroeton, Penn. He married Polly --- who was born about 1832 in Penn. and died December 17, 1874, age 42 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He was a farmer and located in the 1850 census at Durell, Bradford Co., Penn. Neither Jonathan or Polly could read or write.

Children of Jonathan and Polly (---) Benjamin:
*1277. Clark Benjamin b. 1855 in Bradford Co., Penn.
*1278. Elmer J. Benjamin b. 1867.
*1279. Andrew Benjamin b. June 15, 1869.
1280. Victor T. Benjamin b. March 5, 1871; d. May 25, 1888 (gs) and buried with parents.
1281. 3 daus.

Resources: Census records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

594. ROBERT BENJAMIN[7] (Jno.[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born either 1823 or 1826 (census) or 1830 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Jonathan and Leah (Acla) Benjamin; died in 1905. He married Debby Drake, who was born in 1834 in Penn.

They are located in the 1850 and 1860 census records of Asylum Twp., Bradford Co., Penn. and Robert could not read or write.

Children of Robert and Debby (Drake) Benjamin:
1281. Elisa/Elsie Benjamin bc. 1853 in Penn.
1282. Emily Benjamin bc. 1855.
1283. Clara Benjamin b. 1858.
*1284. Solon Benjamin bc. 1859.
1285. Abby Benjamin b. 1862.
1286. Olive Benjamin bc. 1864.
*1287. LeRoy (Tell) Benjamin b. 1867; m. December 5, 1892 Mary E. Benjamin b. 1875.
*1288. Enos Benjamin bc. 1873.

Resources: Census Records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

595. HENRY BENJAMIN[7] (Jno.[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1828/9 in Penn.; the son of Jonathan and Leah (Acla) Benjamin; died before 1900. He married Elizabeth Ackley, who was born in 1839 in Penn.

He was located in the 1860 census at Asylum Twp., Bradford Co., Penn.

Maggie Benjamin Johnson and her niece, Annie Benjamin Hicks, were murdered Sept. 18, 1904 and a quite sensational trial followed their deaths.

Children of Henry and Elizabeth (Ackley) Benjamin:

1289. Collins Benjamin bc. 1859/60 in Bradford Co., Pa.
*1290. Henry Benjamin b. 1863 at Bradford Co., Penn.
1291. Charles Benjamin bc. 1863/4; m. August 7, 1889 Susan Johnson b. 1868.
1292. Susie A. Benjamin b. 1876; m. November 17, 1897 James Hicks, b. 1873.
1293. Maggie A. Benjamin b. 1875; murdered Sept. 18, 1904 m. Sept. 1, 1900 Bigler Johnson, b. 1881. He was said to be the last man hung in Towanda, Pa. in 1905.
*1294. Asa Benjamin bc. 1881.

Resources: Census Records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.; material sent by Howard Eakling of Owego, N.Y.

596. MOSES BENJAMIN[7] (Jno.[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born either 1833 or 1836; the son of Jonathan and Leah (Acla) Benjamin; died in 1914. He married Mary Jane McCanna, who was born about 1843.

He was listed in the 1860 census of Asylum Twp., Bradford Co., Penn.

Children of Moses and Mary (McCanna) Benjamin:

*1295. William B. Benjamin bc. 1863 in Bradford Co., Penn.
1296. Eugene Benjamin bc. 1866.

Resources: Material via Howard Enkling of Owego, N.Y.; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

600. HARRY BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born April 27, 1811 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of John and Patty (Vincent) Benjamin; died May 2, 1872 and is buried in the Liberty Corners Cemetery. He married Marie A. Irvine. She was born April 8, 1828 and died April 27, 1903 and is buried with her husband.

He was listed in the 1850 census at Durell, Bradford Co., Penn.; was a farmer; and worth $3,000. In 1860 he was in Asylum Twp. and in 1830 in Monroe Twp.

Children of Harry and Marie (Irvine) Benjamin:

*1297. Edwin/Edward I. Benjamin bc. 1841.
*1298. George A./W. Benjamin bc. 1844 in Bradford Co., Pa.
1299. Mary H. Benjamin b. June 8, 1849; d. August 13,

1851 (gs) and buried with parents.

1300. Amelia Benjamin; unable to read grave stone.

1301. Marie Benjamin; unable to read grave stone.

1302. Adaline Benjamin b. 1852; m. Rudolph Bennett.

1303. Eliza A. Benjamin b. June 4, 1853; d. December 10, 1858 (gs); buried with parents.

*1304. Guy Carlton Benjamin bc. 1855.

1305. James W. Benjamin b. April 21, 1857; d. September 20, 1859 (gs) and buried with parents.

1306. Eliza Jane Benjamin bc. 1858.

1307. Hattie E. Benjamin b. January 2, 1859; d. February 19, 1860 (gs); buried with parents.

1308. William H. Benjamin bc. 1863; m. September 29, 1903 A'Delia Woosey, b. 1880.

*1309. Melville/Melvin K. Benjamin bc. 1866/7.

1310. Franklin W. Benjamin b. July 15, 1867; d. September 25, 1891 (gs); buried with parents.

Resources: Census records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

601. JOHN V./C. BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2]-[1]) born about 1813 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of John and Patty (Vincent) Benjamin. He married Elizabeth E. Bennett, the dau. of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Abbott) Bennett. She was born in 1815 in Durell, Penn.

He was a farmer and worth $3,000. in the 1850 census of Durell, Twp., and in the 1860 census of Asylum Twp., Bradford Co., Penn.

Benjamin Bennett was the son of Amos and Anna (Duncan) Bennett and a brother of Martha Bennett.

Children of John and Elizabeth (Bennett) Benjamin:

*1311. Alonzo Benjamin bc. 1838 in Bradford Co., Penn.

1312. Nelson Benjamin b. April 23, 1840 in Bradford Co., Penn.; died March 10, 1929; m. Margaret Jane McCloskey, dau. of William and Margaret (Webster) McCloskey on May 3, 1868 at Penova, Penn. He enlisted Sept. 1, 1863 in the 12th Regt. of N.Y. Calvary in the Civil War. (He was one of 4 brothers to serve in the Civil War.) He moved from Lock Haven, Penn in 1878 to Onawa, Monona Co., Iowa, where they raised 9 children.

1313. James W./M. Benjamin bc. 1842.

1314. George William Benjamin bc. 1843.

1315. Azora Benjamin bc. 1846.

1316. Elizabeth A. Benjamin bc. 1848.

1317. Myron Benjamin bc. 1849.

*1318. John A. Benjamin b. September 29, 1850 at Asylum.

1319. Margaret Benjamin bc. 1854.

*1320. Daniel T. Benjamin b. January 28, 1856.

Resources: Census Records; Records of Mrs. Loretta Johnson

of Vermillion, S.D.; p. 4 Twigs from Family Trees; Research of Howard Enkling and F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

602. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1820 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of John and Patty (Vincent) Benjamin; died in 1899. He married Martha N. ---, bc. 1827 in Penn.

He was located in the 1860 census at Asylum Twp., Bradford Co., Penn.

Children of Samuel and Martha (---) Benjamin:

1321. Mary Jane Benjamin bc. 1857 in Bradford Co., Penn.; m. 1886 John Corner, b. 1853.
*1322. Samuel Benjamin b. 1858 in Bradford Co., Penn.
1323. Jesse Benjamin bc. 1859 or 1844 in Penn.
1324. Joseph Benjamin bc. 1846.
*1325. Lorenzo M. Benjamin bc. 1861 in Penn.
?1326. Ellen Benjamin.
?1327. Fay Benjamin.

Resources: Census records; Research of Howard Enkling and F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

603. SOLON BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1824/5 (census) or 1817 (gs) in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of John and Patty (Vincent) Benjamin; died January 11, 1902, age 85 (gs). He married Lucinda ---, who was bc. 1825 in Penn. He may have m/2 Margaret A. Wood, born 1844 and died 1895.

Children of Solon and Lucinda (---) Benjamin:

1328. Charity/Christy Benjamin bc. 1846 in Penn.
1329. Wellington Benjamin bc. 1848.
1330. Philo or Phebe Benjamin bc. 1850.
*1331. Orlando Benjamin bc. 1856/7
1332. Sarah Benjamin bc. 1859.
1333. William Benjamin.

Children of Solon and Margaret (Wood) Benjamin:

1334. Leonard Benjamin b. 1877; d. 1877.
1335. Rosella Benjamin b. 1878; d. 1878.
1336. Evaline Benjamin b. 1879; d. 1879.
*1337. Fredrick F. Benjamin b. 1880.
1338. Zelphia Benjamin b. 1882; d. 1965; m. --- Elliott.
1339. Mary Benjamin b. 1894; d.1895.

He was in the 1850 census of Durell and was worth $1,000. and in the 1860 census of Asylum, Bradford Co, Pa.

Resources: Census records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin and Howard Enkling of Owego, N.Y.

604. JEHIAL BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1], born about 1826 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of John

and Patty (Vincent) Benjamin. He married Clarissa ---, who was born about 1830 in Penn.

In the 1860 census he resided in Asylum Twp., Bradford Co., Penn.

Children of Jehial and Clarisa (---) Benjamin:
1340. Joseph Benjamin bc. 1853/4 in Penn.

Resources: Census records.

610. LEVI BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1831 or 1833 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of John and Patty (Vincent) Benjamin; died September 18, 1893 age 62 in Bradford Co, Penn. (vr). He married Clarissa ---, who was born about 1836 in Penn. and died in 1896.

Children of Levi and Clarissa (---) Benjamin:
1341. Ezra Benjamin bc. 1861 in Bradford Co., Penn.; m/1 ?; m/2 Feb. 10, 1913 Mary Bailey b. 1861.
1342. Joseph E. Benjamin b. 1856.
1343. Israel Benjamin.

Resources: Census records; research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

613. CHARLES BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1824 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of David and Hannah (Johnson) Benjamin; died June 29, 1898 (gs) and is buried in the Durell Cemetery. He m/1 Almira (Alvira/Ariena) ---, who was born in 1841 in Penn. and died April 7, 1883, age 42 (gs) and is buried with her husband. He m/2 Helen (Benjamin) Ayres on September 29, 1887, the dau. of John and Mary (---) Benjamin. She was born in 1857 and died June 18, 1897.

Charles was listed in the 1860 census records of Asylum Twp., Bradford Co., Penn.

Helen's will (#11-542) named dau. Nettie May Ayers, sons: Cleveland, Harry and Georgia??? Appoints Frank A. Benjamin to look after her dau. and was witnessed by G. W. Benjamin.

Children of Charles and Almira (---) Benjamin:
1344. Emma Benjamin b. 1857/8; m. Clark Heath.
1345. David Benjamin bc. 1859/60; m. August 31, 1895 Grace Powers, b. 1881.
*1346. Charles Meade Benjamin bc. 1866.
*1347. Fred/Frederick L. Benjamin bc. 1868/70.

Children of Charles and Helen (Benjamin Ayers) Benjamin:
1348. Cleveland Benjamin bc. 1892; m/1 ?; m/2 Emma--- b. 1907. Children: Mildred Benjamin, m. --- Champange; Alma Benjamin b. 1931, d. 1955, m. --- Hickey.
1349. Harry Benjamin b. 1894.
1350. Georgia or George Benjamin b. 1896; d. 1957.

Resources: Census Records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin and Howard Enkling of Owego, N.Y.

614. GEORGE W. BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born November 21, 1835 at Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of David and Hannah (Johnson) Benjamin; died in 1901 and is buried in the Durell Cemetery. He married Arminna/Ariena/Ormine ---, who was born September 26, 1838 and died August 4, 1905 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Armina's will (#15-306) names 7 children.

He was listed in the 1860 census at Asylum, Bradford Co., Penn.

Children of George and Arminna (---) Benjamin:

1351. Victoria Benjamin bc. 1859/60 in Bradford Co., Penn.
1352. Lola Benjamin bc. 1868; m. July 11, 1887 William Cole, b. 1863.
1353. Nora Benjamin; m. --- Acla.
1354. Mary Benjamin bc. 1864/5; m. November 5, 1888 Uriah Acla, b. 1861.
1355. Eliza Benjamin; m. --- Grippen.
1356. Cora Benjamin bc. 1873; m. January 16, 1890 George Kilmer, b. 1869.
*1357. Lloyd/Floyd S. Benjamin bc. 1870.
1358. Flora May Benjamin bc. 1876; m. January 23, 1897 Melvin K. Benjamin, b. 1867, son of Harry and Maria (---) Benjamin. (See #1309 for carry down.)

Resources: Census Records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin and Howard Enkling of Owego, N.Y.

618. RICHARD BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born December 12, 1845 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of David and Hannah (Johnson) Benjamin. He is buried in the Durell Cemetery, with no grave stone. He married Hetty or Hattie ---, who was born in 1849 and died 1903 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Children of Richard and Hetty (---) Benjamin:

*1359. W. Melvin Benjamin bc. 1869 in Bradford Co., Penn.
1360. May Benjamin bc. 1882; m. November 29, 1899 to Bigler Vargason b. 1877.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

620. MATHIAS/MATHEW MATHIAS BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1851 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of David and Hannah (Johnson) Benjamin; died in 1906. He married Ida ---(perhaps Borden).

Children of Mathias and Ida (Borden) Benjamin:

1361. David Benjamin bc. 1898.
1362. Martha Benjamin b. 1888; m. 1916 Charles Teasdale.

622. SIMON BENJAMIN[7] (Peter[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1818 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Peter and Huldah (Miller) Benjamin. He married Meny or Mary --- who was born about 1820 in Penn.

Durell assessments for 1844 list property for two Simon Benjamins. In 1837 there was an assessment against Simeon Benjamin.

Children of Simon and Mary (---) Benjamin:
1363. Alexander Benjamin bc. 1842 in Penn.
?1364. Henry Benjamin bc. 1849.
1365. Simeon Benjamin bc. 1848.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

628. WILLIAM MORGAN/MORGAN W. BENJAMIN[7] (Peter[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1832 in Bradford Co., Penn. the son of Peter and Huldah (Miller) Benjamin. He married Jane ---, who was born in 1833.

Children of William and Jane (---) Benjamin:
1366. Martha Benjamin bc. 1852.
1367. Sarah Benjamin bc. 1867.
1368. Alexander Benjamin bc. 1874.
1369. Ira Phillip Benjamin bc. 1879.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

630. PETER BENJAMIN[7] (Peter[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1848 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Peter and Huldah (Miller) Benjamin; married Mary ---.

Children of Peter and Mary (---) Benjamin:
1370. Emma S. Benjamin b. 1870; m. October 2, 1891 to Charles H. Darling, at Bradford Co. Penn. (vr).

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

631. DAVID BENJAMIN[7] (Jesse[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born April 3, 1832 at Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Jesse and Hannah (---) Benjamin; died December 2, 1898/9. He m/1 Mary Dull or Mary Cahill. She was born December 23, 1836 and died May 4, 1890. He m/2 Harriet Welch on June 18, 1892 at Towanda, Penn. (vr). She was born 1857.

Children of David and Mary (Dull) Benjamin:
*1371. DeWitt Benjamin b. January 16, 1854 at Bradford Co.
*1372. Emma Lovina Benjamin b. July 14, 1856.
1373. Clara Benjamin b. July 11, 1858; d. Mrch. 11, 1859.
1374. David Benjamin b. August 31, 1860; d. Aug. 1, 1839.
1375. Edith Benjamin b. May 30, 1862; d. June 15, 1918.
*1376. Isaac L. Benjamin b. April 22, 1866.
1377. Robert Benjamin a twin, b. October 28, 1867; d. January 18, 1916; m. Dec. 21, 1891 Clara Phelps.
1378. Herbert Benjamin, a twin, b. October 28, 1867.

1379. Rose Benjamin b. May 22, 1870; d. Nov. 20, 1910.
1380. Harry Benjamin b. April 29, 1872; d. Sept. 9, 1879.
1381. Mary (Molly) Benjamin b. May 17, 1875; m. --- Waltman.
1382. Bertha Benjamin b. December 16, 1876; d. September 15, 1965; m. July 26, 1897 Orrin E. Frounfelker at Bradford Co., Penn. (vr).
1383. Willie Benjamin b. August 25, 1880; d.March 12,1887.
1384. Stella Benjamin b. April 29, 1883; d. March 12, 1887
1385. Charles Benjamin b. 1894.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Eloise Dorman of Tuscon, Ariz.; Bradford Co. vital records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

632. HARRY S. BENJAMIN[7] (Jesse[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1834 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Jesse and Hannah (---) Benjamin. He married Harriet ---.

Children of Harry and Harriet (---) Benjamin:
*1386. Orren/Orlando/Orrin Benjamin b. 1862 In Bradford Co.
1387. Jason Benjamin bc. 1864.
1388. James Benjamin bc. 1866.
*1389. Clark E. Benjamin bc. 1868.
1390. Cora Benjamin b. 1876; d. May 26, 1894, age 18 (gs) and buried in the Durell Cemetery.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

637. SYLVANUS BENJAMIN[7] (Joshua[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1821 or 1828 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Joshua and Abigail (---) Benjamin. He married Clarissa ---, who was born in 1829.

He was a farmer and resided in Durell, Bradford Co., Penn. in the 1850 census.

Children of Sylvanus and Clarissa (---) Benjamin:
1391. Ezra Benjamin bc. 1854; m. January 29, 1888 Julia Miller, who was bc. 1844.

Resources: Census Records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

640. RICHARD BENJAMIN[7] (Joshua[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1825 or 1827 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Joshua and Abigail (---) Benjamin. He married Catherine ---, who was born about 1820 in New York and died in 1900.

He was a farmer and resided in Durell Twp., Bradford Co., Penn. in 1850.

Children of Richard and Catherine (---) Benjamin:
1392. Ophelia Benjamin bc. 1849 in Penn.

Resource: Census records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

641. EDWIN BENJAMIN[7] (Joshua[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1826 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Joshua and Abigail (---) Benjamin. He married Abigail ----, who was born about 1826 in Penn.

He was a farmer and resided in Durell Twp., Bradford Co., Penn. in the 1850 census.

Children of Edwin and Abigail (---) Benjamin:
1393. M. A. Benjamin (female) bc. 1847 in Penn.
*1394. Charles E. Benjamin bc. 1849 in Penn.

Resources: Census records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

?646. JOHN BENJAMIN[7] (James[6], Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born between 1790 and 1800 probably in Orange Co., New York; a possible son of James and Phoebe(Cahoon) Benjamin. His death date is unknown, as is his marriage. However, he may be the John Benjamin who married Merie Hudson on December 13, 1821 at Blooming Grove, N.Y. (vr).

He is located in the 1830 census of Blooming Grove, Orange Co., N.Y.

Children of John Benjamin:
1395. 1 male b. 1810-15.
1396. 1 male b. 1815-20.
1397. 1 female b. 1820-25.
1398. 1 female b. 1825-30.
1399. 2 males b. 1825-30.

Resource: Census records.

647. STEPHEN H. BENJAMIN[7] (James[6], Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born March 19, 1800 at Blooming Grove, Orange Co., N.Y.; the son of James and Phebe (Cohoon) Benjamin; died in 1871. He married Magdalen Forshee on September 15, 1825. She was the dau. of Abraham and Hannah Forshee and was born December 7, 1808 at Warwick, N.Y. and died October 8, 1883 at Tyrone, Schuyler Co., N.Y. and is buried in the Tyron, N.Y. Union Cemetery.

There is a Stepeh A./H. Benjamin listed in the 1830 census of Newburg, Orange Co., N.Y.

Magdalen's will is located in Book 8 p. 362 of Tyrone, Schuyler Co. Probate.

Children of Stephen and Magdalen (Forshee) Benjamin:
*1400. Cornelius Benjamin bc. 182/9.
1401. Elizabeth Benjamin b. 1830; d. 1833.
*1402. William Henry Benjamin b. 1832.
1403. Jane H. Benjamin b. 1835; m. 1860 Abiathar B. Doane, b. 1839.
*1404. Daniel F. Benjamin b. 1834/6.
*1405. Thomas Parker Benjamin b. February 20, 1838 at Marlboro, Ulster Co., N.Y.
1406. Catherine E. Benjamin b. 1841.

1407. Abraham Forshee Benjamin b. Jan. 27, 1843; d. Dec. 30, 1848 (gs); buried in Union Cem. at Tyrone, NY
*1408. Howard Benjamin b. 1845.
1409. David Forshee Benjamin b. 1848; d. 1865 (gs) and buried in the Union Cemetery at Tyrone, N.Y.
1410. Adelaid Benjamin b. 1850; d. March 13, 1873 (gs) and buried in the Union Cemetery.
1411. A. Freemont Benjamin b. 1854.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin, from a book owned by Iva J. Benjamin Houck, dau. of Howard H. Benjamin.

?648. RICHARD BENJAMIN[7] (James[6], Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born between 1800 and 1810; a possible son of James and Phoebe (Cohoon) Benjamin. His wife is unknown, b. 1810-15.
He is listed in the 1840 census of Blooming Grove, N.Y.

Children of Richard Benjamin:
1412. 1 male b. 1825-30.
1413. 1 female b. 1825-30.

Resources: Census records.

657. FRANCIS TUTHILL BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born February 8, 1806 at Blooming Grove, Orange Co., NY; the son of David and Charity (Tuthill) Benjamin; died Mar. 22, 1866. He married Sarah ---(perh. Snider), born 1807.
He was in the 1830 and 1850 census of Blooming Grove, Orange Co., N.Y. Letters of Administration are on file--#L-91.

Children of Francis and Sarah (---) Benjamin:
1414. Seth W. Benjamin bc. 1830.
1414. Grant B. Benjamin bc. 1831.
1414. David Benjamin bc. 1841 (of Blooming Grove--seems to be only son alive in 1866.)

Resources: Census and Probate Records.

659. JAMES EGBERT BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born May 3, 1810 at Blooming Grove, Orange Co., New York; the son of David and Charity (Tuthill) Benjamin; died April 26, 1881. He married December 2, 1835 Ruth Howell Stewart at Blooming Grove, N.Y. She was born in 1813.
He was located in the 1860 census of Angola, Cornwall, Orange Co., N.Y.

Children of James and Ruth (Stewart) Benjamin:
1415. Townsend Benjamin b. January 23, 1839; d. July 22, 1888; unmarried.
1416. Ruth Ann Benjamin b. March 2, 1843, d. June 19, 1891; unmarried.
1417. Egbert B. Benjamin b. August 15, 1847; d. January 1872.

1418. Mary E./C. Benjamin b. August 8, 1851.
1419. Ezra (Zina) Benjamin b. April 30, 1857; d. October 28, 1941; m. Lillie Barnes. Issue:
1. Egbert Benjamin b. April 25, 1896; d. October 11, 1918 in World War I; unm.
2. Mildred Benjamin b. March 15, 1900 at Mountainville, N.Y.; now resided at Monroe, Orange Co., N.Y.

Miss Ruth Ann Benjamin joined the church on confession of faith on March 1862 at the First Presby. Church of Monroe, Orange Co., N.Y. (cr).

Resources: Census records; Records of Mrs. Olive Nozell of Monroe, N.Y.

661. HECTOR BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born November 20, 1815 at Orange Co., N.Y.; the son of David and Charity (Tuthill) Benjamin. He married, but his wife's name is unknown. She was born 1810-20.

He was listed in the 1840 census of Blooming Grove, Orange Co., N.Y.

Children of Hector Benjamin:
1420. 1 female b. 1835-40.

Resources: Census records.

662. HORACE TUTHILL BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born May 20, 1817 in Orange Co., New York; the son of David and Charity (Tuthill) Benjamin; died in 1897 at Salisbury Mills, New York. He m/1 Synthia Conklin on July 8, 1841 at the First Presby. Church of Monroe, Orange Co., N.Y. She was born 1810-20. He m/2 Mary W. ---, who was born in 1819 in N.Y.

He resided in 1840 and 1850 in Blooming Grove and in 1860 at Canterbury, Cornwall, both in Orange Co., N.Y. In 1850 he is living with an Uncle, Horace Tuthill b. 1792. In the 1860 census he has Daniel Benjamin (b. 1786) and Mary Benjamin (same age) living with him.

Children of Horace and Synthia (Conklin) Benjamin:
?1421. Samuel Benjamin bc. 1841. (not listed in 1850).
*1422. Annanias/Annias Benjamin b. December 2, 1843.
1423. Georgianna Benjamin bc. 1845; m. --- Kirk.

Children of Horace and Mary (---) Benjamin:
1424. Mary Benjamin bc. 1850.
1425. Phebe Benjamin bc. 1859.

Resources: Census records; Tuttle-Tuthill Lines in Am., Ava Tuttle, 1968.

671. MARY B. BENJAMIN[7] (Abraham[6], Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born May 29, 1823 at Blooming Grove, Orange Co., New York;

the dau. of Abraham and Esther (Coleman) Benjamin; died September 21, 1901 (gs) and is buried in the Bethleham Cemetery in Cornwall, Orange Co., N.Y. She married Edward W. Cleeves on November 24, 1847. He was born June 3, 1821 and died April 30, 1891 (gs) and is buried with his wife.

Children of Edward and Mary (Benjamin) Cleeves:
1426. William Abraham Cleeves; had 8 children.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

672. EDWARD BENJAMIN[7] (Abraham[6], Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born April 8, 1824 in Orange Co., New York; the son of Abraham and Esther (Coleman) Benjamin; died May 15, 1851, age 27-1-7 (gs) and is buried in the Presby. Church Yard at Owego, Tioga Co., New York. He married Phoebe A. Thompson on November 2, 1847. She was born April 24, 182?. and is buried with her husband.

Children of Edward and Phoebe (Thompson) Benjamin:
1427. Abraham Thompson Benjamin; resided at Albany, N.Y.

Resources: Wilson Papers.

673. NATHAN BENJAMIN[7] (Abraham[6], Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born June 27, 1825 in Orange Co., New York; the son of Abraham and Esther (Coleman) Benjamin. He m/1 Mary B. Cleanwater/Cleanvater/Clearwater on February 22, 1849. She was born in 1830. He m/2 Elizabeth Embler.

He is listed in the 1860 census at BloomingGrove, Orange Co., New York. He also lived at Newburgh, N.Y.

Children of Nathan and Mary (Cleanwater) Benjamin:
1428. Clarles Benjamin b. 1851 at Blooming Grove, N.Y.; m. October 25, 1887 to Lillian Cobb b. 1865, the dau.of Alfred and Sarah Elizabeth (Sackett) Cobb. Issue:
1. Ethel Marguerite Benjamin b. Sept. 20, 1889.
2. Clifford Boese Benjamin b. Dec. 16, 1891.
3. Florence Valentine Benjamin b. Nov. 30, 1903.
1429. Nella H. Benjamin bc. 1853.
1430. Clara A. Benjamin b. 1857.
1431. Caroline Benjamin. (May be the above Clara.)

Children of Nathan and Elizabeth (Embler) Benjamin:
1432. Jesse S. Benjamin; m. Mattie Coe b. 1830, the 4th child of John M. and Hannah (Moore) Coe.
1433. Mary Benjamin.

Resources: Wilson Papers; p. 434 Sacketts of Am., Charles Weygard, 1907; p. 333 Robert Coe, Puritan, J. Gardiner Bartlett, 1911.

680. JAMES/?JOSEPH BENJAMIN[7] (Colville[6], Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born between 1810-15 in Orange Co., New York; the son

Colville and Jemima (Coleman) Benjamin. He married Hannah Ann Roberts. She was born March 15, 1813.

In one source, he was refered to as Joseph Benjamin. He resided in Jersey City, New Jersey.

Children of James and Hannah (Roberts) Benjamin:

1434. Elisha Benjamin.
1435. Ruth Benjamin; m. --- Garrison.
1436. Walter Benjamin; m. June 14, 1862 Manilla Green Roberts. There is a grave in the Monroe Cemetery for Manilla Benjamin d. March 5, 1863, age 7 mos. 7 days., dau. of W. and M. Benjamin.
1437. Mary Benjamin; m. James Harry Buchanan.
1438. Charles Benjamin.

Records of Mrs. Edwin Nozell of Monroe, N.Y.

684. SILAS BENJAMIN[7] (Silas[6-5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1805/6 in Orange Co., New York; the son of Silas and Nancy (Satterly) Benjamin. He married Julia A. Mather of Orange Co., N.Y. on January 18, 1822. She was the dau. of John Mather and was born September 19, 1806 and died October 7, 1863.

He was listed in the 1850 census of Morris Twp., Morris Co., New Jersey, and was a blacksmith.

Children of Silas and Julia (Mather) Benjamin:

1439. Frances L. Benjamin b. September 23, 1828.
1440. William A. Benjamin b. August 12, 1829.
1441. John M. Benjamin b. January 31, 1831.
1442. Harriet E. Benjamin b. October 15, 1832; d. March 12, 1834 and buried in the First Preby. Church Yard at Morristown, N.J.
1443. Harriet E. Benjamin b. 1835.
1444. James L. Benjamin b. 1837.
1445. Daniel Benjamin b. 1841; had a son James H. Benjamin, who had a only son Henry Benjamin b. July 12, 1895 at Boonton, N.J., m. Madalane and had 4 children.
1446. Ann Benjamin b. 1842.
1447. Ellen Benjamin b. 1845.

Resources: Census Records; p. 319 Lineage of Richard Mather, Horace E. Mather, 1890.

699. ESTHER/HESTER BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], John[5], Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born August 25, 1804 at either New York or Penn.; the dau. of Samuel and --- (McCutchan) Benjamin; died in 1881. She married John McCutchan on May 16, 1822. He was born in 1803 in Ireland and died in 1840.

They settled north of Evansville, Indiana.

Children of John and Esther (Benjamin) McCutchan:

1448. Ann Desire McCutchan b. October 6, 1824; d. young.
1449. Sarah Bond McCutchan b. January 22, 1827.

1450. Samuel Benjamin McCutchan b. December 25, 1828.
1451. William Joseph McCutchan b. September 30, 1830.
1452. Ann Desire McCutchan b. December 14, 1833.
1453. John Henderson McCutchan b. December 15, 1834; d.y.
1454. John Lindsley McCutchan b. May 30, 1836.
1455. Esther Parny McCutchan b. July 29, 1838.
1456. Ruth Eliza McCutchan b. November 20, 1839; d. April 10, 1903; m. John Crisp b. 1838, d. 1868.

Resources: Records of Mrs. John Schroeder of Evansville, Indiana.

700. ELLSWORTH BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], John[5], Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1805 prob. in Orange Co., New York; the son of Samuel and --- (McCutchan) Benjamin. He married Mary Matison.

He resided at Mt. Pleasant, Penn.

Children of Ellsworth and Mary (Matison) Benjamin:
1457. Ellsworth B. Benjamin b. February 4, 1835 at Pleasant Mount, Penn.; d. March 22, 1906; m. September 1, 1857 Eleanor Rouse, dau.of George and Sally Ann (Dilts) Rouse b. Jan. 10, 1834, d. April 22, 1923.

Resource: p. 84 Shafer-Huston Fam. Hist., Francis Marvin, 1955.

744. NATHAN/ELNATHAN BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Nathan[5], Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born October 7, 1815 in Tompkins Co., New York; the son of John and Elizabeth (Van Gilder) Benjamin; died March 16, 1909 (gs) and is buried in the Van Ettan Cemetery at Chemung Co., New York. He m/1 Jane Smith and m/2 Mary --- who was born 1818 in New York and died 1895 (gs).

He was listed in the 1850 census at Danby, Tompkins Co New York.

Children of Nathan and Jane (Smith) Benjamin:
1458. Levi A./Anderson Benjamin or Anderson L. Benjamin b. 1841; d. April 11, 1868, age 26-7-16 (gs) and buried in the Denton Burying Grounds of Danby, NY m. Mary A. Armstrong b. 1841, d. 1866 (gs) and had a dau. Alice Benjamin bc. 1866.
1459. Sarah R. Benjamin b. 1844; d. Nov.10, 1848, age 4-2-25 and buried in the Denton Cemetery at Danby.
1460. Margaret A. Benjamin b. 1847; d. 1861.

Children of Nathan and Mary (---) Benjamin:
1461. John Benjamin b. 1850; d. 1861.
1462. Isaac Benjamin b. 1852; d. 1861.
1463. Mary Benjamin b. 1856.
1464. Susan Benjamin b. 1859; d. 1861.
1465. Josephine Benjamin bc. 1865.

Resources: p. 289 Vol. 54 N.Y. Gen. and Biog. Record; Cen-

sus records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, NY

749. HIRAM JEROME BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Nathan[5], Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1834 in Tompkins Co., New York; the son of John and Elizabeth (Van Gilder) Benjamin; died December 6, 1886 at Elkhart, Indiana and is buried in the Wakeman Cemetery. He m/1 Adaline Cummings on March 1855 at Danby, New York. She was born October 1840 and died January 21, 1875 (gs) and is buried in the Curtis Cemetery at Danby, Tompkins Co., N.Y. He m/2 Mrs. Martha J. Sissond. She died February 18, 1917 in Florida.

Children of Hiram and Adaline (Cummings) Benjamin:
1466. Augusta Benjamin b. 1857; m. --- Hammond.
1467. Elizabeth (Ida) M. Cummings Benjamin b. 1865.
1468. Minnie Artie Benjamin b. July 16, 1871; d. September 5, 1941; buried in the Plesant Union Cemetery at Old Fort, Ohio; m. October 25, 1890 Samuel Gibson b. 1868, d. 1931. Issue:
1. Corrine Gibson; m. Robert Boehler of Gary, Indiana.

Resources: Research oand records of Mrs. Robert Boehler of Wayne, Ind.

755. DAVID N. BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Nathan[5], Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1832 perhaps is Sussex Co., New Jersey; the son of David Benjamin; died 1868 at Big Flatts, Chemung Co., New York. He married Susan ---, who was born in 1837 in N.Y. She m/2 Nathan Benjamin, an uncle. (See #267.)

Children of David and Susan (---) Benjamin:
1469. Martha Benjamin b. 1867.
1470. William Benjamin bc. 1869.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

759. ANDREW BENJAMIN[7] (Robert[6], Nathan[5], Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born October 6, 1819/20 in Sussex Co., New Jersey; the son of Robert D. Benjamin. He died August 24, 1904, age 85 yrs. (gs) and is buried in Tuscarora, New York. He married Mary Jane Hayes on March 1843. She was born January 2, 1826 and died November 8, 1864. He m/2 Maria Mariah Stratton of Owego, N.Y. She was born in 1843 at Tioga, N.Y. and died in 193?. Apparently she m/1 --- Menard or Maynard and m/2 --- Gould. She had Charles Menard bc. 1862 in Tioga, N.Y. and Elmer Gould bc. 1866 in Tioga, N.Y.

Children of Andrew and Mary (Hayes) Benjamin:
1471. George Benjamin bc. 1846.
1472. Fanny Benjamin bc. 1849; d. 1894; m. Jeremiah Gordon.
1473. Mary Frances Benjamin bc. 1851; m. Almond Newell bc. 1851

1474. Elizabeth Ann Benjamin bc. 1854.
*1475. Joel Benjamin bc. 1857/8.
1476. Sophronia Benjamin bc. 1860; m/1 --- Hill; m/2 --- Burleson.
1477. Warren Benjamin bc. 1864; d. November 26, 1865.

Children of Andrew and Mary (Stratton) Benjamin:
1478. Reuben P. Benjamin b. 1872; d. 1954.
1479. Susan Benjamin b. 1874; d. 1926; m. Nelson Stuart.
*1480. Oscar Benjamin b. 1877.
He was listed in the 1880 census of Tuscarora, Steuben Co., New York and in the Steuben Co. Directory in 1868/9 at South Addison as a farmer.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

765. JOHN BENJAMIN[7] (Nathan[6-5], Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born November 23, 1823 (or 1827) in either New Jersey or in Chemung Co., N.Y.; the son of Nathan and Anna (Boyer) Benjamin; died in 1897 at Chemung Co., New York. He married Mary A. Platt, who was born in 1831 and died in 1914. She was the dau. of Stephen F. Platts.
He was a member of Co. 1, 15th N.Y. Volunteers during the Civil War.

Children of John and Mary (Platts) Benjamin:
1481. Stephen Lorenzo Benjamin b. 1853; d. 1914.
1482. Charles F. Benjamin b. 1855; d. 1942.
1483. William C. Benjamin bc. 1857/8; resided at Grand Rapids, Michigan.
1484. Helen Adaline Benjamin bc. 1865; d. 1951; unm.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Robert Boehler of Wayne, Ind.; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

767. ROBERT BENJAMIN[7] (Nathan[6-5], Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1827 in New Jersey; the son of Nathan and Anna (Boyer) Benjamin; died April 20, 1911 and is buried in the Van Etten Cemetery in Chemung Co., New York. He m/1 Elizabeth ---, perhpas Sarah E. Patchins, who was born in 1831. He m/2 Harriet ---, who died in 1922.

Children of Robert and Sarah (Patchins) Benjamin:
1485. William Franklin Benjamin b. 1851; d. 1943 (gs) and buried in the Spencer Cemetery; m/1 Mertie L. Blake b. 1862, d. 1915; m/2 Elenora Georgia b. 1853, d. 1923 (gs). Issue:
1. Robert T. Benjamin b. 1880; d. 1960; m. Carrie E. --- b. 1889, d. 1948.
2. Warren C. Benjamin b. 1881; d. 1944; m. Edith M. --- b. 1885.
3. Bessie E. Benjamin b. 1883; d. 1937; m. Maj. R. Ford.
1486. Sarah Ann Benjamin b. 1855; d. 1856.

1487. Ada J. Benjamin bc. 1858.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Robert Boehler of Wayne, Ind.; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

768. SAMUEL C. BENJAMIN[7] (Nathan[6-5], Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born September 6, 1829; the son of Nathan and Anna (Boyer) Benjamin; died January 11, 1906 in Chemung Co., New York. He married Minerva ---, born 1833.

Children of Samuel and Minerva (---) Benjamin:
1488. Cora Benjamin bc. 1871; m. --- Fitzpatrick or Fitzgerald.
1489. Eva Benjamin bc. 1874; m. --- Miller.

Resources: Research of Mrs. Robert Boehler of Wayne, Ind. and F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

775. LEWIS CONDICT BENJAMIN[7] (Stout[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born February 1807 in New Jersey; the son of Stout and Hannah (Peck) Benjamin; died September 15, 1883, age 76 at Morristown, Morris Co., New Jersey (First Presby. cr). He married Jane S. Jennings on January 26, 1832 at Morris Co., N.J. (vr). She was the dau. of Jesse Jennings and was born about 1805 in New York and died April 21, 1864, age 59.

He was listed in the 1840 and 1850 census records of Hanover, Morris Co., New Jersey and was a blacksmith.

Children of Lewis and Jane (Jennings) Benjamin:
1490. Jesse S. Benjamin bc. 1832 in New York; m. Martha A. ---. He was confirmed March 1891.
1491. Hannah Jane or Sarah Jane Benjamin b. 1834 in New York; d. March 3, 1887, age 53, unm. She was confirmed May 25, 1858.

Resources: Census records; Church records.

777. WILLIAM BENJAMIN[7] (Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born March 4, 1790 in Maryland; the son of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Barnes) Benjamin; died May 28, 1877 at Madison Co., Ohio. He married Clarissa (Waldo) Curtis on March 19, 1829 at Madison Co., Ohio. (vr). She was born in 1801 in New York; died November 1881 at Madison Co., Ohio.

He was listed in the 1830 census at Pleasant Twp., Madison Co., Ohio and in the 1840 and 1850 census at Fairfield Twp., Madison Co., Ohio.

Children of William and Clarissa (Waldo Curtis) Benjamin:
1492. Herrick Benjamin b. 1829; d. November 12, 1861 at Gallipolis, Ohio of camp fever. He was a member of the 26th Ohio Volunteers in the Civil War.
*1493. Joseph Benjamin b. January 31, 1832 at Fairfield Twp., Madison Co., Ohio.

1494. Amy Benjamin bc. 1825-30; m. --- Seuver.

Resources: Records of Dr. Mabel Nelson and Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

779. HERRICK BENJAMIN[7] (Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born in Maryland; the son of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Barnes) Benjamin. The name of his wife is unknown, but she was born 1800-10.

He was listed in the 1830 census of Fairfield Twp., Madison Co., Ohio.

Children of Herrick Benjamin:

1495. Mary Benjamin b. 1820-25; m. --- Thompson.
1496. Martha Benjamin b. 1820-25; m. Bill Nutter.
1497. Margaret Benjamin b. 1825-30; m/1 Sam Prior; m/2 Jim Hite.
1498. Elizabeth Benjamin.
1499. William Benjamin.
1500. Hannah Benjamin; m. John Pryor; resided in Leon, Iowa. Issue: Herrick, died young; Leroy; Wayne; Frank; Hallack; Allen; George; Leilia; and Naomi.

Resources: Records of Dr. P. Mabel Benjamin and records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

780. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[7] (Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1803 in Maryland; the son of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Barnes) Benjamin; died between 1870-1874 and is buried in the National Cemetery at Liberty, Illinois. He m/1 Eleanor McLane on May 10, 1825 at Madison Co., Ohio. (vr). She was born in 1804 in Ohio and was still living in 1880 at Triplett, Missouri. They were divorced. He m/2 Arthia Malinda (Brown) Fisher on October 15, 1848. She was born in 1818 and died in Illinois.

He was a farmer and was listed in the 1830 census at Pleasant Twp., Madison Co., Ohio and in the 1840 census at Fairfield Twp., Madison Co., Ohio and in the 1850 census in Withe Co., Dist. #130, Indiana and in the 1860 census in Wythe Twp., Hancock Co., Indiana.

Eleanor and her children are listed in the 1850 census of Fairfield Twp., Madison Co., Ohio.

Children of Samuel and Eleanor (McLane) Benjamin:

*1501. Phebe Ann Benjamin b. March 11, 1826 at Big Plains, Madison Co., Ohio.
*1502. John J. Benjamin bc. 1829 in Ohio.
1503. Elizabeth E. Benjamin b. 1831 in Ohio.
1504. Sarah A. Benjamin b. 1832 in Ohio.
1505. Philip Miller Benjamin b. 1835; m. January 19, 1872; m. Jane Owrey; was a life long invalid from being a prisoner of war. He made a final pension application in 1887.
1506. Francis/Frank W. Benjamin b. October 14, 1837 in

Ohio; died September 18, 1918; unmarried; served in the Civil War.

1507. Malissa M. Benjamin b. 1839 in Ohio.

1508. Martha Jane Benjamin b. 1842 in Ohio; last record was that she was living with her mother in Woodville, Adams Co., Illinois in 1870.

1509. David/Daniel W. Benjamin b. 1844 in Ohio; also living with mother in 1870, and with Philip and Francis in Woodville, Illinois.

Children of Samuel and Arthia (Brown Fisher) Benjamin:

*1510. Mary Benjamin b. August 17, 1849 in Indiana.

1511. Abel H. Benjamin b. February 28, 1851 in Indiana; d. September 21, 1880 in Illinois; Abel Herrick Benjamin, under the name Herrick Benjamin m. Elizabeth Allison on February 2, 1878. He died of typhoid fever in Adams Co., Illinois.

*1512. Henry Hezekiah Benjamin b. September 27, 1852 in White Co., Indiana.

1513. Rebecca Benjamin b. 1855 in Indiana.

1514. Samuel Welch Benjamin b. 1856 in White Co., Indiana d. in Illinois; m. Rebecca Ellen Laughlin; had 2 children.

1515. Malinda J. Benjamin b. 1860 in Indiana.

Resources: Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.; Records of Ferne Lubbers of Springfield, Ohio.

781. ELIZABETH BENJAMIN[7] (Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born June 23, 1801 in Maryland; the dau. of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Barnes) Benjamin; died May 21, 18?? in Ohio and is buried in the Mt. Sterling Cemetery. She married Jonathan Milton Briley on May 21, 1820 at Madison Co., Ohio. (vr). He was born October 1, 1796.

Children of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Briley:

1516. William Jackson Briley b. November 18, 1821; m. Sarah Perigo.

1517. Rebecca Briley b. October 22, 1823; m. Harmon Bowen.

1518. Sarah C. Benjamin b. January 3, 1826; m. John Gordon.

1519. Stephen Harriman Briley b. Dec. 23, 1827; m. Jane Hite.

1520. Celia Ann Briley b. April 16, 1830.

1521. Phillip Briley b. March 10, 1832.

1522. Herrick Benjamin Briley b. May 6, 1934; m. Emma Devol.

1523. Cynthia Jane Briley b. February 1, 1837; m. D. Wright.

1524. Margaret Briley b. April 6, 1840; m. Z. Stone.

Resources: Records of Dr. P. Mabel Nelson and Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

782. PHILIP MILLER BENJAMIN[7] (Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1806 in Ross Co., Ohio; the son of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Barnes) Benjamin; died in 1878 in White Co., Indiana. He m/1 Pheriba Burns at Jasper, Indiana. She is buried in the Burns Cemetery in Jasper Co., Indiana. He m/2 Mrs. Anna (Eastwood) Alma, who died October 17, 1894.

Children of Philip and Pheriba (Burns) Benjamin:

1525. Samuel Benjamin b. in Ohio; died of T. B.
1526. Joseph Benjamin b. in Ohio; drowned in Tippicanoe River, near Norway, Indiana, age 12 years.
1527. William Benjamin b. Ohio; drowned in Tippicanoe River; age 10 years.
1528. Isabel Benjamin; m/1 James Richmond; m/2 Charles Fox. Had children: Jesse Fox, d. 1929, m. Emma ---; May Fox b. Oct. 10, 1878, m. Arleton Barker.
1529. Elizabeth Benjamin b. January 27, 1842; m. Hamilton Randolph Burns. Issue: Joph B./P. b. June 14, 1879, d. Nov. 18, 1923; Stuart b. Oct. 4, 1883; Jennie b. July 23, 1872.
*1530. Philip Miller Benjamin Jr. b. September 2, 1844 at Jasper Co., Indiana.
1531. Malinda Benjamin b. August 24, 1846; m. December 2, 1869 Eli Wallace. Issue: David and Effie Wallace.
1532. Daughter, who died at birth.

Children of Philip and Anna (Eastwood Alma) Benjamin:

*1533. Mary Malissa Benjamin b. 1855.
*1534. Martha Jane Benjamin b. June 23, 1857.
*1535. Katheryn Benjamin.
*1536. Herrick Benjamin b. January 1859.
*1537. Peter Benjamin b. 1861.
1538. Ella Benjamin; d. April 19, 1920; m. John Cain; no issue.

Resources: Records of Dr. P. Mabel Nelson; Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

787. ABEL ROWLAND BENJAMIN[7] (Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1826 in Ross Co., Ohio; the son of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Davis) Benjamin; died May16, 1863 at Champion Hills, Mississippi during the Civil War. He married Mary Conwell on December 4, 1845 at White Co., Indiana. She m/2 R. T. Harrison, but had no issue with the second m. Abel was a member of the 46th Indiana Volunteer Inf.

Children of Abel and Mary (Conwell) Benjamin:

*1539. Elizabeth Benjamin b. July 3, 1847 at White Co., Ind.
*1540. George Benjamin b. November 6, 1848 at White Co.
*1541. Samuel Howard Benjamin b. July 20, 1950.
*1542. Silas B. Benjamin b. May 6, 1852.
1543. John Nelson Benjamin b. April 18, 1854; d. July 29, 1937; m. Alice Swalis. They adopted Adella Reid.
*1544. Francis Marion Benjamin b. March 4, 1856.

*1545. Isaac Smith Benjamin b. September 26, 1858.
1546. William Spencer Benjamin b. August 19, 1860; d. September 1861.

Resources: Records of Dr. P. Mabel Nelson; Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

797. HERRICK BENJAMIN[7] (Jonathan[6-5], Herrick[4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born between 1800 and 1810; the son of Jonathan and Nancy (---) Benjamin; died in 1849 at Newfield, Tompkins Co., New York. He m/1 Rhoda Hariyan and m/2 Betsey Ann ---, who was born in 1807 in New York. She is buried in the Old Cemetery at Newfield, with no inscription on her grave stone, only the initials--B.A.
He is listed in the 1835 census at Newfield.

Children of Herrick and Rhoda (Hariyan) Benjamin:
*1547. John E. Benjamin b. January 8, 1834.
1548. Rhoda Ann Benjamin b. 1835-40.

Children of Herrick and Betsey (---) Benjamin:
1549. Charles Benjamin; d. August 23, 1841, age 5-2-16 and buried in the Newfield Cemetery.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

799. SEELEY/SELIA T. BENJAMIN[7] (Joseph[6], Jno.[5], Herrick[4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1809 in New York; the son of Joseph and Phoebe (Hanville) Benjamin; died in 1877 at Ithaca, Tompkins Co., New York. He m/1 Mary W. Townly. She was born 1808 in New Jersey and died 1851. He m/2 Catherine Welch who was born 1823 and died 1916. (gs). Seeley and his first wife are buried in Ithaca and his 2nd wife is buried in the Caroline Grove Cemetery in Tompkins Co., N.Y.
His will is on file at Ithaca (Book V p. 534).

Children of Seeley and Mary (Townly) Benjamin:
1550. Adelaide Benjamin bc. 1832 in N.Y.; m. Fred Randolph.
1551. Helen L. Benjamin bc. 1834 in N.Y.; m. Feb. 23, 1854 William Henry Norton, the son of Clark and Elizabeth (Dexter) Norton b. Dec. 17, 1834; d. Sept. 5,1901 in Washington, D.C.; no issue.
*1552. Major George J. Benjamin bc. 1836 in N.Y.
1553. John S. Benjamin bc. 1839 in N.Y.
1554. Harrison H. Benjamin b. 1842 in N.Y.; d. 1925; m. Elizabeth Tree b. 1848; d. 1929; no issue.
1555. Mary Delphine Benjamin b. 1844 in N.Y.; m. --- Beech.

Children of Seeley and Catherine (Welch) Benjamin:
*1556. Charles G. Benjamin bc. 1854/5 in N.Y.
1557. Frank E. Benjamin b. 1854; d. 1924 (gs) buried with his mother; unm.

1558. William L. Benjamin b. 1864; m. 1892 Elvira Meecham and resided at Auburn, New York.
*1559. Luther U. Benjamin b. 1867 in N.Y.

Resources: Boston Transcript Nov. 13, 1907; Research of Mrs. John Keller of Lititz, Penn. and F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

801. MARIA BENJAMIN[7] (Joseph[6], Jno.[5], Herrick[4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born January 29, 1807 at Lansing, New York; the dau. of Joseph and Phoebe (Hanville) Benjamin; died August 5, 1878 at Newark Valley, Tioga Co., New York and is buried in the Hope Cemetery. She married William Slosson on July 1, 1824. He was the son of Ezbon and Electa(Williams) Slosson and was born July 3, 1800 at Stockbridge, Mass. and died May 26, 1872 at Newark Valley, N.Y., age 72.

They belonged to the Congregational Church and he was a Justice of the Peace.

She was left the farm on which she and her husband were living at the time of her father's death by her father.

Children of William and Maria (Benjamin) Slosson:
1560. George William Slosson b. June 1825; m. Emily Villars.
1561. Phoebe Elizabeth Slosson b. March 9, 1830 in Newark Valley, N.Y.; d. March 18, 1868, age 49; m. 1850 Frederick H. Todd b. 1819 at North Haven, Conn.

Resources: p. 206 Gay's Gazetteer, 1888; p. 54 Slason-Slauson-Slawson-Slosson Fam., George Slawson, 1946; p. 725 Gen. and Hist. of Wheeler Fam., Albert Wheeler, 1914; p. 175-8 Gen. Hist. of Am. House of Delano, Joel Delano, 1899; p. 263 Todd Fam., John E. Todd, 1920.

803. BETSEY BENJAMIN[7] (Jesse[6], John[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2]- born about 1808 in Delaware Co., New York; the dau. of Jesse and Catherine (Keator) Benjamin; died January 10, 1894 at Roxbury, Delaware Co., New York. She married January 23, 1828 at Roxbury, N.Y. to George Keator (Kesler/Kator/Cator/Keston).

Children of George and Betsey (Benjamin) Keator:
1562. John Benjamin Keator b. 1833.
1563. George Harvey Keator b. March 11, 1837; m. April 15, 1861 Frances Burnett Walker, dau. of Daniel L. and Eliza Shew (Burbank) Walker b. February 26, 1839.
1564. Jacob P. Keator, b. 1842.
1565. Corbin Keator, a twin.
1566. Stratton Keator, a twin.
1567. Harriet Keator b. 1851.

Resources: p. 529 Burham Gen., Samuel Burnham, 1894; Marriage Records for Delaware Gazette, Barber; Three Cen-

turies of Keator Fam., Keator.

804. JOHN P. BENJAMIN[7] (Jesse[6], John[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2]-1) born about 1810 in Roxbury, Delaware Co., New York; the son of Jesse and Catherine (Keator) Benjamin; died September 20, 1880, age 70 yrs. at Andes, Delaware Co., New York, and is buried in the Andes Cemetery. He married Sarah Marie Morse in 1840. She was born in 1811 and died February 10, 1858, age 47 yrs. (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Children of John and Sarah (Morse) Benjamin:

1568. Frances Sophia Benjamin b.1842; d. 1842 (gs) and is buried with her parents.

1569. Eugene P. Benjamin b. 1843; d. March 20, 1882, age 35 yrs. (gs) and is buried in the Andes Cemetery; m. September 23, 1872 Ella Gibbs, b. 1853, d. 1923 (gs). Had dau.: Maude Benjamin b. 1873, d. 1874 (gs).

1570. Sarah C. Benjamin b. 1852; d. 188?; m. October 11, 1882 at Andes, N.Y. to Henry Van Keuren of Brooklyn, N.Y. She is buried in the Andes Cemetery.

Resources: p. 108 Keator Gen., Keator; Deaths and Marriages from the Delaware Gazette of Delhi, N.Y., Barber, Cemetery research by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

805. ROXY ANN BENJAMIN[7] (Jesse[6], John[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard 2-1) born November 16, 1814 at Roxbury, Delaware Co., New York; the dau. of Jesse and Catherine (Keator) Benjamin; died August 5, 1891. She married January 27, 1837 Dinghee A. Robinson, who was born in 1817 and died in 1871.

Children of Dinghee and Roxy (Benjamin) Robinshon:

1571. Henry Clay Robinson b. 1839.

1572. Betsey M. Robinson b. 1841; d. 1842.

1573. Richard Benjamin Robinson b. 1843.

Resource: p. 108 Keator Gen, Keator.

806. MARIA BENJAMIN[7] (Jesse[6], John[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1815 at Roxbury, Delaware Co., New York; the dau. of Jesse and Catherine (Keator) Benjamin; died in 1859 at Roxbury, N.Y. She married Philetus Corbin, the son of Micaiah and Marie (Worden) Corbin. He was born in 1812 and died in 1893 at Roxbury. He m/2 on May 1867 Catherine Benjamin, b. 1818, a sister to his first wife. (See #807).

Children of Philetus and Maria (Benjamin) Corbin:

1574. Andrew J. Corbin b. 1836; m. Lucy Ann Champion and had no issue.

1575. Hiram B. Corbin; m. Abigail Burrough and had 1 son.

1576. Mary/Polly Maria Corbin; m. Orrin A. Meeker and had 2 daus.

Resources: p. 323 Hist. and Desc. of Clement Corbin, 1905; p. 109 Keator Gen.

809. JACOB K. BENJAMIN[7] (Jesse[6], John[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard 2-1) born May 1820 in Roxbury, Delaware Co., New York; the son of Jesse and Catherine (Keator) Benjamin; died July 19, 1887 at Roxbury, New York. He married Nellie C. Lockwood, who was born in 1824 and died in 1879.

Children of Jacob and Nellie (Lockwood) Benjamin:
1577. Andrew J. Benjamin b. 1865 at Roxbury, N.Y.

Resources: p. 108 Keator Gen.

817. NELSON CHARLES BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Usher[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1830 in Schoharie Co., New York; the son of Samuel S. and Margaret (Bostwick) Benjamin; died December 30, 1901, age 71 at Brooklyn, Susquehanna Co., Penn. of stomach cancer. He m/1 Adelia M. Townsend on February 22, 1854 at Brooklyn, Penn. (vr). She died in 1856. He m/2 Cornelia Ruth Townsend, a sister of his first wife. He m/3 Frances Della in 1889. She died either in 1903 or 1906.

He was a farmer and owned a place on the Barnabas Binney warantee.

Children of Nelson and Adelia (Townsend) Benjamin:
1578. Sadie E. Benjamin; died before 1889; m. June 9, 1878 in Montrose, Penn. to Frank Eugene Tiffany. He was b. June 26, 1856 and m/2 in 1885 to Margaret Shellhammer. They had a son George Nelson Tiffany b. January 2, 1879 at Jersey City, N.J. Nelson C. Benjamin was appointed guardian in 1884, but left him "not a single cent" in his will.

Children of Nelson and Cornelia (Townsend) Benjamin:
1579. Carrie H. Benjamin; unm.; resided at Binghamton.
1580. Luther M./N. Benjamin b. May 1863 at Brooklyn, Penn.; conducted his father's farm.; m. 1891 Edith Smith.
1581. Hattie C. Benjamin; m. --- Ely.
1582. George A. Benjamin; d. May 1, 1918 and letters of administration went to his brother Luther; presum unm.; resided in New Jersey.
1583. Frank Eugene Benjamin b. 1874; d. 1919 in Broome Co. N.Y.; m. 1898 Florence I. Titus. He was a butcher and resided in the Binghamton, N.Y. area; no issue.
1584. Charles Lyman Benjamin b. 1879 at Brooklyn, Penn; d. 1957; m. 1903/5 Henrietta Haynden b. 1883 at New Milford; he a grocer in New Milford. Issue:
    1. T. Nelson James Benjamin b. 1906 in New Milford; m. 1924 Esther Woodruff.
    2. Dorothy Benjamin b. 1908; m. Walter Lewis.

Mary D. Thomas; was listed as a half sister of Frank E. Benjamin; she resided in Bethlehem, Penn. It is unknown just how she fits into this family, or if the name Thomas is a maiden or married name. She might be a dau. of the third marriage.

Resources: p. 101 Tiffanys of Am., Nelson Tiffany, 1924; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y. and F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

818. GEORGE J. BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Usher[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born August 28, 1832 at Middleburg, Schoharie Co., New York; the son of Samuel S. and Margaret (Bostwick) Benjamin; died September 25, 1880 at Brooklyn, Susquehanna Co., Penn. He married Sarah Matilda Tiffany on September 28, 1853 at Harford, Penn. She is the dau. of Edson Tiffany and was born April 19, 1834 at Brooklyn, Penn. and died March 18, 1879 at Chicago, Illinois and is buried in the Oakwood Cemetery in Chicago. She divorced George and m/2 in 1870 George J. Brayton.

Children of George and Sarah (Tiffany) Benjamin:
1585. Frank Eugene Benjamin b. June 26, 1856.
1586. Adelbert Marvin Benjamin b. May 8, 1858.

Resources: p. 3103 Vol. 2 Tingley Fam.,, 1974; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y.

819. LYMAN T. BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Usher[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born between 1830-35 in Schoharie Co., New York; the son of Samuel S. and Margaret (Bostwick) Benjamin. He married Eliza Amanda Goodrich on April 4, 1872 at Brooklyn, Penn. She was the dau. of Eli Butler and Cynthia (Tiffany) Goodrich and was born May 4, 1840 at Brooklyn, Penn. He enlisted in the Civil War.

Children of Lyman and Eliza (Goodrich) Benjamin:
1587. Hayden Lyman Benjamin b. Jan. 15, 1873 at Springfield, Illinois; d. July 22, 1873.
1588. William Euguene Benjamin b. April 23, 1874 at Sprigfield, Ill.; d. July 31, 1874.

Resources: p. 98 Tiffanys of Am., Nelson Tiffany,1924.

824. DAVID BENJAMIN[7] (Daniel[6], Usher[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1818 in Rensalaer Co., New York; the son of Daniel and Jemima (Flint) Benjain. He perhaps married twice, since there seem to records for his marriage to Miranda --- and his will names his wife as Lorenda ---. Perhaps the census records that give Miranda, b. 1824, is a misspelling of Lorenda.

He is listed in the 1850 census records of Amity Twp., and in the 1860 and 1870 census records of Ward Twp., Allegany Co., New York. A petition was filed November 25,

1892 in Allegany Co., N.Y. regarding his will, and names his wife Lorenda, and mentions sons and daus., but gives no names.

Children of David and Lorenda (---) Benjamin:

1589. Waity Benjamin bc. 1846 in Allegany Co., N.Y.

1590. Ambrose S. Benjamin bc. 1849; m/1 Effie A. ---, who died in 1898; m/2 Cora Sortore. Issue:
   1. Ellie A. Benjamin bc. 1900; m. 1918 Fordyce C. Spencer b. 1900.

1591. Anson C. Benjamin bc. 1851 in Allegany Co., N.Y.; m. Myrta Champlain/Champlin b. 1858. Issue:
   1. Floyd Allen Benjamin b. 1874 at Alfred, N.Y.; d. at Wirt, N.Y. and buried in the Dimick (or Wightman) Cemetery; m. Oct. 16, 1901 Evangeline Wrightman, the dau. of Henry J. and Elmira (Tiffany) Wrightman b. Mar. 15, 1869, d. Oct. 1919. Had one adopted dau.: Arlonene Benjamin b. Oct. 10, 1908.
   2. Carl L. Benjamin bc. 1876; m. Elizabeth M.--- b. 1881.

1592. Arden R. Benjamin bc. 1854/5 in Allegany Co., N.Y.; d. May 30, 1905, age 51 at Austin, Potter Co., Penn. of burning; unm.

1593. Alfred L. Benjamin bc. 1863; m. January 12, 1898 Georgia Alentz, at Bradford Co., Penn. (vr).

Resources: Vol. 218 p. 30 DAR Records of Olean M.E. Church in Catteragus Co., N.Y; p. 318 George Wrightman of R.I., Mary R. Wrightman, 1939; Vol. 22 p. 36 DAR Cemetery Record; Research of Mrs. Gordon Ginther of Norwich, N.Y. and F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

825. HIRAM BENJAMIN[7] (Daniel[6], Usher[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2]-1) born about 1819 in Schoharie Co., New York; the son of Daniel and Jemima (Flint) Benjamin. He married Mary ---, who was born about 1819 in N.Y.

He is listed in the 1860 and 1880 census records of Amithy Twp., Allegany Co., N.Y. A petition for Letters of Administration of his estate were filed October 31, 1901.

Children of Hiram and Mary (---) Benjamin:

1594. Ortha Benjamin b. 1845; m. 1866 James W. Barrett.

1595. Owena/Orena Benjamin bc. 1848; unm. in 1880.

1596. Orminda Benjamin; m. --- Sherwood.

1597. Orrilla Benjamin; m. --- Margeson.

?1598. John W. Benjamin bc. 1865; resided with him in the 1880 census.

Resources: Census records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

839. DEWITT FRANK/C. BENJAMIN[7] (Jacob[6], Usher[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2]-1) born March 9, 1856 at Schoharie Co., New York;

the son of Jacob L. and Maryette (Church) Benjamin. He married Josephine A. Wilson of Berne, N.Y. on October 12, 1880. She was born May 8, 1857 and died May 29, 1920 at Stanford, Delaware Co., N.Y.

He resided at Stanford, Delaware Co., N.Y.

Children of Dewitt and Josephine (Wilson) Benjamin:
1599. Grace Amelia Benjamin b. June 1, 1886; d. Feb. 1887
1600. Guy Wilson Benjamin b. September 5, 1890.

Resources: p. 277-8 Simeon Church of Conn., Charles W. Church, 1914; p. 132 Desc. of John Conger, Charles Conger, 1903.

846. WILLIAM WASHINGTON BENJAMIN[7] (Zerah[6], Richard[5-4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born between 1845-50 in Cortland Co., New York the son of Zerah and Asenath (Adams) Benjamin. He married Mary D. Murray.

He lived in Cortland Co., N.Y. and St. Joseph, Mich.

Children of William and Mary (Murray) Benjamin:
1601. William Henry Benjamin b. 1870 at St. Joseph, Mich.; m/1 1891 Cora Belle Langton; m/2 Rena Wilson.
Issue:
1. John Serell Benjamin; d. in Army in 1918; had one son: Ronald Benjamin.
2. Rev. Stanley L. Benjamin b. Sept. 19, 1895; m. 1918 Lillian M. Couch.
3. Stillwell Fredrick Benajmin b. Feb. 1, 1899; m. Ruth Ivey.
4. Mary Benjamin; m. --- Ford.
5. Ruth Benjamin; m. --- Krieg.
6. Maude Benjamin; m. --- Gilmore.
7. Hilda Benjamin; m. --- Pidgeon.

1602. John Murray Benjamin b. 1872 at St. Joseph, Mich.; m. Maude Calhoun.

Resources: Records of Rev. Stanley L. Benjamin of Mich.

856. PAGE WESLEY BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Richard[5-4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born March 25, 1878 in Cortland Co., New York; the son of John Wesley and Sarah (Gager) Benjamin. He married Ina A. Wilkins of Cayuga Co., N.Y. on September 1900. She was the dau. of Robert C. and Harriet A. (Johnson) Wilkins.

He was a Baptist and was educated in the public school of his native town. He was a clerk in a dept. store in Cortland for 4 years and then learned the carpenter trade, which he followed for 7 years, working in Washington, D.C., Syracuse, N.Y. and Binghamton, N.Y. In 1907 he entered the employment of Prudential Life Insurance Co.

Children of Page and Ina (Wilkins) Benjamin:
1603. Wesley Robert Benjamin b. May 27, 1906.

Resource: Gen. & Fam. Hist. of Central N.Y., Cutter, 1912.

859. CHARLES BENJAMIN[7] (Daniel[6-5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1831 probably in Green Co., New York; the son of Daniel and Eliza (Hubbell) Benjamin; died 1871 (gs) and is buried in the Hudson City Cemetery, Hudson, Columbia Co., New York. He married Elizabeth M. Dakin at Hudson, N.Y. She was the dau. of Charles and Phoebe Ann (Bailey) Dankin and was born in 1839 and died 1910 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Children of Charles and Elizabeth (Dakin) Benjamin:

*1604. Edgar Laing Benjamin b. November 23, 1867 at Hudson, N.Y.

1605. Mary M. Benjamin b. 1869; d. 1872 (gs) and buried with her parents.

Resources: Records of Mrs. W. R. Lawrence of St. Michaels, Maryland; Gravestone Inscriptions Vol. 4-6 of Hudson City Cemetery, Colo. Co., N.Y.

879. JOHN MORE BENJAMIN[7] (Hiram[6], Gamalial[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born January 13, 1825 in Dalaware Co., New York; the son of Hiram and Gertrude (Van Hosen) Benjamin. He married Maria Louisa Rich on September 29, 1850 at Richford, N.Y. She was born September 2, 1828 at Richford, Tioga Co., N.Y.

He moved to Plainville, Ohio about August 1852, was a mason, and sheriff of Lake Co., Ohio 1864-67.

Children of John and Maria (Rich) Benjamin:

1606. Frances Angeline Benjamin b. July 1851 at Richford, Tioga Co., N.Y.

1607. Carrie Gert Benjamin b. March 3, 1854 at Lake Co., Ohio. (at Painsville or Plainsville).

1608. Kate Augusta Benjamin b. August 22, 1859 in Ohio.

1609. Louisa Antionnette Benjamin b. August 18, 1861 at Lake Co., Ohio.

Source: p. 1580 Whitney Fam. of Conn., Vol. II, 1878; p. 167 Vol. III N.Y. Gen. and Biog. Record.

890. HARRIET HALL BENJAMIN[7] (Alanson[6], Gamalial[5], Richard[4], Amaziah Richard[2-1]) born November 24, 1842; the dau. of Rev. Alanson L. and Ruth (Devine) Benjamin; died June 10, 1922, age 80 yrs. and buried in the Keyserkille Cemetery, near Broome Center, N.Y. She married January 17, 1866 (by her father) to Reuben Cain, the son of Luther and Eusebia (Haskin) Cain. He was born December 22, 1843 in Broome, N.Y. and died December 23, 1913.

He was a Civil War veteran and was wounded in the knee.

Children of Reuben and Harriet (Benjamin) Cain:

1610. Ina M. Cain b. March 8, 1867; d. 1945, age 78; m. 1885 Ellsworth Hagadorn. They are buried in the Keyserkill Cem. in Schoharie Co., N.Y. Had son

George Hagadorn.

1611. William E. Cain b. May 7, 1868; d. 1946; buried in Laurens, N.Y.; m. Carrie Smith; no issue.

1612. Florence Sarah Cain b. April 26, 1872; d. November 1964, age 92; buried in Gilboa, N.Y. Cemetery; m. Sept. 14, 1895 at Central Bridge, N.Y. to Floyd Crane Gordon.

1613. Charles B. Cain b. July 3, 1879; d. 1949; buried Keyserkill Cem.; m. Mary Scutt; no issue.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Charles T. Mullen of Fort Edward, N.Y.

893. HIRAM BENJAMIN[7] (Ebenezer[6], Jno.[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard 2-1) born 1821/2 in Schoharie Co., New York; the son of Ebenezer and Catherine (Shew) Benjamin. He married Anna ---, who was born in 1827 in Otsego Co., N.Y. and died in 1903 and is buried in the New Gilbora Cemetery.

He was located in the 1850, through 1880 census of Gilboa, Schoharie Co., New York.

Children of Hiram and Anna (---) Benjamin:

1614. Ebenezer Benjamin bc. 1846.

1615. Amanda J. Benjamin b. 1849; probably m. William H. Vrooman.

1616. Page Benjamin b. 1855; d. August 16, 1868, age 13-10-15 (gs) and buried in the New Gilboa Cem.

1617. Male infant b. 1857; d. March 21, 1859, age 2 yrs. and buried in the New Gilboa Cemetery.

1618. Aaron Benjamin b. 1864; d. December 21, 1881, age 17-6-23 (gs) and buried in the New Gilboa Cem.

1619. Stephen C. Benjamin bc. 1861; d. 1900 (gs) and buried in the New Gilboa Cemetery.

1620. There are also several other males buried in the same lot, one d. 1897.

Resources: Riverview Cemetery of Lower Blenheim Twp., Schoharie Co., N.Y. records (bodies were moved in 1919 to the New Gilboa Cemetery; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.; Census records.

897. JOHN HENRY BENJAMIN[7] (Ebenezer[6], Jno.[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1839 in Schoharie Co., New York; the son of Ebenezer and Catherine (Shew) Benjamin. He married Adaline M. ---, who was born about 1839 in New York.

He was listed in the 1880 census of Gilboa, Schoharie Co., New York.

Children of John and Adaline (---) Benjamin:

1621. Kate Benjamin bc. 1864; m. April 11, 1888 Ulysses Grant Clark, a son of Charles Clark, b. in South Gilboa, N.Y. February 7, 1865, a buttermaker.

1622. Jennie Benjamin bc. 1869.

Resources: Census records; p. 49 Clark Fam. of R.I., Geo.

Morrison, 1902.

912. GEORGE BENJAMIN[7] (Ogden[6], Josiah[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard 2-1) born about 1830 in Schoharie Co., New York; the son of Ogden and Hannah (Snyder) Benjamin; died July 10, 1910 (gs) and is buried in the Franklinton Cemetery in Broome Twp., Schoharie Co., New York. He married Jane Anna Earls who was born in 1834 and died September 21, 1862 (gs) in childbirth, age 28. He m/2 Angeline Earls, who was born in 1845 and died in 1931 (gs). They are both buried with their husband.

He was located in the 1860 through 1880 census at Broome Twp., Schoharie Co., N.Y.

Children of George and Jane (Earls) Benjamin:
1623. Georgiana b. 1862; d. October 6, 1862, age 29 days.

Children of George and Angeline (Earls) Benjamin:
1624. Minnie Benjamin bc. 1864; m. --- Foland.
1625. Anna Benjamin bc. 1869; m. --- Myers and resided in Orange, New Jersey.

Resources: Census records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

913. ALVIN BENJAMIN[7] (Ogden[6], Josiah[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2] -1) born about 1830/1 in Schoharie Co., New York; the son of Ogden and Hannah (Snyder) Benjamin; died June 9, 1913, age 82 (gs) and is buried in the Franklinton Cemetery in Broome Twp., Schoharie Co., New York. He m/1 Eunice Barringer at Preston Hollow. She was the dau. of Peter and Matilda (Cleveland) Barringer and was born November 12, 1827 in Vly, N.Y. He m/2 Kate ---, who was born about 1834 in New York.

Children of Alvin and Eunice (Barringer) Benjamin:
1626. William Alvin Benjamin b. January 25, 1860 at Preston Hollow, Schoharie Co., N.Y.; m. February 1886 to Martha M. Thompson of Preston Hollow. He was a farmer.

Children of Alvin and Kate (---) Benjamin:
1627. Ella Benjamin bc. 1871.

Resources: p. 802 Desc. of Moses Cleveland, Edmund Cleveland, 1899; Cemetery records copied by F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

914. LEWIS BENJAMIN[7] (Ogden[6], Josiah[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2] -1) born about 1832 in Schoharie Co., New York; the son of Ogden and Hannah (Snyder) Benjamin; died in 1910 (gs) and is buried in the Franklinton Cemetery in Broome Twp., Schoharie Co., New York. He married Abby Jane Robinson, who was born in 1838 and died in 1924 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He was listed in the 1860 census of Broome Twp., Schoharie Co., N.Y. On October 15, 1862 Lewis Benjamin and wife Abby Jane granted land to his brother Ira Benjamin. (Schoharie Co. Land Records #41:371).

Children of Lewis and Abby Jane (Robinson) Benjamin:

*1628. Charles Benjamin bc. 1857 in Schoharie Co., N.Y.

1629. Ophelia Benjamin bc. 1859; d. 1962 (gs) and is buried with her parents.

1630. Nelly Benjamin bc. 1868/9; buried in the Franklinton Cemetery; m. Henry Ehemann.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

917. IRA BENJAMIN[7] (Ogden[6], Josiah[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1838 in Schoharie Co., New York; the son of Ogden and Hannah (Snyder) Benjamin. He m/1 Elmira Owen, who was born about 1838 in N.Y. and died April 14, 1866 (gs), age 27 (gs) and is buried in the Franklinton Cemetery in Broome Twp., Schoharie Co., N.Y. He m/2 Harriet ---.

There were no children listed in the 1870 and 1880 census records of Broome Twp., Schoharie Co., N.Y.

919. WESLEY BENJAMIN[7] (Ogden[6], Josiah[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard 2-1) born October 1845 in Schoharie Co., New York; the son of Ogden and Hannah (Snyder) Benjamin; died February 19, 1922 (gs) and is buried in the Livingstonville Cemetery in Broome Twp., Schoharie Co, New York. He married Adelaide ---, who was born in 1850 and died November 30, 1925 (?1928) (gs) and is buried with her husband.

His will is one file in #B2-5 of Schoharie Co. Probate and names only his wife and one son. He is listed in the 1880 census of Broome Twp., Schoharie Co., N.Y.

Children of Wesley and Adelaide (---) Benjamin:

1631. Frank E. Benjamin bc. 1876; d. August 28, 1938; m. Minerva ---; resided in Livingstonville in 1928.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

920. ORSON BENJAMIN[7] (Ogden[6], Josiah[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2] -1) born about 1847 in Schoharie Co., New York; the son of Ogden and Hannah (Snyder) Benjamin; died in 1925 (gs) and is buried in the Franklinton Cemetery in Broome Twp., Schoharie Co., New York. He married Anna E. Ellis, who was born in 1846 and died 1909 (gs) and is buried with her husband. There is a marriage vr for August 29, 1867 for Wesley Benjamin to Anna Elles Atchinson.

He is listed in the 1880 census of Broome Twp., Schosharie Co., N.Y.

Children of Orson and Anna (Ellis or Atchinson) Benjamin:

1632. Carrie Benjamin bc. 1877.

925. JOSIAH BENJAMIN[7] (Philo[6], Josiah[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard 2-1) born about 1849/50 in Schoharie Co., New York; the son of Philo and Sarah (---) Benjamin; died July 15, 1896, age 46 (gs) at Johnstown, Fulton Co., New York. He married Joanna Armling, who was born about 1853.

He was listed as a clerk and laborer.

Children of Josiah and Joanna (Armling) Benjamin:

1633. Clayton Benjamin b.January 19, 1894 at Johnstown, Fulton, N.Y. (vr). On his birth record it was stated that there were 3 older children.

Resources: Fulton Co., N.Y. Town Records.

929. MELVIN BENJAMIN[7] (Elizur[6], Josiah[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1844 in Schoharie Co., New York; the son of Elizur and Eunice (Pratt) Benjamin; died October 22, 1876 at Broome Twp., Schoharie Co., N.Y. He married Maria ----, who was born about 1851. He is buried in the Franklinton Cemetery.

His will is on file in the Schoharie Co. Probate Records #2-B9, and names widow Maria and only child, Eunice, who was under 14 years of age. It also mentions frequently Elizur and Roswell Benjamin.

Children of Melvin and Maria (---) Benjamin:

1634. Eunice Benjamin bc. 1862 in Schoharie Co., N.Y.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

930. PRATT BENJAMIN[7] (Elizur[6], Josiah[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard 2-1) born about 1852/3 in Schoharie Co., New York; the son of Elizur and Eunice (Pratt) Benjamin; died October 5, 1930 (gs) and is buried in the Franklinton Cemetery in Broome Twp., Schoharie Co., New York. He married Elizabeth J. ---, who was born in 1859 and died December 7, 1939 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

His will is one file in Schoharie Co. Probate #B4-5 and names widow, Elizabeth, and child, William. There is also mention of Charles L. Benjamin.

Children of Pratt and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin:

1635. William Benjamin bc. 1872/5; perhaps m. Zora Walford; had son Everett W. Benjamin b. February 10, 1895 in Franklinton, N.Y. William resided in Clifton, N.J. in 1930 and in Catskill, N.Y. in 1939.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

934. ALBERT BENJAMIN[7] (James[6], Zina[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1831 in Albany Co., New York; the son of James and Nelly M. (---) Benjamin; died in 1915 and is buried in the Gibson Corners Cemetery in Owego Twp., Tioga Co.

New York. He married about 1861 to Emily M. Sibley. She was born in 1841 and died 1918 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Children of Albert and Emily (Sibley) Benjamin:
1636. Anna Mynene Benjamin b. 1865; d. 1940. (gs).
1637. Grace E. Benjamin b. 1867; d. 1918 (gs).
1638. James Allan Benjamin b. 1870; d. 1961 (gs).
1639. Edith Benjamin b. 1872; d. 1944 (gs).
1640. Ella Benjamin b. 1878; d. 1921. (gs).
1641. Irving Benjamin; d. Jan. 2, 1867 , age 7 mos. (gs).
They were all buried together in one plot, but MAY not be children of Albert. Gibson Corner Cem.

Resources: Cemetery Records.

946. FRANCIS BENJAMIN[7] (Usher[6], Amaziah[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born January 2, 1822 at East Moriches, Long Island, New York; the son of Deacon Usher and Jemima (Reeves) Benjamin; died August 17, 1852, age 30-7-15 (gs) and is buried in Cemetery #7 at Center Moriches, L.I. He married Lorenda/Lorinda/Laura Young of Northville, L.I. on December 1848. She was the dau. of John Tuthill and Sarah (Terry) Youngs and was born September 7, 1823 at Laurel, L.I. and died August 11, 1898 at Northville. She m/2 Daniel Hudson in 1863, the son of Thomas Hudson. He was born in 1835 and died 1872.

In the 1850 census he was living at Brookhaven and residing with Usher and Maria. His will is one file in the Riverhead Surrogate Office (#4217) and names widow, Laura, who also signed some papers as Lorinda. No children were named.

Children of Francis and Lorinda (Youngs) Benjamin:
*1642. Hiram Francis Benjamin b. May 28, 1850 at East Moriches, L.I.; died June 1914.
1643. Sarah Benjamin b. 1852; d. 1858, age 6 years.

Resources: p. 172 & 220 Young Gen., Selah Young, 1907; Salt Lake City, Utah Family Group Sheets from Library of Latter Day Saints; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

951. USHER HAMPTON BENJAMIN[7] (Usher[6], Amaziah[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born December 13, 1837 at East Moriches, Long Island, New York; the son of Usher and Mariah (Tuthill) Benjamin; died February 10, 1917, age 79-1-27 (gs) at Brookhaven, L.I. and is buried in the Mt. Pleasant Cemetery of Moriches, L.I. He married February 8, 1860 (p. 11 Presb. cr) at Moriches, L.I. to Mary Elizabeth (Eliza) Raynor. She was born September 1, 1839 and died February 2, 1909, age 69-5-1 (gs) at Brookhaven, L.I. and is buried with her husband.

Usher was listed in the 1870 census at E. Moriches, Brookhaven, L.I. as a farm laborer. His will is on file

at the Riverhead Surrogate Office (#22329) and mentions Angelia, Mary L., and J. Herbert Benjamin, who all owned bordering lands; sons: Howard H. of E. Moriches and Gilbert M. of Yapland; daus.: Edna M. Bishop of Westhampton; grandau.:, who was dau. of Gilbert, Gertrude Bayley of Middle Island; and father: Usher Benjamin.

Children of Usher and Mary (Raynor) Benjamin:

*1644. Gilbert Miller Benjamin b. January 7, 1861.

1645. Little Burtie Benjamin bc. 1865; d. October 1, 1866 age 1 yr. (gs) and buried in Center Moriches Cem.

*1646. Howard Hampton Benjamin b. January 20, 1877.

1647. Edna M. Benjamin; m. Leonard Bishop and resided in Westhampton, L.I.

Resources: Cemetery Book of Brookhaven Town, Osborn Shaw; p. 432 Hallock Gen., Lucius L. Hallock, 1906; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego and Riverhead, N.Y.

953. SIDNEY H. (?HOWELL) BENJAMIN[7] (Howell[6], Amaziah[5-4-3], Richard 2-1) born September 28, 1829 at East Moriches, Long Island, New York; the son of Howell and Laurinda (Terry) Benjamin; died April 6, 1914, age 84-6-8 (gs) at Brookhaven, L.I. and is buried in the Mt. Pleasant Cemetery at Moriches, LI He married Louisa/Laura Cordelia Raynor, who was born April 20, 1828 at Manorville and died November 3, 1914, age 86-6-13 (gs) at Brookhaven, L.I. and is buried with her husband. She was the dau. of George and Charity (Wines) Terry.

He was listed in the 1870 census at East Moriches, Brookhaven, L.I. His will is on file at the Riverhead Surrogate Office (#20596) and names his wife Louisa and children: Everett S. of E. Moriches; Preston M. of Rockville Centere; and Laura C. of Center Moriches. He also mentions Charles H. Benjamin, his brother, and David Terry Jr.

Children of Sidney and Louisa (Raynor) Benjamin:

1648. Laura C. Benjamin b. June 13, 1854; m. Hiram F. Benjamin. (See # 1642).

*1649. Preston Howell Benjamin b. June 13, 1854.

1650. Everett Sidney Benjamin b. October 6, 1871 at E. Moriches; d. July 27, 1948 (gs) and is buried in the Moriches Cemetery; m/1 Bertha Wells on Oct. 6, 1897, the dau. of Jonathan Wells. She was b. September 28, 1876 and died September 27, 1898 (gs). He m/2 Anna E. Albin, who was b. July 29, 1876 and d. April 20, 1942, age 65-8-22 (gs) and is buried with her husband. His will is on file at Riverhead (#45P48), but mentions no children; though he does mention step children: Roland M. Howell of Lynbrook and Verna H. Mott, wife of Horace Mott of Eastport. He also mentions his nephews and nieces.

Resources: Census reoords; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego and Riverhead, N.Y.

954. MITCHELL BENJAMIN[7] (Howell[6], Amaziah[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born February 4, 1833 at East Moriches, Long Island, New York; the son of Howell and Laurinda (Terry) Benjamin; died April 18, 1914, age 81-2-14 (gs) at Brookhaven, L.I. and is buried in the Mt. Pleasant Cemetery at Moriches. He married Margaret Angelina Raynor, who was born September 8, 1837 and died May 2, 1923, age 85-7-24 (gs) and is buried with her husband. She was the dau. of Joseph and Mary (Terry) Raynor.

He was a farmer and located in the 1870 census at East Moriches, Long Island.

Children of Mitchell and Margaret (Raynor) Benjamin:

1651. Sarah Terry Benjamin b. August 24, 1857; m. James Wells Barber.
1652. Mary FrancesBenjamin b. March 17, 1864.
1653. Edgar Mitchell Benjamin b. March 4, 1873; d. December 7, 1961, age 82 (gs) and is buried in the Mt. Pleasant Cemetery; m. Annie Butler b. 1883, d. 1968 (gs). Their only son was Vernon E. Benjamin, who resided at Arlington, Virginia.
1654. Edna Angelina Benjamin b. February 21, 1876.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego and Riverhead, N.Y.; Raynor and Terry Manuscript at Suffolk Co. Hist. Libriary via James P. Ferguson of Speonk, L.I.

957. CAPT. CHARLES HENRY BENJAMIN[7] (Howell[6], Amaziah[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born November 2, 1842 at East Moriches, Long Island, New York; the son of Howell and Laurinda (Terry) Benjamin; died August 31, 1913, age 70-9-29 (gs) at Brookhaven, and is buried in the Mt. Pleasant Cemetery at Moriches. He married August 31, 1862 at E. Moriches to Georgianna Terry, the dau. of George and Charity (Wines) Terry. She was born October 31, 1845 at E. Moriches and died July 17, 1926, age 80-9-14 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He was listed in the 1870 census at E. Moriches, Brook haven as a fisherman. His will is on file at the Riverhead Surrogate Office (#20596) and names widow, Georgianna of E. Moriches; daus.: Ida White of Providence and Alice McCartney of Brooklyn and Louise Bergen of Brooklyn. He also mentions Margaret Benjamin and Sidney Benjamin. He was a retired sea captain.

Children of Charles and Georgianna (Terry) Benjamin:

1655. Male infant b. & d. Oct. 23, 1866 (gs) and buried in the Brookhaven Cemetery.
1656. Elbert A. T. Benjamin b. Mary 24, 1868; d. December 27, 1871, age 3 yrs. (gs) and buried in the Mt. Pleasant Cemetery.
1657. Ida P. Benjamin b. January 23, 1870; d. December 9,

1913; buried in the Mt. Pleasant Cemetery; m. Edmond A. White; resided at Providence, R.I.

1658. George T. Benjamin b. September 9, 1872; d. June 28, 1873 (gs).

1659. Alice W. Benjamin; m. --- McCartney and resided in Brooklyn, N.Y.

1660. Louise M. Benjamin; m. Clarence Bergen; resided in Brooklyn, N.Y.

1661. Josephine Benjamin b. September 30, 1884; d. August 10, 1900 (gs), age 15-10-10.

Resources: Census records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

961. HARVEY FERDINAND/FREDRICK BENJAMIN[7] (Harvey[6], Amaziah[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1842 at East Moriches, Long Island, New York; the son of Harvey and Jemima (Dayton) Benjamin; died in 1897 (gs) and is buried in the Mt. Pleasant Cemetery at E. Moriches. He married Mary L. Hawkins on July 6, 1872 at Brookhaven. She was born in 1841 and died April 2, 1931, age 79-10-20 (gs) and is buried with her husband. She was the dau. of Augustus and Charlotte (Gould) Hawkins.

Children of Harvey and Mary (Hawkins) Benjamin:

1662. Mary A. Benjamin; m. 1899 Roscoe Dayton of Laurel at Laurel, L.I.

Resources: p. 22 Vol. 1 Marriage records from Suffolk Co. Newspapers, Gertrude Barber; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

962. JOHN HERBERT BENJAMIN[7] (Harvey[6], Amaziah[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born March 3, 1859 at East Moriches, Long Island, New York; the son of Harvey and Jemima (Dayton) Benjamin; died May 29, 1941, age 82-2-8 (gs) at Brookhaven, and is buried in the Mt. Pleasant Cemetery at E. Moriches. He m/1 Annie Gordon of Eastport on June 5, 1888 at Riverhead. She was born in 1859 and died October 4, 1914, age 55-3-28 (gs) at Brookhaven and is buried with her husband. He m/2 Minnie Seaman (or Howland, which was on her death record.)

His will is on file at the Riverhead Surrogate Office (#221A 1941) and mentions widow, Minnie of Eastport, and daus.: Carrie Fitzpatrick and Florence Hall, deceased. He also mentions Mary L., Usher Hampton, and Howard M. Benjam in.

Children of John and Annie (Gordon) Benjamin:

1663. Florence Benjamin b. 1890; d. 1921; m. William Hall.

1664. Carrie Benjamin b. November 23, 1891; m. William H. Fitzpatrick, b. 1892, d. 1950.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

973. MARY ANN BENJAMIN[7] (David[6-5], Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born October 29, 1834 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the dau. of David T. and Mehitable (Cook) Benjamin; died December 8, 1925 at San Francisco, California. She married Charles A. Kirkpatrick, M.D. in 1856 at San Francisco. He was born July 23, 1823 and died April 1892.

Children of Charles and Mary (Benjamin) Kirkpatrick:

1665. Hubert Wadsworth Kirkpatrick b. September 11, 1858 at Rois Vista, Calif.; m. Lila March/Merch.
1666. Arthur Howell Kirkpatrick b. August 9, 1860; d. 1936; m. Sarah Weeks.
1667. Kate Mildred Kirkpatrick b. 1862; d. Oct. 29, 1863 at Fort Bridger, Utah.
1668. Miriam Cornelia Kirkpatrick b. December 1, 1867 at Redmond City, Calif.; m. Samuel Peters Brown Jr.
1669. Mary Blanche Kirkpatrick b. March 4, 1869; d. May 26, 1869 at Redmond City, Calif.
1670. Harold Catlin Kirkpatrick b. September 4, 1870; unm.
1671. Marjorie Alexandria Kirkpatrick b. December 29 at Redwood City, Calif.; m. Merrick W. Creagh.
1672. Ralph Ross Kirkpatrick b. January 18, 1877; d. August 2, 1877.
1673. Bertha Agnes Kirkpatrick b. March 11, 1879 at Redwood City, Calif.; d. July 5, 1954; unm.

Resources: Records of Philip Breck Jr. of Berkley, Calif.

981. ALICE PIERSON BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Daivid[5], Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born May 8, 1850 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the dau. of John C. and Eliza (Lee) Benjamin. She married Richard Albertson Vail on August 14, 1878 at Riverhead. He was the son of George Washington and Nancy (Albertson) Vail and was born June 15, 1852 at Smithtown, L.I.

Children of Richard and Alice (Benjamin) Vail:

1674. LeRoy Benjamin Vail b. November 30, 1880.
1675. Milton Rathbun Vail b. September 10, 1882.
1676. Fannie Rhodes Vail b. June 25, 1884 at Riverhead.

Resources: p. 221 Vail Fam., Henry R. Vail, 1902; Records sent by Earl W. Benjamin of Englewood, Fla.

983. FRANK LEE BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], David[5], Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born February 1, 1858 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of John C. and Eliza (Lee) Benjamin. He married Gertrude Francis Bradford, who was born December 26, 1859. He lived at New Haven, Conn.

Children of Frank and Gertrude (Bradford) Benjamin:

1677. Vernon Bradford Benjamin b. December 20, 1881 at New Haven, Conn.; d. February 12, 1882 (gs) and buried in L.I.
1678. Carrie Mansfield Benjamin b. December 16, 1883; d.

December 16, 1883.
1679. Rena May Benjamin b. March 7, 1885.
1680. Edna Olive Benjamin b. March 8, 1890.
1681. Frank Lee Benjamin Jr. b. May 31, 1893.
1682. Russell Wells Benjamin b. July 11, 1896.
1683. Gertrude Bradford Benjamin b. August 25, 1898 at New Haven, Conn.

Resources: Records of Dr. Wilson, which included family Bible records.

985. HORACE H. BENJAMIN[7] (Moses[6], David[5], Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born September 13, 1837 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the sonof Moses and Juliet (Howell) Benjamin died January 27, 1914, age 76-4-14 (gs) and is buried in the Riverhead Cemetery. He m/1 Sarah R. Edwards, the dau. of Henry Sanford and Rachel (Miller) Edwards. She was born April 9, 1838 and died April 13, 1891, age 53-0-4. (gs) and is buried with her husband. He m/2 Frances ---, who was born in 1851 and died December 22, 1937, age 85-3-19 at Brookhaven (vr).

He was a lawyer, and was in the 1860 and 1870 census at Riverhead.

Children of Horace and Sarah (Edwards) Benjamin:
1684. Ernestine M. Benjamin b. March 20, 1859; m. John W. Brown of Riverhead. She d. October 11, 1923 (gs) and is buried in the Riverhead Cem.(See#501.)
1685. Everett E. Benjamin b. May 15, 1860; d. December 17, 1903 at Manila, P.I. He was a cadet at the Military Acadamy in July 1, 1879 until Jan. 15, 1880. A 2nd Lt. in the 1st Int. Oct. 30, 1884; 1st Lt. in the 4th Inf. Dec. 4, 1891; made Captain March 2, 1899 and transfered to the 27th Inf. Feb. 5, 1903. There is a monument for him in the Riverhead Cemetery.
1686. Grace G. Benjamin b. 1870; d. March 9, 1870, age 5 days. (gs).
1687. Harry B. Benjamin b. 1872; d. July 18, 1872, age 1 mo. 23 days. (gs).
1688. George Post Benjamin b. 1878; d. August 8, 1880, age 1-3-22 (gs).
1689. Lena M. Benjamin b. December 22, 1881; d. February 2, 1897 (gs) and buried in same cemetery as parents.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

987. ALONZO HALLOCK BENJAMIN[7] (Moses[6], David[5], Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born July 15, 1842 in Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of Moses and Juliette (Howell) Benjamin; died August 15, 1916, age 74-1-0 (gs) and is buried in the Aquebogue Cemetery. He married Esther Jemima Jennings on

December 18, 1859. His wife is recorded in the Riverhead vital death records as Sarah Melvina Jennings, who was born in 1848 and died March 16, 1920, age 81-5-28.

He was a farmer and was listed in the 1870 census at Riverhead. His will is on file at the Riverhead Surrogate Office (#22106) and names his widow as Sarah M., Dau.; Jennie H. Raynor of Riverhead and son: Horace H. at the Central Islip State Hospital.

Children of Alonzo and Esther (Jennings) Benjamin:

1690. Jennie W. Benjamin b. December 27, 1869; d. April 10, 1931 (gs) and buried in the Riverhead Cem.; m. May 1, 1890 Lorimer M. Raynor of Manorville. They resided at Riverhead.

1691. Horace H. Benjamin.

Resources: Vol. 81 p. 144 Howell-Jennings-Wells Bible record of N.Y. Gen. and Biog. Record; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

994. JOHN ALONZO BENJAMIN[7] (John[6], Israel[5], Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born November 27, 1841 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of John and Christina (Downs) Benjamin; died February 18, 1902, age 60-2-21 (gs) at Riverhead and is buried in the Northville Cemetery. He married Ann A. or A. Amelia Terry, who was born April 12, 1841 and died September 18, 1911 (gs) and is buried with her husband. She might be the dau. of Daniel Conklin and Laurinda (Benjamin) Terry.

He was listed as a fisherman in the 1870 census of Riverhead. A. Amelia's will is on file in the Riverhead Surrogate's Office (#19514) and names sons Daniel C. and Edward T. Benjamin.

Children of John Alonzo and Ann (Terry) Benjamin:

1692. Daniel C. Benjamin bc. 1865.

*1693. Edward T. Benjamin b. 1871.

Resources: Census records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

996. WILLIAM ROSE BENJAMIN (CAPT.)[7] (John[6], Israel[5], Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1841 at Southold, Long Island, New York; the son of John C. and Mehitable (Carter) Benjamin; died October 14, 1894, age 56-6 mos. at Greenport, L.I. He married Henrietta Worthington, the dau. of Henry and Hannah (Raynor) Worthington. She was born October 13, 1848 at Manorville and died July 29, 1910, age 62 at Brookhaven (Town d. vr).

He was listed as a ship carptenter in the 1870 census of Greenport, Souldhold, L.I. His will is on file at the Riverhead Surrogate's Office (#12986) and names widow: Henrietta, and sons: Herbert E. and Charles E., all of Greenport.

Children of William and Henrietta (Worthington) Benjamin:
1694. Herbert Eugene Benjamin b. 1870; d. April 2, 1938, age 67-6-14; buried at Middle Island, L.I.; m. Sarah Swezey of Middle Island on July 4, 1900 at Bridgeport, Conn. They were divorced. Had one child, who d. as an infant.
1695. Charles Edward Benjamin bc. 1880 at Greenport; d. November 25, 1935, age 54-1-4 (gs); m. Elizabeth J.Davis. Had son: Charles E. Benjamin Jr., who lived in Islip in 1935.

Resources: Records of Dr. Wilson; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

1007. GEORGE J./GILBERT BENJAMIN^{7} (Usher^{6}, Israel^{5}, Amaziah$^{4-3}$, Richard$^{2-1}$) born about 1850/1 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; died April 27, 1925, age 74; the son of Usher and Jane (Jacobs) Benjamin. He married Kate C. Edgar, the dau. of Richard Edgar.

Children of George and Kate (Edgar) Benjamin:
1696. Edgar Bryant Benjamin bc. 1880.
1697. Milliescent Jane Benjamin bc. 1874.

Resources: Records of Dr. Wilson.

1031. JOHN B. W. BENJAMIN^{7} (Nathan$^{6-5-4-3}$, Richard$^{2-1}$) born November 16, 1831 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of Nathan and Elizabeth (Warner) Benjamin; died November 12, 1906, age 75 (gs) and buried in the Cong. Church Yard at Baiting Hollow, L.I. He married Laura Anna Stearns on March 14, 1855. She was born May 12, 1837 at Almond, N.Y. and died July 30, 1921, age 84-2-18 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

This family had Nathan's writing desk until about 1970, when they parted with it.

Children of John and Laura (Stearns) Benjamin:
1698. Oliver S. Benjamin b. 1855; d. July 24, 1864, age 8-5-21 and buried with parents.
1699. Sarah Rosabelle Benjamin b. November 23, 1857; m. November 19, 1879 John Terry Hallock at Baiting Hollow.
1700. Joseph Benjamin b. 1858.
1701. John Howell Benjamin b. September 2, 1859; d. November 28, 1935, age 76-2-25 (gs) and buried in the Baiting Hollow Cemetery; m. A. Viola Eaton on Oct. 13, 1887 at Nashau, New Hampshire (vr), the dau. of Charles and Mary J. (---) Eaton. She b. Oct. 10, 1860; d. Nov. 17, 1940, age 80-1-7 (gs).
1702. Hattie E. Benjamin b. 1865; d. April 9, 1869, age 308 (gs) and buried with parents.
1703. Sophia B. Benjamin; m. Alvah H. DeFriest.
1704. Grace Benjamin; m. Herbert I. Terry.

Resources: Census records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

1037. DANIEL BENJAMIN[7] (Daniel[6], Nathan[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born May 25, 1822 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of Daniel and Rebecca (Young) Benjamin; died May 4, 1900, age 77-11-9 (gs) at Middle Road, L.I. and is buried in the Baiting Hollow Cemetery. He married Azubah Ann Mosley on March 13, 1847 at Riverhead (vr). She was born in 1833 at Good Ground and died January 31, 1904, age 73-2-13 at Middleroad (vr).

He was a farmer and was located in the 1850 and 1870 census at Riverhead.

Children of Daniel and Azubah (Mosley) Benjamin:

1705. Mary F. Benjamin b. 1849; apparently may have died before 1870; though may have married.

*1706. Franklin Howell Benjamin b. May 28, 1851 at Middle Road.

1707. Roselle G. Benjamin b. October 12, 1853; d. October 1, 1890, age 36-11-18 at Good Ground (Riverhead vr) and buried in the Riverhead Cemetery; m. Ann Blanche/Benjamin Jennings, who was born October 23, 1856 and died June 5, 1926 (gs) and is buried with her husband. Apparently no issue.

1708. Georgianna Eve Benjamin b. February 15, 1856; d. October 12, 1920 at E. Quogue, L.I. and buried in the Oak Wood Cemetery; m. Sept. 10, 1874 at Middleroad to John Daniel Hallock, the son of Daniel Case and Sally (Fanning) Hallock, b. August 10, 1852.

*1709. Elwin C. Benjamin b. November 15, 1863 at Middle-Road.

1710. Ada M. Benjamin b. November 25, 1865; d. May 30, 1940 (gs) and buried with parents; unm.

1711. Nellie Benjamin b. February 1870; m. at Islip June 1897 to John DePaulty.

1712. Hattie H. Benjamin b. 1872; d. August 29, 1876, age 4 yrs. (Both Riverhead and Middle Road vr.)

1713. Mildred M. Benjamin b. 1874; m. Morris M. Conklin.

Resources: Census records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

1039. JEHIAL BENJAMIN[7] (Daniel[6], Nathan[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born November 19, 1828 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of Daniel and Rebecca (Young) Benjamin; died January 15, 1889, age 60 yrs. (gs) at Calverton, L.I. and buried in the Riverhead Cemetery. He married Rhoda Y. ---, who was born about 1824 and died February 11, 1914, age 89-11 at Riverhead (vr) and buried in Greenport.

His will was probated Jan. 5, 1889 at Riverhead Surrogate's Office (#11106) and names his widow and children,

all of Greenport, Kings Co., L.I., N.Y.

Children of Jehial and Rhoda (---) Benjamin:
1714. Roselle G. Benjamin.
1715. George Edward Benjamin.
1716. Franklin H. Benjamin.
1717. Betsey O. Benjamin; m. --- Davis.
1718. Hattie L. Benjamin; m. --- Hughes.
1719. Rhoda J. Benjamin; m. --- Brown.

Resources: Probate records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

1043. GEORGE OSCAR/ORRIN BENJAMIN[7] (Daniel[6], Nathan[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born April 1, 1838 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of Daniel and Rebecca (Young) Benjamin; died May 23, 1917, age 79-1-22 (gs) and is buried in the Riverhead Cemetery. He married Esther Louise Robinson. She was born May 11, 1838 and died June 21, 1915, age 77-1-10 (gs). and is buried with her husband.

He was a farmer, worth $5,000. in 1870, and listed in the 1860 and 1870 census records of Riverhead, L.I.

Children of George O. and Esther (Robinson) Benjamin:
*1720. Ellsworth Orrin Benjamin b. February 21, 1859.
1721. Ora/Oriello/Orie E. Benjamin bc. 1859; d. November 21, 1874, age 14-2-27 (gs) and buried with parent
*1722. Roscoe Maynard Benjamin b. April 24, 1862 at Manorville, L.I.
*1723. George Edward Benjamin b. July 12, 1867.
1724. Lottie Belle Benjamin b. 1871; d. November 10, 1874 age 2-6-11 (gs) and buried with parents.

Resources: Census records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

1055. EGBERT R. BENJAMIN[7] (Selden[6], Phineas[5], Nathan[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1839 at Southampton, Long Island, New York; the son of Selden and Charlotte (Smith) Benjamin. He m/1 Mary Matilda Cheshire on December 19, 1867. She was born November 20, 1840 and died July 30, 1878. He m/2 Mrs. Sarah E. McCroskey of Babylon, L.I. on April 27, 1879 at Bayshore, L.I. He resided at Bellmore & Bayshore.

Children of Egbert and Mary (Cheshire) Benjamin:
*1725. Selden Benjamin b. August 20, 1871.
*1726. Eugene Benjamin b. August 16, 1874.
*1727. Clinton Benjamin b. July 20, 1876.
?1728. Emma Benjamin of Bayshore m. Dec. 19, 1900 Daniel McNeil of Brinkerhoff, N.Y. at Bayshore.

Resources: Records of Mrs. F. Carll of E. Northport, N.Y.; Records of Mrs. H. M. Wyckoff of Carmichael, Calif.

1060. GEORGE LAWSON BENJAMIN[7] (Nathan[6], Phineas[5], Nathan[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1844 at Islip, Long Island, New York; the son of Nathan R. and Mary (Howell) Benjamin; died in 1929 (gs) and is buried in the Oakwood Cemetery in Bayshore, L.I. He married Hannah Rosina (Rosa) Havens, the dau. of Jeremiah and Mary (Rowland) Havens. She was born 1842 and died 1907 (gs). He married/2 Henrietta ---, who was born in 1846 and died 1924 (gs). Both of his wives are buried with him.

He was listed in the 1870 census of Islip, Sayville, Long Island, and was a fisherman.

Children of George and Hannah (Havens) Benjamin:

1729. Hampton H. Benjamin b. January 18, 1870; d. March 23, 1895 (gs) and buried in the Oakwood Cemetery at Bayshore, L.I.; m. 1891 Edna Woodhull, b. 1872. They had a son: George Lawson Benjamin b. 1892.

Resources: Census records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

1071. MARTHA JANE BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6-5-4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1815; the dau. of Samuel and Abigail (Hallock) Benjamin. She married Alfred Downs.

Children of Alfred and Martha (Benjamin) Downs:

1730. Nancy Jane Downs b. October 14, 1848 at Riverhead, L.I.; m. Capt. Henry Harrison Vail, son of Jasper Vail.

Resource: p. 225 Vail Fam., Henry Vail, 1902.

1072. OLINDA ANN BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6-5-4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1817 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the dau. of Samuel and Abigail (Hallock) Benjamin. She married John Quincy Adams.

Children of John and Olinda (Benjamin) Adams:

1731. John Quincy Adams b. January 13, 1854 at Riverhead; m. 1873 Mary Louise Vail, b. April 5, 1858.

Resources: p. 137 Vail Fam., Henry Vail, 1902.

1073. DAVID WELLS BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6-5-4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born April 14, 1824; the son of Samuel Wells and Abigail (Hallock) Benjamin; died May 11, 1916, age 92-0-27 at Riverhead and is buried in the Riverhead Cemetery. He m/1 Sarah Ann Hallock on March 6, 1851. She was born September 14, 1833 and died May 8, 1876 (gs). He m/2 November 19, 1878 at Eastport, L.I. to Amelia A. Raynor, the dau. of Phineas and Rosetta (Davis) Raynor, b. 1857, d.June 1846.

He was listed in the 1870 census of Sag Harbor, Southampton, L.I., was a farmer and worth $2,500 and $700.

At times he was listed at Wells David Benjamin.

Children of David and Sarah (Hallock) Benjamin:

1732. Isabella Frances Benjamin b. December 9, 1851; d. April 26, 1935 (gs) and buried in the East Quogue Cemetery; m. June 11, 1871 at Atlantic-ville, L.I. to John Henry Phillips, the widower of her sister. He was b. September 9, 1844, d. Dec. 19, 1904 (gs) and buried in E. Quogue.

1733. Elizabeth H. Benjamin b. November 25, 1853; d. May 10, 1870 and buried in the E. Quogue Cemetery; m. March 19, 1870 John Henry Phillips. (see above.)

1734. Emma Jane Benjamin b. February 24, 1856; d. February 17, 1954 (gs) and buried in the E. Quogue Cem. of the Methodist Church; m. October 25, 1873 at Quogue to John W. Robinson b. March 16, 1851, d. August 1910. Issue:
1. Walter Benjamin Robinson; m. Edith ---.
2. Ethel Robinson; m. Demarest Rogers.

*1735. Wells David Benjamin b. April 18, 1858.

1736. Theresa (Ettie) May Benjamin b. April 11, 1865; d. 1950 (gs) and buried in the E. Quogue Cemetery; m/1 April 24, 1883 Thomas W. Ellis b. July 10, 1859; divorces; m/2 John Heffner. Issue:
1. Thomas F. Ellis.
2. Tyson Ellis.

Children of David and Amelia (Raynor) Benjamin:

1737. Annie D. Benjamin b. 1888; d. March18, 1969, age 80 (gs) buried in Riverhead; unm.

?1738. Frank Nelson Benjamin.

Resources: Records of Leigh F. Phillips of Westhampton Beach, N.Y.; p. 17 Marriage Records from Suffolk Co. Newspapers, Gertrude Barber.

1077. NEWMAN EMANUEL BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Samuel[5-4], Nathan[3], Richard 2=1) born July 23, 1821 at Sussex Co., New Jersey; the son of David Wells and Eleanor (Newman) Benjamin; died July 18, 1909 at Sussex Co., New Jersey. He married Sarah J. Doland on October 15, 1842, the dau. of William and Mary (---) Doland. She was born January 23, 1820 in Sussex Co., N.J. and died August 6, 1898 at Beaver Run, Sussex Co., New Jersey and is buried in the North Hardyston Cemetery.

He is listed in the 1850 census at Hardiston, Sussex Co., New Jersey.

Children of Newman and Sarah (Doland) Benjamin:

1739. Eleanor Benjamin b. 1843; d. 1939; m. Benjamin Jones. Issue:
1. Jessie J. Jones; m. William M. Armstrong.
2. Eva Jones; m. Wilson J. Simpson.

1740. Mary Benjamin b. January 1847; d. Dec. 28, 1921.

*1741. David Newman Benjamin b. February 2, 1850 at Washington, Warren Co., N.J.

*1742. Isaac Sharp Benjamin b. April 24, 1854.

Resources: Census records; Records of David Benjamin of Cleveland, Ohio.

1078. SAMUEL (?NEWMAN) BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Samuel[5-4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born September 8, 1823 in New Jersey; the son of David Wells and Eleanor (Newman) Benjamin; died September 26, 1910 (gs) at Hainburg, New Jersey and is buried in the Hardyston Cemetery. He m/1 Nancy K. Scott, who was born November 27, 1825 and died June 19, 1868. He m/2 Adaline Simpson, who was born May 2, 1835 and died March 6, 1913. They are both buried with their husband. Another record gives the name of his wife as Stella Smith.

Children of Samuel Benjamin:
1743. David Benjamin.
1744. Daniel W. Benjamin.
1745. Samuel Newman Benjamin; m. Stella Smith.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Robert Boehler of Ind.; Cemetery Records;

1049. GAYLORD BENJAMIN[7] (Mordecai[6], Wells[5], Samuel[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born about1852 in New Jersey; the son of Mordecai and Margaret (---) Benjamin; died December 23, 1932. He married Elizabeth Evans.
He resided in Tioga Co., Penn.

Children of Gaylord and Elizabeth (Evans) Benjamin:
1746. Dr. John Evan Benjamin b. 1885; d. 1952; m. August 1913 Helen Leola Smith b. 1885. Issue:
1. Emily Benjamin b. 1914; m. 1938 Charles G. Griffeth b. 1913.
2. Lloyd Benjamin; unm.; res. Penbwake, Pa.
3. Elizabeth J. Benjamin b. 1917; m. 1937 Ollie R. Bunch b. 1916.
4. John E. Benjamin Jr.; m. Annette Meeker; resieded Wellsboro, Pa.; 3 children.

1747. Margaret Benjamin bc. 1884; m. December 1910 Thomas Prothero b. 1870; resided Charleston Twp., Tioga Co., Penn.

1748. Raymond M. Benjamin bc. 1887; m. 1912 Neva B. Jackson; resided at Wellsboro, Penn. Issue:
1. Beulah Maude Benjamin b. 1917; m. 1934 Vincent Carl Falk b. 1913; m/2 Clarence Till.
2. Marion Benjamin; unm.
3. Paul Raymond Benjamin b. 1914; m. 1938 Lucille Ethel Curtis; reside Memphis, Tenn.

1749. Frank E. Benjamin; d. 1943; m. Ruth McMannon b. 1903; she m/2 1952 Clifford C. Dart b. 1904. Issue:
1. Norton James Benjamin b. 1921; m. Lucille M. Jauquet.
2. Frances E. Benjamin b. 1925; m. 1947 Maxwell

Gillespie b. 1920; had 1 son.
3. Joyce Marie Benjamin b. 1933; m. 1953 Orine Copp b. 1928.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1060. LEWIS DUNN BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Wells[5], Samuel[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born January 5, 1844 at Unionville, Orange Co., New York; the son of Samuel and Emeline (Doty) Benjamin; died in 1935 (gs) at Mt. Salem, New Jersey and is buried in the Unionville Cemetery. He married Anna M. Owen on December 31, 1869 at Unionville. She was born May 14, 1847 and died January 23, 1920 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Children of Lewis and Anna (Owen) Benjamin:
1750. Emeline J. Benjamin b. October 6, 1875 at Unionville, N.Y.

Resource: Doty-Doten Fam.in Am., Ethan A. Doty, 1897.

1061. THOMAS W./N./D. BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Wells[5], Samuel[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born April 25, 1846 at Unionville, Orange Co., New York; the son of Samuel and Emeline (Doty) Benjamin. He married February 25, 1869 at Unionville, N.Y. to Margaret O. Medaugh. Resided Middletown, Orange Co., N.Y.

Children of Thomas and Margaret (Medaugh) Benjamin:
1751. Ella Benjamin b. March 5, 1872; d. March 10, 1872.
1752. Marcus J. Benjamin b. April 25, 1874.
1753. Jane Emeline Benjamin b. July 6, 1876; d. July 14, 1877.
1754. George Elston Benjamin b. April 28, 1879.
1755. Samuel W. Benjamin b. December 5, 1883.

Resources: Doty-Doten Fam. in Am., Ethan A. Doty, 1897.

1067. DAVID WELLS BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Wells[5], Samuel[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born May 8, 1859 at Unionville, Orange Co., New York; the son of Samuel and Emeline (Doty) Benjamin; died in 1951. He married November 15, 1884 Florence Isabelle Lateer.

He resided at Greenville, Green Co., New York.

Children of David and Florence (Lateer) Benjamin:
1756. Harry L. Benjamin b. February 23, 1886; d. January 30, 1969; m. Mary Ann Middleton.
1757. Alice Benjamin.

Resources: Records of Miss Helen M. Benjamin; Doty-Doten Fam. in Am., Ethan A. Doty, 1897.

1077. HARLEY BENJAMIN[7] (Joshua[6-5], Benjamin[4], Samuel[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1840 in Cortland Co., New York; the son of Joshua

and Phebe (Lyman) Benjamin; died before 1881. He married Cyntha Taylor, who was born about 1843 in Cortland Co., New York. She m/2 --- Van Pelt of Good Hope, McDough Co., Illinois.

Harley was listed in the 1865 census of Freetown, Cort land Co., New York and apparently moved to Good Hope, McDough Co., Illinois.

Children of Harley and Cyntha (Taylor) Benjamin:
1758. John Benjamin b. 1862 in Cortland Co., N.Y.
1759. Cora Estelle Benjamin bc. 1865 in Cortland Co., N.Y
1760. Norman Benjamin.

Resources:Census and Probate records of Cortland Co., NY

1094. FRANKLIN M. BENJAMIN[7] (Alvah[6], Jonathan[5], Benjamin[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1833 in Herkimer Co., New York; the son of Alvah and Sarah (Gardner) Benjamin. He married Louisa ---, who was born about 1841 in Cortland Co., N.Y.

He came from Herkimer in 1840, when 8 years of age. He studied law in Cincinnatus and was admitted to the bar in 1859. In 1863 he went to Chenango Co., but returned in 1867 to practice law in Cincinnatus, Cortland Co., N.Y.

Children of Franklin and Louisa (---) Benjamin:
1761. Edith S. Benjamin bc. 1862 in Cortland Co., N.Y.

Resources: p. 146 Hist. of Cortland Co., N.Y., Smith.

1104. JOHN A./B. BENJAMIN[7] (Samuel[6], Jonathan[5], Benjamin[4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born September 7, 1857 in Marathon, New York; the son of Samuel and Mary (Richardson) Benjamin; died in 1929. He married Fannie Harmon in 1880.

They resided in Albany, N.Y. in 1885.

Children of John and Fannie (Harmon) Benjamin:
1762. Guy Harmon Benjamin b. November 5, 1884 in Morovia, Cayuga Co., N.Y.; d. 1940; m. 1905 Mary Parsell b. 1883, d. 1964. Issue:
1. John Parsell Benjamin b. 1910; m. 1944 Matilda Joan Ditsch b. 1919.
1763. Marion Fanny Benjamin b. 1890.

Resource: John Parsell Family Bible Records.

1107. WILLARD J. BENJAMIN[7] (Alanson[6], Jnoathan[5], Benjamin[4], Nathan Richard[2-1]) born in 1841 at Freetown, Cortland Co., New York; the son of Alanson and Harriet (Ives) Benjamin. He married Jennie ---.

He resided in the 1880 census at Cortland Co., New York and in 1895 was in the McGrawville, Cortland Co., N.Y. City Directory.

Children of Willard and Jennie (---) Benjamin:
1764. Nellie Benjamin b. 1875 in Cortland Co., N.Y.

1765. Arthur G. Benjamin bc. 1877 in Cortland Co., N.Y.

Resources: Census Records.

1116. DAVID BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born about 1809 in Riverhead; the son of David and Elizabeth (Tuthill) Benjamin; died January 11/14, 1862, age 53 (gs) and is buried in the Riverhead Cemetery. He m/1 Suphronia Hutchins, who was born in 1813 and died November 11, 1853, age 39 yrs. 9 mos. (gs). He m/2 Mary Hallock, the dau. of Daniel and Parmelia (Bishop) Hallock. She was born October 15, 1818 and died May 7, 1891 at Northville, L.I. She m/2 March 23, 1873 at Upper Aquebogue to James Youngs Downs, b. 1813, the son of Nathaniel and Mehitable (Wells) Downs. It was his third marriage.

David was listed in the 1850 census of Riverhead.

Children of David and Suphronia (Hutchins) Benjamin:

1766. Lenora A. Benjamin b. 1837; m. John F. Benjamin. She d. April 28, 1866, age 28-9-20 (gs) and is buried in David's plot in the Riverhead Cem.

1767. Harriet Emma Benjamin bc. 1839; d. January 28, 1860, age 20 yrs. 5 mos.(gs); unm.

Resources: Tuttle-Tuthill Lines in Am., Ava Tuttle, 1968; p. 225 William Wells of Southold, Charles Wells Hayes, 1879; Hallock Gen., Lucius Hallock, 1906; Young Fam., Selah Young, 1907; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

117. VAN RENSELLEAR BENJAMIN (David , Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon Richard[1]) born March 1, 1813 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of David and Elizabeth (Tuthill) Benjamin; died July 16, 1879, age 66-4-16 (gs) at Jamesport, L.I. and is buried at Northville, L.I. He m/1 Mary Wells in 1839, the dau. of Johusa and Deborah (Youngs) Wells. She was born September 27, 1819 and died October 27, 1840, age 21 yrs. 1 mos. (gs). He m/2 Phoebe Tuthill on April 22, 1841, the dau. of Daniel and Phoebe (Wells) Tuthill. She was born May 4, 1822 at Aquebogue and died April 10, 1905, age 82-11-6 (gs) at Aquebogue and both wives are buried with their husband.

He was listed in the 1840, 1850, and 1860 census of Riverhead, L.I.

Children of Van Rensellear and Mary (Wells) Benjamin:

1768. Infant; stone hard to read; died prior to first yr.

Children of Van Rensellear and Phoebe (Tuthill) Benjamin:

1769. Mary Ann Benjamin b. May 4, 1844.

1770. ?George Benjamin bc. 1854/5; d.? gravestone hard to read.

*1771. Milford Tuthill Benjamin b. August 17, 1847 at Riverhead.

Resources: Riverhead Town Records 1792-1886, courtsey of S. L. Wilcox; Tuttle-Tuthill Lines in Am, Ava Tuttle, 1968 p. 244 William Wells of Southold, Charles W. Hayes, 1879; p. 132 Youngs Fam., Selah Youngs, 1907; Hallock Gen., Lucius H. Hallock, 1906; Census Records; Family Group Sheet from library of Latter Day Saints in Salt Lake City, Utah; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead, N.Y.

1119. ELIZABETH JANE BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[3], Richard[2-1]) born October 1816 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the dau. of David and Elizabeth (Tuthill) Benjamin; died December 12, 1869 at Northville, L.I. She married Joseph Wells on August13, 1838. He was born 1813.

Children of Joseph and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Wells:
1772. Oliver Wells b. 1839.
1773. Elizabeth Jane Wells b. 1841.
1774. Hannah Wells b. 1844.
1775. Mary Janet Wells b. 1847; d. 1910; m. 1876 Daniel Madison Tuthill, son of Jehul and Joannah (Hallock) Tuthill b. 1830; as his 2nd wife; resided in Mattituck, L.I.
1776. Harma Wells b. 1850; d. 1851.
1777. George Wells b. 1852.
1778. Rosetta Wells b. 1855.
1779. Franklin Wells b.1860.

Resources: p. 252 William Wells of Southold, Charles W. Hayes, 1879; Tuttle-Tuthill Lines in Am., Ava Tuttle, 1968

1120 JOHN A. BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born August 16, 1817/8 at Northville, Long Island, New York; died January 11, 1862. He married Adelia ---. He resided at Brooklyn, New York.

Children of John and Adelia (---) Benjamin:
1780. Elizabeth Benjamin.

Resources: Tuttle-Tuthill Lines in Am., Ava Tuttle, 1968.

1122. CALEB HALSEY BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2] Richard[1]) born March 15, 1821 at Northville, Long Island, New York; the son of David and Elizabeth (Tuthill) Benjamin; died June 2, 1900, age 79-2-18 (gs) at Northville and is buried in the Northville Cemetery. He m/1 Hannah Marie Youngs on April 8, 1843, the dau. of John and Maria (Corwin) Youngs. She was born September 20, 1823 at Aquebogue, L.I. and died July 8, 1869, age 45-9=13 (gs) and is buried with her husband. He m/2 Glorianna Fanning on October 25, 1870 at Aquebogue, L.I., the dau. of Dr. Joshua and Elma (Tuthill) Fanning. She was his second cousin. She was born November 25, 1825 at Aquebogue, L.I. and as a widow was residing in Portland, Maine. There was

no issue of this second marriage.

He was a farmer and a member of the Congregational Church. He was listed in the 1850 and 1870 census records of Riverhead, L.I.

Children of Caleb and Hannah (Youngs) Benjamin:

1781. Marie Elizabeth Benjamin b. June 12, 1844 at Northville; d. November 24, 1918 (gs) and buried in the Northville Cemetery; m. November 14, 1871 Henry Terry of Southampton at Northville.

1782. Nancy Lorenia Benjamin b. July 19, 1845 at Centerville, L.I.; d. March 16, 1919 at Riverhead; m. Charles E. Luce on December 12, 1867. He was b. June 4, 1846 at Northville, d. August 10, 1885. Had dau.: Eva Viola Luce who m. --- Young.

1783. Dr. John Halsey Benjamin, M.D. b. June 22, 1855; d. November 26,1916, age 61-5-3 (gs) at Riverhead and buried in the Riverhead Cemetery. He m/1 Florence Williams b. Dec. 20, 1857, d. March 14, 1888, age 30-2-23 (gs). He m/2 Arminda/Amanda Wood on August 7, 1889. She b. July 18, 1861 and d. Jan. 31, 1926, age 62 yrs. They are all buried together. John had no children.

Resources: p. 203 Portrait and Biog. Rec. of Suffolk Co., L.I., 1896; p. 326 Hist.of Fanning Fam., Walter Brooks, 1905; p. 169 Youngs Fam., Selah Young, 1907; Family Bible and Tombstone Records from Mrs. Eleanor Antoun of Riverhead, N.Y.; Tuttle-Tuthill Lines in Am., Ava Tuttle, 1968; Salt Lake Family Group Sheets; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

1123. ALBERT T. BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born March 20, 1823/1830 (though cemetery rec. would indicate 1826) at Northville, Long Island, New York; the son of David and Elizabeth (Tuthill) Benjamin; died May 28, 1915, age 89-2-16 (gs) at Riverhead and is buried in the Northville Cemetery. He m/1 Phoebe Jane Wells on December 18, 1848 at Riverhead (vr). She was the dau. of Joshua and Deborah (Youngs) Wells and was born in 1830 and died April 16, 1888, age 58-2-16.(gs) and is buried with her husband. He m/2 Mrs. Caroline A. (Carver) Corwin on December 4, 1888. She was born February 21, 1842 at Manorville, L.I., the dau. of Silas and Selvina (Raynor) Carver She had m/1 Nathaniel Howell Robinson and m/2 Daniel Corwin. There was no issue of this second marriage.

He was a farmer and was listed in the 1850, 1860, and 1870 census records of Riverhead. His will is on file at the Riverhead Surrogate Office (#21468) and names his adopted son, William Ray Byron of Glenwood, California; dau.: Belle Reeve; and step-son Roswell Corwin of Aquebogue.

Children of Albert T. Benjamin:

1784. Frankie A. Benjamin bc. 1857; adopted; d. October

15, 1875, age 17 yrs. 8 mos. (gs) and buried with Albert.

1785. Lilly Belle or Lillian R. Benjamin bc. 1864; an adopted dau.; m. Alan T. Reeve.

1786. William Ray Byron Benjamin; an adopted son.

Resources: Tuttle-Tuthill Lines in Am., Ava Tuttle, 1968; Riverhead Town Records 1792-1886; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

1124. SIMEON OSCAR BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2] Richard[1]) born February 24, 1834 at Northville, Long Island, New York; the son of David and Elizabeth (Tuthill) Benjamin; died September 23, 1925, age 91-6-28 (gs) at Riverhead (vr) and is buried in the Northville Cemetery. He was hit on the back by a boy at play, and had a lumbar abcess. He married Adelia J. Hallock on October 12, 1858, the dau. of Herman W. and Arminda (Youngs)Hallock. She was born in 1841 and died June 13, 1929, age 87-10-4 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He was a farmer and was listed in the 1870 census at Riverhead. Adelia's will is on file (#31303) at the River head Surrogate's Office and names three daus.: Mary, Ella, and Nina.

Children of Simeon and Adelia (Hallock) Benjamin:

1787. Ella May Benjamin b. 1859 at Riverhead; m. December 25, 1882 George Omar Hallock at Northville. They lived at Mattituck.

1788. Mary (Mamie) Florence Benjamin b. February 29, 1868 at Northville; m. March 8, 1887 at Mattituck to Joshua Terry Fanning b. 1869. They lived at Riverhead. She d. 1933 (gs) and is buried in the Riverhead Cemetery.

1789. Bertha Adelia Benjamin b. October 1872; d. March 20, 1874 at Northville, age 1-4-18 (gs) and is buried with her parents.

1790. Nina Ethelwynne Benjamin b. 1879; m. November 8, 1899 at Northville to Henry A. Hallock. They lived at Northville.

Resources: p. 549 Fanning Fam. Gen., Walter F. Brooks, 1905; p. 150 Hallock Gen., Lucius H. Hallock, 1906; Tuttle Tuthill Lines in Am., Ava Tuttle, 1968; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

1126. MARY M. BENJAMIN[7] (David[6], Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born May 21, 1838 at Northville, Long Island, New York; the son of David and Elizabeth (Tuthill) Benjamin; still living in 1896. She married James Monroe Reeve of Mattituck on May 29, 1856. He was the son of Jesse and Polly Ann (Aldrich) Reeve and was born May 2, 1828 and died September 17, 1870. He had m/1 Sarah Helen Cox, in 1849. She died in 1854.

Children of James and Mary (Benjamin) Reeve:
1791. Sadie Reeve.

Children of James and Sarah (Cox) Reeve:
Stephen Jesse Reeve.
John Goldsmith Reeve.

Resources: p. 895 Underhill Gen., Josephine Frost, 1932.

1128. WILLIAM FRANKLIN BENJAMIN[7] (William[6], Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born February 24, 1816 at Northville, Long Island, New York; the son of William F. and Amelia (Hallock) Benjamin; died June 8, 1879, age 62 (gs) at Elmira, Chemung Co., New York and is buried in the Woodlawn Cemetery in Elmira. He m/1 Elizabeth L. Terry of West Northville, L.I. on October 6, 1838. She was the dau. of James and Hannah (Cooper) Terry and was born in 1821 and died July 20, 1851, age 29 yrs. (gs) at Elmira, N.Y. and is buried with her husband. He m/2 Clarissa Rathbun on October 6/22, 1852, the dau. of John Z. and Celia (Toby) Rathbun. She was born March 23, 1818 and died June 4/5, 1894, age 76 yrs. (gs) at Elmira, N.Y.

Children of William F. and Elizabeth (Terry) Benjamin:
*1792. Simeon Terry Benjamin b. January 2, 1840 at Elmira, N.Y.
1793. Elizabeth M. Benjamin b. August 2, 1841 at Elmira, N.Y.; d. May 1, 1922; m/1 B. F. Wells b. 1842, d. August 23, 1870. He was a farmer at Northville, L.I. She m/2 Capt. George Vail of Riverhead. She had no children.
1794. Amelia Benjamin bc.1843.
1795. James William Harvey Benjamin b. July 1, 1846; d. 1892, age 45 (gs); buried in the Woodlawn Cemetery at Elmira, N.Y.; m. Ella T. Youmans b. 1850, d. 1898, age 48 yrs. (gs). He was a retail druggist and resided in Brooklyn, N.Y.

Resources: p. 164 Hallock Gen., Lucius H. Hallock, 1906; p. 451 Hist.of Henry Adams, Andrew N. Adams, 1989; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

1129. RICHARD HAMPTON BENJAMIN, M.D.[7] (William[6], Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard1) born October 2, 1820 at Northville, Long Island, New York; the son of William F. and Amelia (Hallock) Benjamin; died April 26, 1886, (gs) and is buried at the Riverhead Cemetery. He married Hannah F. Smith on December 4, 1847. She was born October 17, 1827 and died January 31, 1904, age 77-3-28 (gs) at Flanders, L.I. and is buried with her husband.

He practiced medicine in Riverhead, L.I. about 40 years. He was also First President of the Riverhead Savings Bank. He was listed in the 1870 census at Riverhead.

Children of Richard and Hannah (Smith) Benjamin:

1796. Hannah Amelia Benjamin b. June/October 3, 1847; d. March 22, 1905 (gs) and is buried in the Riverhead Cemetery; m. March 4, 1872/3 Dr. Lewis/Louis Wilson Terry b. December 19, 1841, the son of Wilson J. and Sarah (Green) Terry. He d.c. 1915 and was a doctor in Patchogue, L.I.

1797. Phoebe S./J. Benjamin b. 1850; d. Agust 17, 1851, age 6 mos. 2 days. (gs) and buried with parents.

1798. Masasseh Fanning Benjamin b. 1852; d. February 21, 1857, age 4-3-4 (gs) and buried with parents.

1799. Elida M. Benjamin b. 1855; d. October 21, 1856, age 10 mos. 21 days. (gs).

1800. Mary Louise Benjamin b. July 15, 1857; d. August 27, 1877, age 19 yrs. (gs) buried with parents.

1801. Maria T. Benjamin b. October 21, 1862; d. April 4, 1898; m. December 16, 1886 at Riverhead to Lewis G. Rathbun. Issue:
   1. John Hampton Rathbun b. Jan. 3, 1889.
   2. Mina Rece Rathbun b. July 9, 1890.
   3. Sarah Louise Rathbun b. Nov. 16, 1892.

?1802. Phebe S. Benjamin; m. Charles N. Hallock; had son Charles P. Hallock.

Resources: p. 164 Hallock Gen., Lucius Hallock, 1906; p. 218 Fam. of Richard Smith, Fredrick K. Smith, 1967; p. 288 Young Gen., Selah Young, 1907; Riverhead Town Reords 1792-1886; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

1130. JAMES HARVEY BENJAMIN[7] (William[6], Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born April 4, 1823 at Northville, Long Island, New York; the son of William F. and Amelia (Hallock) Benjamin; died May 7/8, 1896, age 73-1-4 (gs) at Northville and is buried inthe Northville Cemetery. He married Harriet H. Raynor on December 15, 1852. She was born December 23, 1832 at Southampton, L.I. and died January 31, 1912, age 78-1-8 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

It was while he owned the homestead that it was reduced in size to about 125 acres. He was a Republican and a Deacon of the Congregational Church. He was listed in the 1860 and 1870 census of Riverhead. His dau. wrote to Dr. Wilson that "neither business or pleasure, weariness, or sickness, until the deathangel over came him ever made an excuse for omitting the family prayers twice a day. In this was the Bible read through once a year, throughout his married life--a period of nearly 45 years."

His will is on file in the Riverhead Surrogate's Office (#13472) and mentions widow Harriet H. of Northville; son: William H.; dau.: Nancy of New Jersey; dau.: Amelia in Cincinnati, Ohio. The property was passed on to son William.

Children of James and Harriet (Raynor) Benjamin:

1803. Mary Amelisa Benjamin b. February 15, 1854 at North ville; d. April 4, 1856, age 2-1-17 (gs) and buried with parents.

1804. Harriet H. Benjamin b. October 23, 1856; d. March 22, 1857, age 1-5 (gs); buried with parents.

1805. Nancy W. Benjamin b. December 28, 1857; m. April 16, 1895 to Alfred Rigby; had no children; resided at Morristown and Elizabeth, N.J.

1806. Amelia H. Benjamin b. August 25, 1860; unmarried; matron of Colorado Prairie Orphanage; Salvation Army member; resided at Amity, Colorado.

1807. Henrietta Benjamin b. April 7, 1863; d. August 5, 1863, age 5 mos.(gs); buried with parents.

1808. William H. Benjamin b. December 25, 1865 at Northville, L.I.; d. 1928 (gs) and buried in the North ville Cemetery; m. Florence M. Downs of Northville on January 1, 1891. She was the dau. of Sheldon and Matilda K. (Hallock) Downs and was b. 1865, d. 1943 (gs) and is buried with her husband. William owned the homestead at Northville. Issue:

1. Elenita Marion Benjamin b. August 25, 1902; m. Cyril Fitch.

1809. one other child; d. before 1896.

Resources: p. 165 Hallock Gen., Lucius Hallock, 1906; p. 156 Portrait and Biog. Rec. of Suffolk Co., L.I., 1896; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead & Owego, N.Y.

1136. SARAH MARIA BENJAMIN[7] (Simeon[6], Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born in Elmira, Chemung Co., New York; the dau. of Simeon and Sarah (Goldsmith) Benjamin. She married John Tobey Rathbun/Rathbone in 1847. He was the son of John Z. and Celia (Toby) Rathbun and was born March 8/10, 1810 at Milton or Balston, New York and died January 23, 1894 at Elmira, N.Y. He had m/1 Maria Reed in 1835, the dau. of Jesse Reed, who d. May 5, 1845, age 29 yrs. 7 mos.

He was a trustee of the First Presbyterian Church; was elected to the State Assembly in 1845, 1846, and 1847. He operated the Rathbun House at Elmira and was a member of the school board and a trustee of Elmira College.

Children of John and Maria (Reed) Rathbun:

George R. Rathbun.
Mary E. Rathbun.
John H. Rathbun.
one other child.

Children of John and Sarah (Benjamin) Rathbun:

1810. Simeon Benjamin Rathbun b. August 12, 1848 at Scipio, N.Y.

1811. Sarah Maria Rathbun b. December 10, 1850 at Scipio; d. February 5, 1859.

1812. William R. Rathbun b. April 17, 1855 at Scipio, N.Y. had sons named William T. and Benjamin Rathbun.
1813. Louis Goldsmith Rathbun b. October 25, 1857 at Elmira, N.Y.; was postmaster of Elmira, N.Y.

Resources: Vol. II #41 p. 17 Yesteryears; p. 518 Rathbone Gen., John C. Cooley, 1908.

1141. JOHN BENJAMIN[7] (Moses[6], Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born January 10, 1822/3 on Long Island; the son of Rev. Moses and Phebe (Hulse) Benjamin; died June 17, 1886 (gs) at Van Etten, New York and is buried in the Rumsey-Getman Cemetery. He married Margaret Esselstein, the dau. of Jacob and Mary (---) Esselstein. She was born in 1823 and died 1898 and is buried with her husband, though there is no gravestone for her.

Margaret Benjamin, as a mother, was on the list of pensioners and was receiving $8.00 per month as of May 1866.

John lived in Elmira, Chemung Co., N.Y. in 1850 and 1860; was in Horseheads in 1870; and Van Etten, Chemung Co., N.Y. in 1880.

Children of John and Margaret (Esselstein) Benjamin:
1814. James F. Benjamin b. 1842; d. June 14, 1864 of wounds received at Resaca, Georgia at Louisville, Kentucky. He enlisted August 20, 1862.
*1815. John H. Benjamin b. 1845.
*1816. Moses Simeon Benjamin b. 1850/1.
1817. Infant dau. bc. 1852; dc. 1852.
1818. Helen A. Benjamin b. 1854; d. 1861; buried in the freeground in Elmira, N.Y.; no grave stone.
*1819. Tracy B. Benjamin b. 1863.

Resources: Vol. II List of Pensioners on the Rolls, 1883; Hist. of Tioga, Chemung, Tompkins, and Schuyler Co., N.Y., 1879; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead & Owego.

1142. MOSES FRANKLIN BENJAMIN[7] (Moses[6], Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born August 6, 1830 at Coram, Long Island, New York; the son of Rev. Moses and Ursula (Newton) Benjamin; died September 8, 1899 (gs) at Riverhead, L.I. and buried in the Riverhead Cemetery. He married Helen Frances Aldrich of Riverhead on December 13, 1860. She was the dau. of Timothy and Hannah B. (Tennent) Aldrich and was born May 20, 1834 and died April 25, 1908, age 73 yrs. 11 mos. (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He came to Riverhead about 1859 and entered the drug business in partnership with Richard H. Benjamin. Within a short time, he entered the same business alone. He was on the Board of Trustees of the Riverhead Savings Bank and a member of the Riverhead M.E. Church.

Children of Moses F. and Helen (Aldrich) Benjamin:

*1820. Thaddeus Newton Benjamin b. October 4, 1861 at Riverhead, L.I.

1821. Infant male b. July 25, 1863; d. 1863.

1822. Eugenia B. Benjamin b. September 2, 1865; d. May 13, 1943; unmarried.

*1823. Dr. F(rank) Everett Benjamin b. May 11, 1868 at Riverhead.

*1824. Mark DeWitt Benjamin b. September 27, 1872 at Riverhead.

Resources: p. 132 Hist. of Shelter Island, Jacob Mallman, 1899; p. 559 Portrait and Biog. Rec.of Suffolk Co., L.I., 1896; Deaths, Births, and Marriages from family Bible, courtsey of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead; Wilson Paper; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead & Owego, N.Y.

Chapter 17

GENERATION VIII - RICHARD LINE

1165. NATHAN LEVI BENJAMIN[8] (Samuel[7], James[6-5], David[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1820 in Ohio; the son of Samuel and Delitha (Dean) Benjamin. He m/1 Nancy Calvert on September 28, 1848 in Perry Co., Ohio (vr) and m/2 Mary Susan Flowers on October 29, 1855 in Perry Co., Ohio. (vr). She was the dau. of Peter and Catherine (---) Flowers and was born about 1841 in Ohio.

He was a miller and horse trader and was listed in the 1860 census of Pleasant Twp., Perry Co., Ohio.

Children of Nathan and Nancy (Calvert) Benjamin:
1825. Delilah Benjamin bc. 1849 or 1852 in Ohio.
1826. Lydia Benjamin bc. 1854.
1827. John Benjamin bc. 1856 in Perry Co., Ohio.

Children of Nathan and Mary (Flowers) Benjamin:
1828. Nelson Edward Benjamin b. October 18, 1858 in Oakfield, Perry Co., Ohio; d. January 24, 1944; m. Elizabeth Wren. Issue:
1. Roy Benjamin b.1885; d. 1948; unm.
2. Earl Benjamin b. 1888; d. May 1962.
3. Louise Benjamin b. 1898.
1829. William Benjamin bc. 1859 in Perry Co., Ohio.
1830. Charles Benjamin.
1831. Lydia Ella/Ella Benjamin.

Resources: Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.; Census records.

1172. AMBROSE BENJAMIN[8] (James[7-6-5], David[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born May 13, 1835 in Ohio; the son of James and Margaret (Brooks) Benjamin; died January 13, 1885 at Mt. Sterling, Hopewell, Ohio and is buried in the Cedar Hill Cemetery at Brownsville, Ohio. He married January 15, 1868 near Newark, Ohio to Rebecca (Laughman) Guttridge Willard, the dau. of Henry and Sarah (McCracken) Laughman. She was born January 25, 1839 in Ohio and died May 24, 1915 at Hopewell, Ohio. She had m/1 W. Gutridge and m/2 Harvey Willard.

Ambrose served in the Civil War in the 10th Ohio Calvary Unit and his service number was #293974 and his disability pension #205618.

Children of Ambrose and Rebecca (Laughman) Benjamin:
1832. Charles Benjamin b. February 1868; d. August 21,

1933 at Hopewell, Ohio; buried in the Mt. Sterling Cemetery; unm.

1833. James Benjamin b. March 8, 1871; d. March 7, 1937 at Hopewell, Ohio; buried Mt. Sterling Cem.; unm.

1834. Edward C. Benjamin b. October 19, 1873; d. June 18, 1921 and is buried in the Mt. Sterling Cem. at Hopewell, Ohio. He m. September 10, 1908 Grace Gertrude Foster, dau. of Samuel J. and Grace (Jackson) Foster at Butler Co., Penn. Issue:

1. James Elmer Benjamin b. March 2, 1909 at Calery, Penn.
2. Charles William Benjamin b. October 22, 1910.
3. Harry Ambrose Benjamin b. August 24, 1913; d. January 14, 1914.
4. Harold Andrew Benjamin b. August 24, 1913; d. January 14, 1914.
5. Mary Pauline Benjamin b. June 3, 1917; d. December 7, 1918.
6. Grace Rebecca Benjamin b. January 1, 1915 at Hopewell, Ohio.
7. Anna Pearl Benjamin b. September 29, 1919 at Zanesville, Ohio.

1835. Magey Benjamin b. March 24, 1877; d. April 25, 1879 and buried in Cedar Hill, next to her father.

1836. Frank Benjamin b. February 14, 1883; disappeared about 1911/12; m. Elizabeth Norman, dau. of David and Ella (---) Norman b. March 17, ---; d. 1954.

1. Raymond Walter Benjamin b. 1899; d. 1966.
2. Carl Benjamin b. April 24, 1904; d. 1960.
3. Frank E. Benjamin b. April 24, 1904.
4. Nora Benjamin b. April 1911; m. M. Shumate.

Rebecca had sons from her first 2 marriages: Stamford Gutridge b. April 24, 1856, d. 1919; Harvey Willard Jr. b. November 8, 1861, d. 1890; Henry Willard b. September 29, 1863, d. 1889.

Resource: Mrs. James E. Benjamin of Regina, Sask., Canada.

1183. JESSE BENJAMIN[8] (Samuel[7], Jesse[6-5], David[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born August 29, 1818 at Sussex Co., New Jersey; the son of Samuel and Mary (Sherwood) Benjamin; died April 7, 1878/9 at Lenox, Susquehanna Co., Penn. He married May 14, 1848 Mary Elizabeth Clark, who was born December 15, 1825 and died July 22, 1918, age 73.

When he was age 5 yrs. he came with his parents to Carbondale, Pa. He worked there as a clerk until 1839, when the family moved to Lenox, where he lived and was employed on his father's farm until his marriage, when he bought a farm near his fathers's. He remained there until his death.

Children of Jesse and Mary (Clark) Benjamin:

1837. Permelia Benjamin b. April 22, 1849 at Lenox, Pa.,

d. December 17, 1935 at Hartford, Pa.; m. Nov. 11, 1877 Edwin Quick, the son of Timothy Wood and Mary (Steele) Quick. They had a farm near Nicholson, Pa. Issue:

1. Katherine Quick b. Oct. 19, 1878; m. Feb. 1909 Dr. C. H. Johnson of Hartford, Pa.
2. M. Leah Quick b. Feb. 14, 1881; m. March 1899 Herman Smith.
3. Dexter E. Quick b. July 22, 1885; m. Sept. 1914 Florence F. Sperry.
4. Howard A. Quick b. Oct. 8, 1887; m. Dec. 1907 Gertrude Bloom.
5. Clara E. Quick b. Dec. 26, 1889; m. Oct. 1921 Lee Pardene.
6. Alice I. Quick b. Nov. 9, 1891; m. Sept. 1925 William H. Kline.

1838. Galusha Wesley Benjamin b. June 30, 1851 at Lenox, Penn.; d. 1927 (gs) and is buried at Nicholson, Penn.; m. January 1, 1884 Amanda Ann Maynard, who d. Oct. 5, 1933. He was a blacksmith by trade but lived the later part of his life on a farm near Hopbotton, Pa.

1. Aulden/Alden George Benjamin b. August 17, 1887 at Hopebotton, Pa.; d. 1954; m. Dec. 1910 Dora E. Goodrich b. 1892, d. 1952.; resided at Scranton, Penn.

1839. Percilla J. Benjamin b. Jan. 15, 1854; d. October 8, 1857.

1840. Alwilda Estella Benjamin b. November 1, 1856; d. June 17, 1914; m/1 Jan. 1, 1875 James H. Howe; m/2 October 1889 James B. Keller; m/2 Mr. --- Hunt.

1841. Leon Arlington Benjamin b. August 20, 1860; d. August 16, 1932 (gs) at Nicholson, Penn.; m. Feb. 14, 1884 Emma Quick. She was born 1862 and d. 1948. (gs). He was a farmer at Nicholson, Lenox Twp., Susquehanna Co., Penn.

1. Jesse L. Benjamin b. May 26, 1885; m. Feb. 1909 Ruth Van Auren.
2. Ethel J. Benjamin b. August 18, 1865; m. Dec. 1907 Tracy J. Waterman.
3. Charles Austin Benjamin b. August 25, 1888; d. 1933; m. June 1912 Vera Faye Eastman.
4. Joseph A. Benjamin b. July 11, 1890; m. Mar. 1912 Gertrude Welch.
5. Florence M. Benjamin b. July 18, 1895; d. 1915; m. April 1914 Milo D. Green.

1842. Acelia Viola Benjamin b. August 1, 1863; d. 1914; unm.

1843. Ernest A. Benjamin b. December 25, 1866; d. March 6, 1928; unm.

1844. George Preston Benjamin b. October 29, 1870; d. February 20, 1920; unm.

Resources: Manuscript by Mrs. T. E. Terwilliger via Rev. G. Williams of Nicholson, Pa.

1184. SAMUEL SHERWOOD BENJAMIN[8] (Samuel[7], Jesse[6-5], David[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born February 22, 1821 in Sussex Co., New Jersey; the son of Samuel and Mary (Sherwood) Benjamin; died September 22, 1891 (gs) at Nicholson, Penn. and is buried at Wyoming Co., Penn. He married Mary Steele of Nicholson, Penn. on April 28, 1844 at Susquehanna Co., Penn. (vr). She was born November 10, 1826 and died January 25, 1900 (gs).

He lived with his parents until his marriage and then purchased a farm not far from his father in Lenox, where he remained until his death.

Children of Samuel and Mary (Steele) Benjamin:

1845. Eleanor Almira Benjamin b. September 24, 1844; d. May 10, 1912; m. August 3, 1862 Edwin Revilo Chase b. 1841, August 30.

1846. William Sherwood Benjamin b. 1846; d. December 22, 1881 (gs) and buried in the Nicholson Cemetery; m. December 24, 1867 Augusta Eliza Nichols b. 1845, d. 1936 (gs). Issue:
  1. Archie Parish Benjamin b. November 29, 1870; d. March 8, 1939; m. June 4, 1895 Delphine May McKinney; resided at Scranton, Penn.
  2. Harry Reuben Benjamin b. November 26, 1872; d. 1932; m. June 21, 1905 Mabel Julia Warner b. 1871, d. 1917; had 2 daus.

1847. Polly Rosalie Benjamin b. March 6, 1850; d. May 2, 1939 (gs); m. September 23, 1865 John Taylor b. 1839; d. May 1906.

1848. Richard Wells Benjamin b. January 26, 1852; d. Mar. 7, 1865 (gs) buried in Nicholson Cemetery.

1849. Hattie E. Benjamin b. September 9, 1854; d. Jan. 24, 1856 (gs).

1850. Sanford Charles Benjamin b. November 5, 1856; d. February 3, 1921; m. Hattie A. Finn b. March 4, 1860; d. Jan. 31, 1914. An employee of the D.L. & W. R.R.

1851. Sarah Jane Benjamin b. 1860; d. 1932 (gs); m. 1895 Edward Langdon Coil.
  1. Lloyd Langdon Coil b. August 3, 1887.
  2. Sanford Sherwood Coil b. March 2, 1891.

Resources: Same as above.

1185. JANE BENJAMIN[8] (Samuel[7], Jesse[6-5], David[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born born November 5, 1822 in Sussex Co., New Jersey; the dau. of Samuel and Mary (Sherwood) Benjamin; died September 11, 1903 in Scranton, Penn. She married James Stephens on January 10, 1841. He died November 18, 1900.

She came with her family to Carbondale, Penn. in 1830.

In 1838 she taught one term of school near Carbondale, at Fall Brook. The next year she came to the farm in Lenox with her family. After her marriage she lived on a farm between Glenwood and Nicholson. The Tunkhannock River ran through their farm. Jane lived there 59 years, until the death of her husband. After his death she lived with her dau., Elnora Terwilliger in Scranton.

Children of James and Jane (Benjamin) Stephens:

1852. Henry Norell Stephens b. Sept. 14, 1842; d.June 28, 1920; m. January 1, 1863 Mary J. MacDonald. He bought a farm in Lenox Twp.,

1853. Adelbert Wesley Stephens b. July 17, 1844; d. Sept. 14, 1925; m. July 5, 1869 Emily D. Tiffany. He purchased the Marcy farm on the River Road between Nicholson and Glenwood. He represented his district at Harrisburgh 1787-79. Later he built a home at Nicholson, Pa. where he worked at carpentering and contracting.

1854. Mary Jane Stephens b. Jan. 3, 1847; d.June 29, 1852.

1855. James Richard Stephens b. January 1, 1856; d. April 17, 1915; m/1 Nov. 5, 1871 Caroline E. Willmarth; m/2 in 1879 Eva Blache Crofut. He was a carpenter and contractor.

1856. Morris Edward Stephens b. Sept. 1, 1856; d. Jan. 31, 1872.

1857. Elnora Celia Stephens b. March 23, 1860; m. June 10, 1884 Theodore E. Terwilliger.

Resources: Manuscript and research of Mrs. T. E. Terwilliger, courtsey of Rev. G. Williams of Nicholson, Pa.

1187. ALPHEUS S. BENJAMIN[8] (Samuel[7], Jesse[6-5], David[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born May 30, 1828 at Lackawana Co., Penn.; the son of Samuel and Mary (Sherwood) Benjamin; died December 11, 1901 at Lenox Twp., Susquehanna Co., Penn. He m/1 January 1, 1857 Caroline Powers (another record says Caroline Rogers ; the dau. of Hazard and Philena (Tingley) Rogers.) She died in 1872. He m/2 April 8, 1874 Mary David, who died in 1884. He m/3 Mrs. Mary J. (Tucker) Wilkinson, perhaps the dau. of Weston Tucker.

Children of Alpheus and Caroline (Rogers) Benjamin:

1858. Adrea Della Benjamin b. December 15, 1857; d. June 28, 1906 at Scranton, Penn.; m/1 John W. Sprague; m/2 May 1902 George Backworth.

1859. Eva I. Benjamin b. June 18, 1861; m. Cordean Bennett. They purchased and lived on her father's farm near Lenox (near Loomis Lake).

1860. Sammy Hazard Benjamin b. May 30, 1863; d. February 10, 1864.

1861. Edwin D. Benjamin b. March 9, 1865; m. March 11, 1886 Effie J. Tallman of Hartford, Penn. She d. March 14, 1936. He lived on a farm near Kingsley,

Penn. Issue:

1. Merle O. Benjamin b. March 15, 1887 at Lenox; m. March 16, 1908 Ethel Colburn, who d. March 4, 1933.
2. Lena M. Benjamin b. May 4, 1889; m. March 24, 1909 Ford B. Gardner of Lenox.
3. Alpheus S. Benjamin b. June 20, 1896 at Kingsley, Penn.; m. March 21, 1918 Mabel G. Bolles.
4. Ralph E. Benjamin b. 1902; m. 1922 Gertrude M. Allen.
5. Verna M. Benjamin b. April 24, 1911; m. 1928 Forest F. Conrad.

Resources: Manuscript by Mrs. T. E. Terwilliger.

1188. ABRAM RICHARD BENJAMIN[8] (Samuel[7], Jesse[6-5], David[4-3], Richard 2-1) born October 11, 1831 at Carbondale, Penn.; the son of Samuel and Mary (Sherwood) Benjamin; died April 7, 1888. He married Jerusha Millard in 1852.

He was a carpenter and contractor by trade. A few years after his marriage he went to Ohio and later moved to Cameron, Clinton Co., Missouri. About 1875 he moved to Jamesport, Daviess Co., Missouri and lived on a farm 1½ miles north of Jamesport. In February 1888, while working on a timber tract, he accidently cut his leg, which caused his death. He is buried in the I.O.O.F. Cemetery at Jamesport.

Children of Abram and Jerusha (Millard) Benjamin:

1862. Risetta Benjamin b. May 20, 1853; d. August 25, 1855; buried in the Stephens Cem. in Nicholson.
1863. Dyanthia Benjamin b. 1856; d. 1885; m/1 James Hughart; m/2 William R. Davis; buried at Jamesport
1864. Thomas Jefferson Benjamin b. 1855; d. March 16, 1932 at Kansas City, Missouri; buried in the Elmwood Cemetery; m. Fannie Harvey. He was a Station Agent and Telegraph operator for the Santa Fe R.R. at Cameron, Illinois. Issue:
    1. Clio Benjamin b. May 2, 1881; d. Jan. 23, 1888.
    2. Alvin Brodie Benjamin b. August 5, 1882; m/1 ?; m/2 Verna Hogsett.
    3. Abram Richard Benjamin b. August 8, 1891; m. Evah Rodgers; resided at Akron, Ohio. Had son Glenn Eldon b. July 25, 1907.
1865. Lydia Benjamin; d. 1881.
1866. Phila Benjamin b. 1886; d. 1886 at Jamesport, Mo.

Resources: Manuscript of Mrs. T. E. Terwilliger, courtsey of Rev. G. Williams of Nicholson, Penn.

1190. MARY ELIZABETH BENJAMIN[8] (Samuel[7], Jesse[6-5], David[4-3], Rich-

ard$^{2-1}$) born in Carbondale, Penn. June 19, 1836; the dau. of Samuel and Mary (Sherwood) Benjamin; died December 22, 1918 at Scranton, Penn. She married October 20, 1855 to James Wescott.

They lived on a farm hear Nicholson, Penn.

Children of James and Mary (Benjamin) Westcott:

1867. Charles J. Westcott b. July 12, 1858; m/1 Carried L. Ranson July 3, 1886. She d. Sept. 26, 1896 and he m/2 Jan. 22, 1897 Jennie Celestia Arust. He d. Feb. 12, 1937; buried at Nicholson, Penn.

1868. Chancy Wells Westcott b. May 18, 1860; m/1 May 11, 1882 Lelia Tiffany; m/2 Minnie Phillips.

1869. Elva J. Westcott b. February 20, 1862; d. February 5, 1888 at Lilly Lake, Penn.; m. June 2, 1883 Daniel Corey.

1870. Mamie A. Westcott b. April 27, 1864; d. January 25, 1885 at Scranton, Penn.; m. October 4, 1884 James J. Norton.

1871. Hila M. Westcott b. August 5, 1865; d. April 14, 1929 at Scranton; m. February 27, 1896 Frank Brown. Had one son: Kenneth Brown b. April 21, 1900, m. Kathryn Branning in 1925.

Resource: Manuscript by Mrs. T. E. Terwilliger.

1192. FRANCIS M. BENJAMIN^{8} (Samuel^{7}, Jesse$^{6-5}$, David$^{4-3}$, Richard$^{2=1}$) born December 16, 1842 at Lenox Twp., Susquehanna Co., Pa.; the son of Samuel and Mary (Sherwood) Benjamin; died April 17, 1926 at Binghamton, New York. He married Sarah Steele on July 3, 1862.

He remained on his father's farm until 1880, when he moved to New Milford, Penn. From there he moved to Halstead, Penn.; and later to Binghamton, N.Y.

Children of Francis and Sarah (Steele) Benjamin:

1872. Abram Richard Benjamin b. April 23, 1863; d. June 6, 1920 in New York City; m. December 24, 1882 Ellen Barrett.

1873. Laura A. Benjamin b. April 9, 1865; d. May 1911; m. September 13, 1888 George H. Horton.

1874. Letha A. Benjamin b. September 19, 1818; d. October 6, 1931; m. December 24, 1889 Fred B. Ross.

1875. Wesley S. Benjamin b. March 2, 1869; d. March 24, 1937 at Halsted, Penn.; m. October 13, 1890 Pauline Dayton. She was b. 1872 at Great Bend, Penn. He m/2 Mary E. ---. Issue:
   1. Ernest W. Benjamin b. April 10, 1898; m. Rena W. Galloway.
   2. Lura J. Benjamin b. April 10, 1900.

1876. Bertha J. Benjamin b. February 20, 1875; m. August 17, 1892 Fred E. Leonard.

1877. Eula M. Benjamin b. December 20, 1877; unm.

1878. Eugene F. Benjamin b. August 10, 1882; m. January 1904 Ada A. Bennett.
1879. Myrtle L. Benjamin b. March 4, 1885; m. March 10, 1903 Byron C. Bennett.

Resource: p. 227-286 Centinnal Hist. of Susquehanna Co., Penn., Stocker, 1974.; Manuscript by Mrs. T. E. Terwilliger, courtsey of Rev. G. Williams of Nicholson, Penn.

1193. WELLS BENJAMIN[8] (Henry[7], Jesse[6-5], David[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born born August 8, 1831 at Carbondale, Penn.; the son of Henry H. and Sally (Krotzer) Benjamin; died in 1893 and is buried in the Kizer Cemetery in Lackawanna Co., Penn. He married Mary J. Swingle. She was born December 10, 1838 at Jefferson Twp., Luzerne (now Lackawanna) Co., Penn.; and died in 1887.

Children of Wells and Mary (Swingle) Benjamin:
1880. Julia A. Benjamin b. 1868.
1881. Elmo O. Benjamin.
1882. Franklin L. Benjamin b. January 14, 1859; m. Eva A. Bell of Salem, Wayne Co., Penn., a dau. of Joseph and Mary (Barklow) Bell. He was a great reader; active in Grange and school board; a farmer and clock repair man in Lake Twp. Issue:
1. Howard W. Benjamin b. February 15, 1886.
2. Alton S./L. Benjamin b. June 23, 1888.
3. William Walter Benjamin b. April 8, 1891 at Cortez, Wyoming Co., Penn.; m. 1920/1 Ruth Leach Cobb in Broome Co., N.Y.

Resource: Commorative Biog. Rec. of N.Y. and Penn, 1900, Beers, P. 957-980.

1211. SYLVANUS RUFUS BENJAMIN[8] (Jonathan[7], David[6-5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born February 20, 1821 at Licking Co., Ohio; the son of Jonathan and Hannah (Ford) Benjamin; died July 30, 1892 and is buried in the Union Cemetery at Newton, Iowa. He married Sarah Ann Palmer on March 26, 1840 at Licking Co., Ohio (vr), the dau. of Thomas Palmer. She was born February 3, 1822 in Ohio and died April 13, 1911 and is buried with her husband.

He was listed in the 1840, 1850, and 1860 census at Burlington Twp., Licking Co., Ohio. He moved to Iowa about 1867.

Children of Sylvanus and Sarah (Palmer) Benjamin:
1883. Cynthia Adeline Benjamin b. March 19, 1841 at Licking Co, Ohio; died August 27, 1925 at Jasper Co., Iowa and is buried in the same cemetery as her parents; m. February 23, 1860 Reuben K. Lambert, b. 1839; d. 1918.
1884. Frances Drucilla Benjamin b. June 4, 1843 at Licking Co., Ohio; d. March 5, 1899 at Jasper Co.,

Iowa; m. December 31, 1868 Emanuel Clutter.

1885. Jonathan Elliott Benjamin (listed in 1850 census as Nathan E.) b. August 19, 1848 at Licking Co., Ohio d. December 19, 1900 at Jasper Co., Iowa and is buried in the Union Cemetery at Newton, Iowa. He married Louise Maria Boydston on October 24, 1869 at Muscatine, Iowa. She was b. Feb. 20, 1850 and d. Oct. 8, 1929 and is buried with her husband.
   1. Bert R. Benjamin b. Dec. 17, 1870 at Jasper Co., Iowa; m. 1903 Wilhelmina L. Bergman.
   2. Etta Mae Benjamin b. Feb. 21, 1874; m. 1899 William C. Kilduff.
   3. Anna Belle Benjamin b. Nov. 5, 1876; m. 1901 John T. Hume.
   4. Elizabeth Leona Benjamin b. Aug. 11, 1884; m. 1908 David F. Wormley.
   5. Elsie Myrtle Benjamin b. Jan. 24, 1887; m. 1911 Frank B. Kaufman.

1885. Hannah Melissa Benjamin b. August 3, 1854 at Licking Co., Ohio; m. September 18, 1873 Frederick A. McMurray. She d. November 9, 1932 at Jasper Co., Iowa and is buried in the same cemetery as parent.

Resources: Records of Robert B. Kilduff.

1212. DERINZA EMALINE BENJAMIN[8] (Jonathan[7], David[6-5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born December 18, 1823 at Licking Co., Ohio; the dau. of Jonathan and Hannah (Ford) Benjamin; died February 17, 1903 and buried in the Elmwood Cemetery at Elmwood, Illinois. She m/1 George P. Dixon at Licking Co., Ohio. He was born June 19, 1822 and died October 12, 1854 age 32-3-25 and is buried in the Elmwood Cemetery, in Peoria Co., Illinois. She m/2 William D. Ryan who was born August 13, 1827 and died May 12, 1892 and is buried with his wife.

Children of George and Derinza (Benjamin) Dixon:

1886. Clarinda Delitia Dixon b. Sept. 3, 1844 at Licking Co., Ohio; d. August 28, 1908 at Elmwood, Ill.; m. 1867 Cicero Dalton.

1887. Barbara Adaline Dixon b. October 23, 1846 at Licking Co, Ohio; d. January 11, 1931 at Elmwood, Ill.; m. Daniel M. Beck.

Children of William and Derinza (Benjamin Dixon) Ryan:

1888. Felinza Ryan; m. James Givens; had no children; set teled at Ratoon, N.M.

1889. Rosalind Ryan; m. George Longshore; resided at DeMoines, Iowa.

1890. Mabelle Ryan b. May 11, 1862 in Peoria Co., Ill.; d. July 29, 1900 in Peoria Co., Ill.; m. Charles Harknes; no issue.

Resource: Records of Robert B. Kilduff.

1216. JONATHAN FELIX BENJAMIN[8] (Jno.[7], David[6-5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born October 3, 1838 at Licking Co., Ohio; the son of Jonathan and Hannah (Ford) Benjamin; died March 1913 at Jasper Co., Iowa. He married Hannah Elizabeth Marple at Licking Co., Ohio. She was born December 3, 1842 and died March 1900.

He moved to Jasper Co., Iowa about 1867.

Children of Jonathan and Hannah (Marple) Benjamin:

1891. Edson V. Benjamin b. January 29, 1863 at Licking Co., Ohio; d. March 15, 1900 in Dells, Oregon; m. Jennie Clark; no issue.
1892. William R. Benjamin b. October 4, 1866 at Jasper Co., Iowa; m/1 October 15, 1896 Elizabeth Doty, who d. April 1900; m/2 ?
1893. Roland E. Benjamin b. October 16, 1868 at Jasper Co., Iowa; m. Sadie Fisher and lived at St. Paul, Minn.
1894. Emma A. Benjamin b. August 5, 1872; m. November 28, 1893 Herman B. Lufkin.
1895. Infant; d. July 25, 1873.
1896. Orlin Benjamin; d. December 31, 1938 in Illinois; m. Victoria Wearmouth.

Resource: Records of Robert B. Kilduff.

1217. ARESTINE PRISCILLA BENJAMIN[8], (Jno.[7], David[6-5], Jno.[4], David[3] Richard[2-1]) born April 13, 1843 at Licking Co., Ohio; the dau. of Jonathan and Hannah (Ford) Benjamin; died December 3, 1914 and is buried in the Wittemberg Cemetery at Newton, Iowa. She married James P. Hatch at Licking Co., Ohio. He was born January 6, 1845 and died November 8, 1923 and is buried in the same cemtery.

Children of James and Arestine (Benjamin) Hatch:

1897. Charles E. Hatch b. April 2, 1867; d. March 23, 1937 at Jasper Co., Iowa; buried in the same cemetery as parents; unmarried.
1898. Benton L. Hatch b. June 4, 1869; unm.; resided at Newton, Iowa.
1899. Jasper L. Hatch b. July 19, 1878 at Jasper Co., Iowa; m. April 3, 1901 May Smith.
1900. William A. Hatch b.January 10, 1881; resided in Colorado.
1901. Roenia L. Hatch b. April 14, 1882; m. March 4, 1903 Charles Chollett, b. 1878, d. 1912.
1902. Orletta M. Hatch b. May17, 1887; m. Ernest A. Foreman; resided at Newton, Iowa.

Resources: Records of Robert B. Kilduff.

1222. WILLIAM J. BENJAMIN[8] (Christian[7], David[6-5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1826/7 in Licking Co., Ohio; the son of Christian/Christopher and Jane (Ingraham) Benjamin. He

married Elizabeth ---.

He was a farmer and until 1852 lived in Bennington Twp., Licking Co., Ohio; when he moved to Paxton, Illinois.

Children of William and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin:

1903. Casper/Caster C. Benjamin b. 1850; d. 1896; wife unknown. Issue:
   1. Alice Benjamin b. 1871, d. 1937; m. --- Heffington.
   2. Lillie M. Benjamin b. 1872; d. 1893.
   3. Lon L. Benjamin b. 1874.
   4. Lloyd Benjamin; died young.
   5. Carroll Benjamin; d. in infancy.
   6. Fern Benjamin b. 1884.
   7. Fanne Benjamin b. 1884; d. 1947; m. --- Swartley.
   8. Zoe Benjamin b. 1888.
   9. Dollie Benjamin b. 1890; m. --- Tobin.
   10. Franke Benjamin b. 1893; m. --- Morgan.

1904. George W. Benjamin.
   1. Arthur Ray Benjamin b. 1877.
   2. Rinnie Benjamin b. 1882; m. --- Fox.
   3. Walter L. Benjamin b. 1890.

1905. Mollie Benjamin; m. --- Rockwell.
   1. Myrtle Rockwell; m. --- Ward.
   2. Minnie Rockwell; m. --- Hughson.
   3. Miriam Rockwell; m. --- Jackson.
   4. Marie Rockwell.

1906. Lida Benjamin; m. --- Kinsman.
   1. Leil Kinsman.
   2. Ivaloo Kinsman.
   3. Marguerite Kinsman; m. --- Coulter.
   4. Virgil Kinsman.
   5. Georgena Kinsman; m. --- Waterhouse.
   6. Glenn Kinsman.

1907. John J. Benjamin.
   1. Gertrude Benjamin.
   2. Clyde Benjamin.
   3. Minnie Benjamin; m. --- Way.

1908. William W. Benjamin.
   1. Lucille Benjamin; m. --- Watt.

1909. Edward Benjamin.

Resources: Records of Roland J. Benjamin of Park Ridge, Ill.

1227. WILSON S. BENJAMIN[8] (Christopher[7], David[6-5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1840/1 in Licking Co., Ohio; the son of Christian/ Christopher and Jane (Ingraham) Benjamin; died May 22, 1919 at Guthrie, Oklahoma. He married Lydia Ann Curtis on August 31, 1862 in Illinois. She was born May 2, 1843.

Wilson served in the Union Army during the Civil war. Upon his return, he decided to move on West. His wife re-

fused to accompany him, due perhaps, to parental objection, whereupon Wilson abandoned his wife and young son and eventually settled in Guthrie, Oklahoma. There, he adopted the name of Benjamin Wilson, married, and reared a family under this name, following the trade of a stonecutter.

Children of Wilson and Lydia (Curtis) Benjamin:

1910. William Jonathan Benjamin b. September 12, 1863; d. 1938 at Williamsfield, Illinois; m. Viola V. Winchester on April 20, 1885. She was b. April 14, 1867. He grew up around Rochester (now Elmore), Illinois. Issue:
   1. Ray Vaughn Benjamin b. 1886; d. 1968; m. Blanche Doubet.
   2. Harley Wilson Benjamin b. 1891; d. 1968; m. Beulah I. Doubet.
   3. Donald David Benjamin b. 1893; m. Emma Schonfelder.
   4. Leo Vern Benjamin b. 1896; d. 1948; m. Edna Nass.
   5. Clair Dewey Benjamin b. 1898; m. Henrietta Gibson.
   6. Claud Theodore Benjamin b. 1900; d. 1901.

Resources: Records of Roland J. Benjamin of Park Ridge,Ill.

1233. EZEKIEL BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Ezekiel[6], David[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born September 18, 1818 at Cleveland, Ohio; the son of John and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin; died February 12, 1884, age 65, and is buried in the Old Pomeroy Cemetery in Oregon. He m/1 Sarah Jane Wilson about 1835. She was born about 1821 and died December 11, 1844/5. He m/2 Nancy Morton on July 4, 1846. She was born April 25, 1825 and died March 13, 1893, age 64. (Note: At the time of the first marriage he was 16 yrs. and she was 13 yrs.!)

According to family tradition, in the spring of 1846, Ezekiel joined a wagon train that a brother was taking from Kentucky to California. His 2 sons went with him. Nancy Morton was a member of that train. It is believed that several Benjamin families were in this train, and some settled in Grass Valley, northern California.

Children of Ezekiel and Sarah (Wilson) Benjamin:

1911. Isaac Wesley Benjamin b. May 14, 1840.
1912. Gideon Benjamin b. August 22, 1842; drowned in quick sand.
1913. George Washington Benjamin. b. 1844.

Children of Ezekiel and Nancy (Morton) Benjamin:

1914. Samuel Wesley Benjamin b. June 14, 1848.
1915. John Wesley Benjamin b. 1849.
1916. Marion Benjamin b. July 11, 1852; d. in infancy.
1917. Mary Frances Benjamin b. 1854.

1918. William Wiley Benjamin b. August 1, 1857 at Brownsville, Oregon Territory.
1919. Winfield Scott Benjamin b. November 20, 1859 in Brownsville, Oregon; d. 1946 at Seattle, Washington; m. Sarah Miller.
1920. Katherine Ann Benjamin b. 1862 in Brownsville.

Resources: Records of Francis N. Benjamin of Kirkland,Wash.

1234. RICHARD MANNING BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Ezekiel[6], David[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born March 9, 1818 in Terre Haulte, Indiana. (Note: This birthdate was taken from a newspaper ar i le written at a much later date, so believe that it is basically wrong and that he was born in about 1819 in Ohio.) He died May 8, 1898 at Spokane, Washington and is buried in the Fairmount Cemetery. He married Elmira Bisor of Indianapolis in 1838. She was born May 22, 1822 at Columbus, Ohio and died in 1913 in Grass Valley, Oregon.

He probably came on the same wagon train that his brother Ezekiel was on. He was a graduate of Fulton Seminary in New York. He was one of the first to successfully harness the power of the great falls of the Spokan River and there built a mill.

Children of Richard and Elmira (Bisor) Benjamin:
1921. Isobel Benjamin b. 1840.
1922. William Wallace Benjamin b. 1842; resided in Eugene, Oregon.
1923. Elizabeth Indiana Benjamin b. 1845.
1924. Caroline Abigail Benjamin b. 1849; m. William P. Costello.
1925. Henry Harrison Benjamin b. 1852.
1926. Emma Olive Benjamin b. 1854.
1927. Richard Preston Benjamin b. 1857.
1928. Alice Elmira Benjamin b. 1961.
1929. Minnie Benjamin b. 1865; d. in an over turned wagon at the age of 8 yrs; d. 1873.
1930. one other child; may have d. young.

Resources: Oregon newspaper account; Records of Francis N. Benjamin of Kirkland, Washington.

1235. JEFFERSON BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Ezekiel[6], David[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1817 in Penn.; the son of John and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin. He married Maria Pennel, who was born in 1827.

He was a soldier in the Civil War, perhaps from southern Illinois. He was listed in the 1860 census at Pike Co., Illinois.

Children of Jefferson and Maria (Pennel) Benjamin:
1931. Richard Benjamin b. 1840 in Indiana; dc. 1885.
1932. John Benjamin bc. 1850 in Indiana; one son or more

of John's remained in southern Illinois.
1933. Emma Benjamin bc. 1852 in Indiana.

Resource: Census records; Records of Francis N. Benjamin of Kirkland, Washington.

1236. WILLIAM BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Ezekiel[6], David[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1818 (another record says 1834); the son of John and Elizabeth (---) Benjamin; died in 1885 at Pomeroy, Washington. He married Mary Purcell/ Purell, who was born in Ohio and died September 20, 1904 at Pomeroy, Washington.

Children of William and Mary (Purcell) Benjamin:
1934. Anne Benjamin.
1935. Albert E. Benjamin.
1936. Carrie L. Benjamin.
1937. Alvin M. Benjamin b. November 21, 1864 at Quincy, Adams Co., Illinois; d. November 27, 1936 at Sonoita, Arizona; m. 1891 Marcella Wise; a wheat farmer.
1938. Emma Benjamin.
1939. son; d. in infancy.
1940. Marguerite Benjamin.
1941. Carolyn Benjamin.

Resource: Records of Francis N. Benjamin of Kirkland, Washington; Salt Lake City Family Group Sheet.

1249. NATHAN BENJAMIN[8] (David[7], Nathan[6], David[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1824 in Ohio; the possible son of David and Mary (Six) Benjamin. He married Hattie ---, who was born about 1826 in Ohio.

He was listed in the 1850 census of Waterslip Twp., Athens Co., Ohio and was worth $250.

Children of Nathan and Hattie (---) Benjamin:
1942. Clarissa Benjamin b. 1847 in Ohio.
1943. Juliala Benjamin bc. 1848.
1944. David Y. Benjamin bc. 1849 in Ohio.

Resoource: Census records.

1263. NATHANIEL BENJAMIN[8] (Elijah[7], Nathan[6], David[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born November 24, 1843 at Athens Co., Ohio; the son of Elijah W. and Elsie (Peoples) Benjamin; died June 19, 1918. He married Katherine Rose.

Children of Nathaniel and Katherine (Rose) Benjamin:
1945. Louis Benjamin; d. 1931.
1946. Alice Benjamin; d. 1951.
1947. Frank Benjamin; d. 1950.
1948. Charles Benjamin b. 1877; d. 1881.
1949. Inez Benjamin; d. April 18, 1963.

1950. Nathan Benjamin.
1951. Harry Benjamin.
1952. Josephine Benjamin; m. --- Stuhmer.

Resources: Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

1265. ADELLA JANE BENJAMIN[8] (Elijah[7], Nathan[6], David[5], Jno.[4], David Richard[2-1]) born March 17, 1861 at Lagro, Wabash Co., Indiana; the dau. of Elijah and Elsie (Peoples) Benjamin; died April 17, 1943 at Huntiongton, Huntington Co., Indiana. She married Isaac F. Duffey on April 14, 1881 at Lagro, Indiana. He was the son of Daniel and Susannah (Freese) Duffey and was born April 27, 1856 at Lagro and died September 22, 1904 at Lagro, Indiana. They are both buried in the Fall Cemetery, now called the Center Grove Cemetery.

Children of Isaac and Adella (Benjamin) Duffey:
1953. Isaiah Wilson Duffey b. January 26, 1882; d. April 22, 1966 at Wabash, Ind.; m/1 Maude Walker; m/2 Bessie ---.
1954. Mary Kathryn Duffey b. March 13, 1884 at Lagro, Ind.; d. August 18, 1971 at Huntington, Ind.; m. Jan. 12, 1911 at Lagro to Eugene Edwin Coughlin.
1955. Everett Duffey b. April 4, 1887 at Lagro, Ind.; m. Jan. 1910 to Ellen Sliney.
1956. Lucille Mabel Duffey b. February 12, 1891 at Lagro, Ind.; m/1 Sept. 20, 1910 John Zintsmaster; m/2 Ed Christman; m/3 Elmer Beeghley.

Resources: Records of Susan K. Solloway of Huntington, Ind.

1268. ELIAS BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Jno.[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1841 in Penn.; the son of John and Mary (---) Benjamin; died in 1915 (gs) and is buried in the Durell Cemetery in Bradford Co., Penn. He married Hannah Acla, who was born in 1840 and died 1916 (gs) and is buried with her husband.
He was living in Asylum, Penn.

Children of Elias and Hannah (Acla) Benjamin:
1957. Jesse Benjamin b. 1864; d. 1910.
1958. A. Delbert Benjamin b. 1865; d. 1950 (gs) and buried in the Durell Cemetery; m. March 23, 1889 Delia Johnson who was born in 1871 and d. 1938.
1. James b. 1892; d. 1894 (gs) Durell Cem.
2. Gerson b. 1899; d. 1901 (gs).
3. Leslia b. 1894.
4. Herman Benjamin b. 1897.
5. William Walter Benjamin; d. 1972.
1959. Mary E. Benjamin b. 1875; m. December 5, 1892 LeRoy Tell Benjamin b. 1868, a son of Robert and Debby (Drake) Benjamin, a 2nd cousin. (#1278).

1960. Isaac Benjamin b. 1871; m. January 25, 1899 Elizabeth Hoover, b. 1880, the dau. of Miner and Angeline (---) Hoover.
1. Angie Benjamin b. 1903; m. 4 times.
2. Elias Benjamin b. 1907.
3. Lewis Benjamin b. 1902.

1961. Joseph Benjamin b. 1869; d. 1963, age 94 (gs); m. Emma Jane Chilson; had 8 children.

1962. Jeanette Benjamin b. 1881; m. February 12, 1902 Charles H. Springer, b. 1876.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.; Census and Cemetery records.

1271. JOSHUA BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Jno.[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1847 in Asylum Twp., Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of John and Mary (---) Benjamin; died in 1919. He married Hattie Chilson (or Johnson). She was born in 1848 and died in 1920. (Perhaps she m/2 a Johnson.)

Children of Joshua and Hattie (Chilson) Benjamin:

1963. Robert A. Benjamin b. 1893; m. July 12,1924 Jeannie Johnson, b. 1908.

1964. Frank E. Benjamin b. November 25, 1894 (vr); d. 1940; m. July 1924 Jennie Johnson b. 1908. Had 4 children; including Burton Benjamin and a dau. who m/1 Howard Fowler and m/2 Lewis Mills.

1965. Addie Benjamin b. July 16, 1896 (vr); m. October 18, 1913 Enos Johnson b. 1881.

1966. Burton Benjamin b. June 25, 1898.

1967. Jennie Benjamin b. November 18, 1900 (vr).

1968. Granton Benjamin b. 1902; m. March 18, 1938 Edna S. Benjamin b. 1904.

1969. Emma Benjamin b. 1904.

1970. Nora Benjamin, a twin; b. 1905.

1971. Dora Benjamin, a twin, b. 1905.

1972. Minnie Benjamin b. 1907.

1973. Mary Benjamin.

1974. Joshua Benjamin b. 1910; d. 1911.

1975. Fred Nelson Benjamin b. 1916.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Lewis Mills of Towanda, Penn.; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1273. FRANK/FRANCIS BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Jno.[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David Richard[2-1]) born about 1852 in Durell, Bradford Co., Penn; the son of John L. and Mary (---) Benjamin. He married Alice Bunyan. He may have m/2 Anna ---.

Children of Frank and Alice (Bunyan) Benjamin:

1976. Nellie Benjamin b. 1873; m. 1892 Lamar Warren b. 1868.

1977. Bertha Benjamin b. 1882; m. October 5, 1905 Timothy J. Burke, b. 1881.

1978. ? Benjamin b. May 7, 1894 (vr).
1979. Robert Ray Benjamin b. May 14, 1896 (vr).
1980. Catherine Benjamin b. October 1, 1897.
1981. Francis Benjamin b. November 15, 1900.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1277. CLARK BENJAMIN[8] (Jno.[7-6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1855 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Jonathan and Polly (---) Benjamin; died in 1925 and buried in the Darling Cemetery at Orwell, Penn. He married Jane Vanderpool, who was born in 1854 and died in 1926 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Children of Clark and Jane (Vanderpool) Benjamin:
1982. Douglas J. Benjamin b. 1889; d. 1957 (gs) and buried in the Darling Cemetery.
1983. Andrew W. Benjamin b. 1892; m. Mary Etta Westbrook b. 1900; d. 1965. Issue:
1. Andrew Benjamin Jr. b. 1920.
2. Geraldine Benjamin b. 1918.
3. Leon M. Benjamin b. 1922.
4. Charlotte Benjamin b. 1926.
5. Gordon R. Benjamin b. 1924.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1278. ELMER J. BENJAMIN[8] (Jno.[7-6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard 2-1) born 1867 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Jonathan and Polly (---) Benjamin; d. date unknown, but buried in the Darling Cemetery at Orwell, Penn. He m/1 Alzina Johnson on August 24, 1889 and m/2 Martha E. Johnson on April 7,1917. She was born 1869.

Children of Elmer and Alzina (Johnson) Benjamin:
1984. Lillian Dell Benjamin b. 1889; m. Feb. 24, 1908 Charles Heath, b. 1876, son of Clark and Emma (Benjamin) Heath.
1985. Lula May Benjamin b. 1892; m. Sept. 12, 1910 Samuel Johnson b. 1867.
1986. Julius D. Benjamin.
1987. Daleena Benjamin (male) b. Sept. 4, 1895 (vr).

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1279. ANDREW BENJAMIN[8] (Jno.[7-6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born June 15, 1869 at Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Jonathan and Polly (---) Benjamin; died July 18, 1893, age 25 yrs. at Asylum, Penn. (vr) and buried in the Cole Cemetery at Asylum. He married Ella/Allie Human/Heeman, the dau. of Hiram and Huldah (Ackley) Heeman and was born 1871. She m/2 Henry Johnson on July 28, 1894 (vr) and was divorced in 1820. She m/3 November 1920 Irwin Peterson.

Children of Andrew and Ella (Heeman) Benjamin:
1988. Josephine Benjamin b. 1889; m. 1907 Geroge Pennel.
1989. Ralph Benjamin b. 1890; m. June 29, 1918 Tillie Vanderpool b. 1891, d. Dec. 28, 1918; m/2 March 30, 1918 Rebecca Johnson b. 1900.
1990. Clinton Benjamin b. 1892; m. May 17, 1910 Bessie Vanderpool, b. 1895.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1284. SOLON BENJAMIN[8] (Robert[7], Jno.[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1859/60 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Robert and Debby (Drake) Benjamin. He married Luzerna Johnson, who was born in 1863 and died in 1949.

Children of Solon and Luzerna (Johnson) Benjamin:
1991. Mildred May Benjamin b. 1884; m. 1907 Francis Chester Northrup, b. 1874.
1992. Minnie D. Benjamin b. 1886; m. September 17, 1914 Charles Northrup, b. 1870.
1993. Robert H. Benjamin b. 1890; m. Sept. 10, 1914 to Theresa M. Bennett b. 1889, d. 1971.
1994. Mary Benjamin b. September 21, 1893 (vr); d. Mar. 11, 1895; buried at Asylum, Penn. (vr).
1995. Ferman Benjamin b. October 5, 1894 (vr).
1996. Carrie D. Benjamin b. October 30, 1896; m. April 1920 Lieuwellyn Northrup, b. 1872.
1997. Clara B. Mi Clinton Benjamin b. November 24, 1898; m. Sept. 20, 1922 Walter Bennett b. July 15, 1896, d. 1938, the son of Hiram and Adelia (Strope) Bennett; resided Towanda, Penn.
1998. Clara Benjamin b. March 6, 1901 (vr).
1999. Judson Benjamin; had no issue.
2000. Bruce Benjamin; had sons Harold and Bruce.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.; p. 14 Twigs from Family Trees.

1287. LEROY TELL BENJAMIN[8] (Robert[7], Jno.[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1867 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Robert and Debby (Drake) Benjamin. He married Mary E. Benjamin on December 5, 1892 in Bradford Co. (vr); the dau. of Elias and Hannah (Acla) Benjamin, b. 1875 (#1959).

Children of LeRoy and Mary (Benjamin) Benjamin:
2001. Debbie Benjamin b. 1894; m. 1913 William Binson, b. 1880.
?2002. Dan Benjamin.
2003. Bessie Benjamin b. 1909; m. 1930 Henry L. Grace.
2004. Esther Benjamin b. 1913; m. 1934 Robert Smith.

Resources: Records of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1288. ENOS BENJAMIN[8] (Robert[7], Jno.[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Rich

ard[2-1]) born in 1873 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Robert and Debby (Drake) Benjamin; died in 1909. He married Laura Stewart on March 31, 1898 in Bradford Co., Penn (vr). She was born in 1876/7.

Children of Enos and Laura (Stewart) Benjamin:
2005. Dora Benjamin; m. Henry Northrup.
2006. Clara Benjamin.
2007. Carrie Benjamin.
2008. Martin Benjamin b. July 4, 1898 in Bradford Co. (vr

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1290. HENRY BENJAMIN[8] (Henry[7], Jno.[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1863 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Henry and Elizabeth (Ackley) Benjamin. He married Etta Johnson on June 3, 1901. She was born in 1886.

Children of Henry and Etta (Johnson) Benjamin:
2009. Bertha Benjamin b. 1901; m. April 1918 Lincoln Vanderpool.
2010. Henry Benjamin b. 1906; m/1 ?, who d. 1936; m/2 in 1936 Louella M. Vanderpool, b. 1918.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1294. ASA BENJAMIN[8] (Henry[7], Jno.[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1881 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Henry and Elizabeth (Ackley) Benjamin; died in 1924 and is buried in the Oak Hill Cemetery in Towanda, Penn. He married Alma E. Silverstein on April 24, 1916. She b. 1889.

Children of Asa and Alma (Silverstein) Benjamin:
2011. Grace A. Benjamin b. 1921; m. 1938 Edward R. Richards, b. 1916.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1295. WILLIAM B. BENJAMIN[8] (Moses[7], Jno.[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1863 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Moses and Mary (McCanna) Benjamin. He was called "Banjo Bill". He married Julie Matilda Garland on December 5, 1885. She was born about 1860.

Children of William and Julie (Garland) Benjamin:
2012. George L. Benjamin b. 1886; d. 1972 (gs) and buried in the Oak Hill Cemetery at Towanda, Penn.; m. Nov. 29, 1913 Phebiea Vanderpool b. 1886, d. 1972
2013. Augusta Benjamin b. 1889; m. Mar. 7, 1906 John McCracken, b. 1886.
2014. Nellie Benjamin b. February 14,1894 (vr); m/1 July 6, 1916 George Culver Jr.; m/2 1920 Elwyn L. Foster b. 1893.
2015. Lillian Alma Benjamin b. July 19, 1896 (vr); m. Nov. 30, 1918 John Edward Butts b. 1883.

2016. Molly Kathryn Benjamin b. 1901; m/1 ? and divorced in 1927; m/2 Feb. 1928 Carl C. E. Maynard.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1297. EDWIN/EDWARD I. BENJAMIN[8] (Harry[7], John[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1861 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Harry and Marie (Irvine) Benjamin. He m/1 Florence N. Decker on November 1, 1886 and m/2 in 1917 to Grace A. Gerould, who was born in 1875.

Children of Edwin and Florence (Decker) Benjamin:
2017. Atler W. Benjamin (male) b. September 2, 1898 (vr).
2018. Laura Pauline Benjamin b. 1904; m. 1924 Leland Eugene Nichols, b. 1898.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1298. GEORGE A./W. BENJAMIN[8] (Harry[7], John[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David Richard[2-1]) born in 1844 at Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Harry and Marie (Irvine) Benjamin; died March 13, 1924 and buried in the Durell Cemetery. He married Angeline M. Chilson on September 25, 1868 (Bradford Co. vr). She was born in 1848 and died 1926 (gs).

His will is on file (#28-111) and didn't leave any estate to son Walter. He names 5 daus. and wife.

Children of George and Angeline (Chilson) Benjamin:
2019. Jinny Benjamin b. 1869.
2020. Mary M. Benjamin b. 1875; m. 1898 J. R. Jenkins.
2021. Flora M. Benjamin b. 1875; d. 1967; m. George S. Blouet.
2022. Carrie May Benjamin b. 1876; m. Feb. 12, 1902 David Prvyne, b. 1876.
2023. Alma Benjamin b. 1878; m. March 27, 1907 Harry Creveung, b.1858.
2024. Bertha M. Benjamin b. 1883; m. March 23, 1905 to Peter McCracken, b. 1878.
2025. Della Benjamin; m. --- Pierce.
2026. Walter Benjamin; d. July 13, 1947; unm.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1304. GUY CARLTON BENJAMIN[8] (Harry[7], John[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3] Richard[2-1]) born in 1855 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Harry and Marie (Irvie) Benjamin; died January 31, 1923. He married Cassie M. Neilley. She was born in 1859 and died in 1949.

His will is on file in Bradford Co., Penn. (#27-145) and names wife, Cassie; son and dau., and grandson: Guy Carlton Elliot.

Children of Guy and Cassie (Mielley) Benjamin:
2027. Roland N. Benjamin b. 1888; m. June 12, 1918 Alice

M. Bowman b. 1899.
2028. Adaline B. Benjamin b. 1883; m. George R. Elliot on November 14, 1917. He b. 1890.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1309. MELVILLE/MELVIN K. BENJAMIN[8] (Harry[7], John[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in1866/7 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Harry and Marie (Irvine) Benjamin. He m/1 on December 5, 1887 to Zelma Elliot. She was born Nov. 14, 1868 and died March 22, 1889. He m/2 Flora May Benjam in on January 23, 1897. She was the dau. of George and Armina (---) Benjamin and was born in 1876. (#1358).

Children of Melville and Zelma (Elliott) Benjamin:
2029. J. H. Benjamin (male) b. Sept. 16, 1896 (vr).

Children of Melville and Flora (Benjamin) Benjamin:
2030. Franklin Welch Benjamin b. 1901; m. March 1923 Ethel McNeal.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1311. ALONZO BENJAMIN[8] (John[7-6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1838 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of John V. and Elizabeth (Bennett) Benjamin; died in 1909 and is buried in the Hatch Hill Cemetery. He married Eliza Mingos in 1866. She was born in 1843 and died in 1903 and is buried with her husband.

Children of Alonzo and Eliza (Mingos) Benjamin:
2031. Almon H. Benjamin; d. Nov. 26, 1944; m. Anna L. VanDyke b. 1873, d. 1951.
2032. dau.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1318. JOHN A. BENJAMIN[8] (John[7-6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born September 29, 1850 at Asylum, Bradford Co., Penn; the son of John and Elizabeth (Bennett) Benjamin; died March 14, 1918 at Sayre, Penn. and is buried in the Liberty Corner Cemetery. He married Mary Delphine Heverly, the dau. of Daniel and Jane Elizabeth (Heverly) Heverly. She was born March 19, 1851 at Overton, Penn. and died October 23, 1928 at Monroeton, Bradford Co., Penn.

His will is one file in Bradford Co. (#23-330) and names son Austin, wife, and Frank A. Mary's will (#31-475) names all children.

Children of John and Mary (Heverly) Benjamin:
2033. Elizabeth A. Benjamin b. July 12, 1875 at Albany Twp.; d. March 26, 1951; m. William Cramer.
2034. Nellie A. Benjamin b. September 26, 1876 at Albany Twp.; m. May 20, 1896 Timothy A. Brennan, b. 1870
2035. Estella C. Benjamin b. September 5, 1880 at Albany

Twp.; d. Nov. 24, 1932; m. Joseph Ellis.

2036. Willa Mae Benjamin (Arvilla M.) Benjamin b. Jan. 31, 1885 at Asylum Twp.; m. April 15, 1908 Orin F. Waltman.

2037. John David/Daniel Benjamin b. April 26, 1887 at Asylum; d. 1942; buried in same cemetery as parents; m. Feb. 24, 1912 Lou Ackley, b. 1898.

2038. Austin Harold Benjamin b. August 21, 1889; d. Feb. 2, 1941; buried in Liberty Corner Cem.; m. Oct. 16, 1914 Flossie Pearl Gale b. 1898.

2039. Anna Eliza Benjamin b. Sept. 18, 1892 at Asylum; m. Henry Mosier.

2040. J. Wayne Benjamin b. Oct. 28, 1892 at Asylum Twp.; d. March 24, 1918; buried Liberty Corner Cem.; died at Camp Upton, N.Y. He m. Laura E. DeWolf.

?2041. John A. Benjamin b. October 28, 1896 (vr).

2042. Infant d. Oct. 23, 1882, 1 day old.

Resources: Records of Earl Benjamin of Portland, Oregon; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego., N.Y.

1320. DANIEL T. BENJAMIN[8] (John[7-6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born January 28, 1856 at Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of John V. and Elizabeth (Bennett) Benjamin; died November 17, 1927 and buried in the Liberty Corner Cemetery in Bradford Co., Penn. He married Charlotte E. Piatt, who was born June 2, 1853 and died December 8, 1930 and is buried with her husband.

Children of Daniel and Charlotte (Piatt) Benjamin:

2043. Arthur George Benjamin.

2044. Harrison Benjamin.

2045. Gertrude E. Benjamin b. 1879; m. Dec. 25, 1901 to Benjamin P. Walborn b. 1879.

2046. Clarence J. Benjamin b.1881; d. 1964 buried in the Liberty Corner Cemetery; m/1 Dec. 27, 1906 Blanch Irvine b. 1882; m/2 Helen F. Cairns b. 1893.

2047. Marion H. Benjamin b. 1898; m. May1919 Allen E. Drake b. 1895.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1322. SAMUEL BENJAMIN[8] (Samuel[7], John[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1858 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Samuel and Martha (---) Benjamin. He married Rosa Hoover.

Children of Samuel and Rosa (Hoover) Benjamin:

2048. Noble Benjamin b. 1880; d. Sept. 15, 1897, age 17 (gs) and buried in the Durell Cemetery.

2049. William Benjamin b. 1882; m. April 3, 1905 Emma Johnson b. 1889.

2050. George Henry Benjamin b. December 4, 1895 (vr); m. March 7, 1919 Edna Rieber.

1325. LORENZO M. BENJAMIN[8] (Samuel[7], John[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3] Richard[2-1]) born in 1861 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Samuel and Martha (---) Benjamin; died February 12, 1944. He married Laura B. Sickler in 1888 and she was born in 1863.

His will is on file in Bradford Co., Penn. (#41-281) and names two grandsons: Lorenzo P. and Joseph F. Benjamin.

Children of Lorenzo and Laura (Sickler) Benjamin:

2051. Hazel Evelyn Benjamin b. 1896; m. Aug. 1920 LeRoy R. Willmott b. 1888.
2052. Fay Benjamin b. May 6, 1896 (Bradford Co. vr).
2053. Layton D. Benjamin b. 1890; m. Feb. 1924 Winifred E. Murray, who d. 1933. He m/2 1934 Elizabeth Rowe.
2054. Richard Benjamin.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1331. ORLANDO BENJAMIN[8] (Solon[7], John[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1856/7 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Solon and Lucinda (---) Benjamin. He married September 27, 1886 Pluma Ann Benjamin. She was the dau. of John and Mary (---) Benjamin and was born in 1862. (#1276)

Children of Orlando and Pluma (Benjamin) Benjamin:

2055. Nathan Benjamin b. 1885; d. 1966 (gs); buried in the Durell Cemetery; m. March 18, 1911 Maude Emery b. 1892, d. 1964 (gs). Issue:
    1. Rachel Benjamin b. 1911.
    2. Florence Benjamin b. 1913; d. 1928.
    3. Nathan Benjamin Jr. b. 1919.
    4. Cora Benjamin.
    5. Porisa Benjamin b. 1924.
2056. George Benjamin.
2057. Ella M. Benjamin b. 1896; m. Feb. 16, 1917 in Chemung Co., N.Y. Charles F. Barrett b. 1891. This may be a 2nd m., since there is a record of her m. to --- Lamb.
2057. Nellie M. Benjamin b. 1888; m. Feb. 24, 1912 Leonard W. Hatch b. 1859.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1337. FREDRICK F. BENJAMIN[8] (Solon[7], John[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3] Richard[2-1]) born in 1879/80 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Solon and Margaret (Wood) Benjamin; died in 1932 and buried in the Durell Cemetery in Bradford Co. He married May F. Bennett in 1903. She was born in 1880.

Children of Fredrick and May (Bennett) Benjamin:

2058. Harold Benjamin.
2059. Dorothea Benjamin b. 1921; m. 1947 Paul Ziegler.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1346. CHARLES MEADE BENJAMIN[8] (Charles[7], David[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1866 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Charles and Almira (---) Benjamin; died in 1954 and is buried in the Caroline Cemetery. He married March 8, 1892 Addie Vanderpool.

Children of Charles and Addie (Vanderpool) Benjamin:
2060. Charles Earl Benjamin had one son: Richard.
2061. Eva Benjamin b. 1896.
2062. Worthy Benjamin b. 1901.
2063. Lloyd Benjamin.
2064. Paul Benjamin.
2065. Maud Benjamin.
2066. Roger Benjamin.
2067. Viola Benjamin.
2068. Russell Benjamin.
2069. Earl Benjamin; resided at Johnson City, N.Y.
2070. Herbert Benjamin.

Resources: Records of Mrs. C. E. Benjamin of Johnson City, N.Y.; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1347. FRED/FREDERICK L. BENJAMIN[8] (Charles[7], David[6], Richard[5], Jno[4] David[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1870 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Charles and Almira (---) Benjamin; died 1892 and buried in the Durell Cemetery in Bradford Co., Penn. He married Polly Benjamin in 1888. She was born in 1863 and died in 1936 (gs)and is buried with her husband. She was the dau. of John and Mary (---) Benjamin. (See #1275).

Children of Fred and Polly (Benjamin) Benjamin:
2071. Minnie May Benjamin b. 1890; m. March 2, 1905 to Joseph Platt b. 1877.
2072. John F. Benjamin b. 1892; d. 1967; buried in the Durell Cemetery; m/1 March 10, 1914 Essie E. Wilson b. 1898; m/2 Anna Benjamin; m/3 in 1938 Maude Swankhammer; m/4 1954 Fanny M. Johnston.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1357. LLOYD S. BENJAMIN[8] (George[7], David[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1870 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of George W. and Arminna (---) Benjamin; died in 1918 (gs) and is buried in the Durell Cemetery. He married Elvira or Edith E. Pipher on March 12, 1902. She was born 1881. He may have m/1 Lula ---.

Children of Lloyd and Lulu (---) Benjamin:
2073. Lula Benjamin b. 1893; d. Aug. 19, 1893 2mos. (gs) and buied in the Durell Cem.

Children of Lloyd and Elvira (Pipher) Benjamin:
2074. Mildred Benjamin b. 1895.
2075. Clinton L. Benjamin b. 1907; m/2 in 1932 Madge E. Varguson.

2076. Carrie Benjamin b. 1916; m. 1935 Kenneth L. Edwards.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1359. W. MELVIN/MELVIN W. BENJAMIN[8] (Richard[7], David[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1869 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Richard and Hetty (---) Benjamin; died in 1906 (gs) and buried in the Morotton Cemetery. He married Catherine Johnson on December 3, 1891, the dau. of James and Lorinda (Vargaso) Johnson b. 1874/5. She m/2 Wirt Lindley on March 9, 1919. He was b. 1869.

Children of W. Melvin and Catherine (Johnson) Benjamin:
2077. Norman William Benjamin b. 1892; m. 1930 Maggie Bell (Bristol) Benjamin., his brother's widow.
2078. Glenn M. Benjamin b. August 3, 1894 (vr); m. June 5, 1915 Maggie B. Bristol, b. 1899.
2080. Richard Benjamin b. 1896; m. April 24, 1918 Tessie Elliott b. 1893; d. 1967 (gs).
2081. Zelphia O. Benjamin b. 1903; d. 1922.
2082. James S. Benjamin b. 1905; d. 1921.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1371. DEWITT H. BENJAMIN[8] (David[7], Jesse[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born January 16, 1854 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of David and Mary (Dull) Benjamin; died January 8/18, 1935. He married Sarah ---.

His will is on file in Bradford Co., Penn. (#36-286) and mentions daus. Nellie Pelkey and grandchildren James F. Keegan and Sadie Moon.

Children of DeWitt and Sarah (---) Benjamin:
2083. Nellie Agnes Benjamin b. 1891; m/1 February 17, 1912 George Keegan, b. 1886; m/2 J. C. Pelkey.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1372. EMMA LOVINA BENJAMIN[8] (David[7], Jesse[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David Richard[2-1]) born July 14, 1856 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the dau. of David and Mary (Dull) Benjamin; died December 1932 at Athens, Bradford Co., Penn. She m/1 --- Newell and m/2 Ezra Chadwick Johnson, the son of Moses and Louisa (Campbell) Johnson. He was born February 12, 1860 and died 1940 at Athens, Penn.

Children of --- and Emma (Benjamin) Newell:
2084. Nancy Naomi Newell b. March 10, 1875.
2085. Isaac Oliver Newell b. May 10, 1879.
2086. Mary Newell b. February 7, 1881.

Children of Ezra and Emma (Benjamin Newell) Johnson:
2087. Lina Louisa Johnson b. April 12, 1883.
2088. LeRoy Ezra Johnson b. December 2, 1885.

2089. Anna Belle Johnson b. November 5, 1887.
2090. Walter David Johnson b. February 3, 1888.
2091. Sarah Elizabeth Johnson b. April 1, 1891.
2092. Jennie Leah Johnson b. July 9, 1894.
2093. Bessie May Johnson b. June 21, 1896.

Resource: Records of Eloise Dorman of Tuscon, Arizona, taken from Bible belonging to Anna Belle Johnson Howard.

1376. ISAAC L. BENJAMIN[8] (David[7], Jesse[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born April 22, 1866 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of David and Mary (Dull) Benjamin; died May 2, 1919. He m/1 Agnes Cahill on August 14, 1886 and m/2 Marie Heman/Herman.

Children of Isaac and Agnes (Cahill) Benjamin:
2094. Mary Benjamin b. 1893; m. Aug. 13, 1912 Ralph Marshall, b. 1892.
2095. Bessie Benjamin; m. April 28, 1914 Harry Frantz, b. 1889.
2096. Routh Benjamin (male) b. March 16, 1897 (vr).
2097. Clyde Benjamin b. 1899; m. Dec. 1920 Mabel Bickham.
2098. Claude Benjamin b. 1895; m. Dec. 1923 Dessie Eiklor, b. b. 1884.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1386. ORREN/ORLANDO/ORRIN BENJAMIN[8] (Harry[7], Jesse[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4] David[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1862 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Harry S. and Harriet (---) Benjamin. He married in 1888 to Nancy Mann, who was born about 1871.

Children of Orren and Nancy (Mann) Benjamin:
2099. Ella Benjamin b. 1889; d. 1889.
2100. Johnnie Benjamin b. 1891; d. 1891.
2101. Anna L. Benjamin b. 1893; m. Sept. 16, 1913 Edward Apgar, b. 1891.
2102. Fanny Benjamin b. March 11, 1895. (vr); m/1 Fred W. Johnston, b. 1889. She m/2 1954 John F. Benjamin b. 1892.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1389. CLARK E. BENJAMIN[8] (Harry[7], Jesse[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1868 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Harry S. and Harriet (---) Benjamin; died April 1, 1923. He m/1 Juya/Julia Vanderpool, who was born in 1880 and died in 1904 (gs) and buried in the Durell Cemetery. He m/2 May 2, 1906 to Zelphia Vanderpool, who was born in 1884. He m/3 December 26, 1919 Pearl E. Timbler, who in turn m. July 1923 James Leckabee.

Children of Clark and Julia (Vanderpool) Benjamin:
2103. Charles E. Benjamin b. May 1, 1896; m. Feb. 7, 1920 Alma Strope, b. 1903.

2104. Lena Benjamin b. March 24, 1898. (vr).
2105. Agnes Benjamin b. Oct. 2, 1900 (vr); m. Dec. 1918 Martin F. Ackley, b. 1897.
2106. Lida Benjamin b. 1902; m. April 1922 Clarence Williams, b. 1896.

Resource: Records of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1394. CHARLES E. BENJAMIN[8] (Edwin[7], Joshua[6], Richard[5], Jno.[4], David Richard[2-1]) born in 1849 in Bradford Co., Penn.; the son of Edwin and Abigail (---) Benjamin. He married Emma L.--

Children of Charles and Emma (---) Benjamin:
2107. Monta M. Benjamin b. 1874; m. July 3, 1893 Fred E. Rundell, b. 1870.
2108. Horace E. Benjamin b. 1878; m. Oct. 7, 1899 Arvilla M. Brown b. 1882.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1400. CORNELIUS BENJAMIN[8] (Stephen[7], James[6], Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born 1827 probably in Orange Co., New York; the son of Stephen H. and Magdalen (Forshee) Benjamin. He married Elizabeth Pierson in 1848. She was born in 1829.

Children of Cornelius and Elizabeth (Pierson) Benjamin:
2109. Gary Benjamin b. 1850.

Resource: Research of F. Everrtt Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1402. WILLIAM HENRY BENJAMIN[8] (Stephen[7], James[6], Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1832 probably in Orange Co., New York; the son of Stephen H. and Magdalene (Forshee) Benjamin. He married Hannah M. Travis in 1857. She was born in 1838.
He resided for a time in Schuyler Co., N.Y. and was listed in the 1870 census of Pottawattame Co., Avaca Twp., Iowa.

Children of William and Hannah (Travis) Benjamin:
2110. Francis Benjamin.
2111. Travis W. Benjamin b. 1858 in N.Y.
2112. Stephen Elisha Benjamin b. 1864 in N.Y.
2113. Harry Howard Benjamin b. 1866 in Iowa.
2114. Alvin Mallory Benjamin b. 1870 in Iowa.
2115. Clara M. Benjamin b. 1872 in Iowa.

Resources: Census records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1404. DANIEL F. BENJAMIN[8] (Stephen[7], James[6], Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1834-6 probably in Orange Co., New York; the son of Stephen H. and Magdalene (Forshee) Benjamin. He married in 1859 Sarah A. Goltry, who was born in 1839.

Children of Daniel and Sarah (Goltry) Benjamin:

2116. Albert Cressy Benjamin b. 1867; d. 1873.
2117. William L. Benjamin b. 1872.
2118. Winnie Benjamin b. 1875.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1405. THOMAS PARKER BENJAMIN[8] (Stephen[7], James[6], Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born February 20, 1838 at Marlboro, Ulster Co, New York; the son of Stephen H. and Magdalene (Forshee) Benjamin; died May 8, 1899 at Sioux City, Iowa. He married January 1, 1863 at Warren, Ohio to Margaret Parshall, the dau. of Samuel and Jane (Linton) Parshall. She was born October 23, 1837 at Milton, Ohio.

Children of Thomas and Margaret (Parshall) Benjamin:
2119. Jennie Orramelle Benjamin b. June 28, 1865 at Revenna, Ohio; m. at Warren, Ohio December 11, 1897 to Densmore Daniel.
2120. Dr. Burke Benjamin b. December 30, 1873 at Newton Falls, Ohio; m. in Pittsburgh, Penn. April 20, 1897 to Cecelia Lomax.
2121. Lemoyne Benjamin b. January 19, 1880 at Braceville, Ohio.

Resource: p.187 Hist. of Parshall Fam., James C. Parshall, 1903.

1408. HOWARD BENJAMIN[8] (Stephen[7], James[6], Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard 2-1) born about 1845 probably in Schuyler Co., New York; the son of Stephen H. and Magdalene (Forshee) Benjamin; died July 11, 1907 (gs) and is buried in the Tyrone Union Cemetery in Schuyler Co., N.Y. He m/1 Flora/Floranna Meade in 1869. She was born in 1848 and died 1897 (gs) and is buried with her husband. He m/2 Sarah ---.

Children of Howard and Flora (Meade) Benjamin:
2122. Mary Elizabeth Benjamin; m. November 20, 1895 Milton Elmer Van Duzer, son of Milton and Margaret (Waugh) Van Duzer b. August 10, 1864.
    1. Howard James Van Duzer b. June 4, 1899.
    2. Francis Lynn Van Duzer b. Oct. 17, 1905.
2123. Howard Hobert Benjamin b. 1876; d. 1940 (gs) and buried in the Tyrone Union Cemetery; m. Cynthia Rappleye b. 1878, d. 1953 (gs).
2124. Sarah J. Benjamin; m. --- Sproul.
2125. C. Fredrick Benjamin; had issue: Ruth and Charles Benjamin.
2126. Maude Benjamin; a school teacher.

Howard was a soldier in the Civil War in Co. C. 179th Regt. of N.Y. Volunteers. He was listed in the 1893/4 Schuyler Co. Directory at Tyrone as a farmer. He died intestate (#3756) in Schuyler Co., N.Y.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.;

Book owned by Iva Jane Benjamin Houck, dau. of Howard H. Benjamin.

1422. ANNANIAS/ANNIAS BENJAMIN[8] (Horace[7], David[6], Silas[5-4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born December 2, 1843 in Orange Co., New York; the son of Horace T. and Synthia (Conklin) Benjamin; died July 27, 1922 at Washingtonville (Blaggs Cove), Orange Co., New York. He married December 22, 1864 Frances E. Hallock. He may have m/2 Emma ---, though Emma may have been the middle name of his first wife.

Children of Annanias and Frances (Hallock) Benjamin:

2127. Jesse B. Benjamin b. February 25, 1866; d. November 14, 1937; m. Katherine Helgeson. Issue:
   1. Beatrice Benjamin b. August 22, 1897 in Keokuk, Iowa; m. William Hartman and lived in Philadelphia, Penn.
   2. one other dau.

2128. Sanford Benjamin b. August 18, 1868; m. 1895 Agnes Merritt.
   1. Lelitia Benjamin; unm.; resided Blaggs Cove.
   2. Raymond Benjamin; m. had son: Carlton Benjamin, who d. unm. in 1930's.

2129. Lena Benjamin b. March 13, 1873; d. January 2, 1883 age 10 yrs.

2130. Bruce/Brewster Benjamin b. February 23, 1883; d. August 15, 1950; m. at Washingtonville, N.Y. to Carrie Satterlee.
   1. Margaret Benjamin b. May 28, 1907; m. Clarence Gregory.

2131. Grace Benjamin b. February 9, 1887; d. 1913; m. Lewis Fuller/Felter, who was b. 1886, d. 1951.
   1. Ralph Fuller; resided at Warwick, N.Y.
   2. Clarence Fuller; resided at Rochester, N.Y.
   3. Brewster Fuller.
   4. Louis Fuller.

Resource: Records of Mrs. M. B. Gregory of Highland Mills, New York.

1475. JOEL BENJAMIN[8] (Andrew[7], Robert[6], Nathan[5], Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1859 in Tuscarora, Steuben Co., New York; the son of Andrew and Mary (Hayes) Benjamin. He married Merdie/Medaie/Meedy (probably Almeda) Allen, who was born in 1863.

He was listed in the 1880 census of Tuscarora, Steuben Co., New York.

Children of Joel and Almeda (Allen) Benjamin;

2132. Rush Benjamin b. 1879/80 in N.Y.; m. Anna Houghtaling b. 1880, d. 1958., a sister to Bertha.

2133. Dora Benjamin b. 1882; m. --- Long.

2134. George Benjamin b. 1884; at S. Addison., N.Y.; m/1

Sadie Culver and was divorced in 1927; m/2 June 6, 1931 Helen May (Ambery) Stonemetz in Tioga Co., Penn.

1235. Jennie Benjamin b.1890.

Resources: Research of F.Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1480. OSCAR BENJAMIN[8] (Andrew[7], Robert[6], Nathan[5], Silas[4], David[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1877 born probably in Steuben Co., New York; the son of Andrew and Mary (Stratton) Benjamin; died September 1967. He married Bertha Houghtaling, who was born in 1885 and died in 1949 (gs).

He was a farmer and owned 50 acres in Addison, Steuben Co., N.Y.

Children of Oscar and Bertha (Houghtaling) Benjamin:

1236. Ella Benjamin b. Feb. 1905; m. Mathew Gould b. 1904, d. 1945.

1237. Phillip Benjamin; m. Arletta Rietnauer.

1238. Margaret (Mary) Benjamin b. 1911; m. Clayton Allen.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1493. JOSEPH BENJAMIN[8] (William[7], Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard 2-1) born February 31, 1832 at Fairfield, Madison Co., Ohio; the son of William and Clarissa (Waldo) Benjamin; died December 5, 1914. He married Margaret Perigo on August 13, 1856 at Madison Co., Ohio. She was born February 22, 1835 and died November 27, 1880. He m/2 Martha ---, who was born in 1842 and died 1928. There was no issue of the second marriage.

Children of Joseph and Margaret (Perigo) Benjamin:

1239. William C. Benjamin b. October 27, 1858; d. December 25, 1926; m. Lula Henkle. She was born Dec. 22, 1866 and at Big Plain, Ohio and died July 1944 at Mayfield, Kentucky. They resided at Mayfield, Kentucky.

1. Joseph Henkle Benjamin b. Dec. 24, 1899; m. Clara Irene Kirkby May 19, 1925.
2. Alfred Henry Benjamin b. March 31, 1906; m. Ethel James Byrd.
3. Louella Benjamin;m. Lt. William Jones McCluney of Crystal Springs, Miss.

1240. Alfred H. Benjamin b. May 23, 1860; d. July 7, 1935; m. Jennie Truitt b. April 17, 1865; d. Dec. 14, 1935. Both are buried in the Big Plain, Ohio Cem etery.

1. Muriel Benjamin b. Sept. 3, 1888; m/1 Fred Elliott; m/2 Joseph Tway.
2. Edith Benjamin b. May 6, 1897; m. Charles D. Keye.

1241. Herrick Joseph Benjamin b. August 1, 1863; d. Oct. 16, 1932; m. Elizabeth Graham in 1888. She was

b. May 10, 1864; d. July 20, 1938. He was a farmer and resided in Kingsville, Missouri.
1. Eva Benjamin b. Dec. 12, 1888; m. Richard Wilson Stahl, b. Mar. 5, 1888; d. Nov. 25, 1935.
2. William T. Benjamin b. Sept. 25, 1896; d. Feb 12, 1919 in France; Pvt. in Medical Dept. of South Dakota Unit; buried in Oise-Aisne, Fere, France.

1242. Thomas John Timothy Benjamin b. April 22, 1865; d. July 20, 1934; m. May Gregg b. May 6, 1872; d. Dec. 29, 1946. Resided in Big Plain, Ohio.
1. Florence Ethel Benjamin b. Jan. 31, 1903; unm.
2. Margaret Winnie Benjamin b. April 19, 1904; m. Ralph Edwards in 1925.
3. Frances Elizabeth Benjamin b. July 28, 1906; m. Kenneth Redman in 1925.
4. Robert Herrick Benjamin b. Aug. 28, 1909; res. Grove City, Ohio.
5. Mae Alice Benjamin b. March 9, 1915; m. Laurence Gill.
6. Catherine Benjamin b. March 31, 1917.

1243. Clarissa Benjamin b. September 3, 1868; d. October 11, 1893; m. Prof. A. E. Newman on Jan. 18, 1893. Buried in Oklahoma.

Resources: Records of Dr. Mabel Nelson and Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

1501. PHEBE ANN BENJAMIN[8] (Samuel[7], Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born March 11, 1826 at Big Plains, Madison Co., Ohio; the dau. of Samuel and Eleanor (McLane) Benjamin; died October 21, 1890. She married March 25, 1849 John Bentson/Benson b. February 28, 1826 at Fincastle, Vermont and died February 27, 1916 at Champaign Co., Ohio. Both are buried in the McConkey Cemetery, Catawba, Ohio.

Children of John and Phoebe (Benjamin) Bentson:
1244. Joseph M. Bentson b. April 13, 1849; unm.
1245. Elizabeth M. Bentson b. Oct. 22, 1850; unm.
1246. Melissa Jane Bentson b. Oct. 3, 1853; m. Mathew Hondley.
1247. Sarah Florence Bentson b. Dec. 8, 1855; d. 1941; m. John H. Brown.
1248. John C. Benjton b. June 23, 1856; unm.
1249. Rachel Ann Bentson b. Aug. 15, 1858; m. Edward Hayzlett.
1250. Minerva Bentson b. May 4, 1861; unm.
1251. A. Miller Bentson b. March 15, 1862; m. Elizabeth Page.
1252. Phoebe Alfreta Bentson b. Oct. 3, 1864; d. 1888; m. John T. Granger.
1253. Lena Isabelle Bentson b. June 4, 1870

1502. JOHN J. BENJAMIN[8] (Samuel[7], Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born June 13, 1829 at Big Plains, Ohio; the son of Samuel and Eleanor (McLane) Benjamin; died September 5, 1908 at Quincy, Illinois. He m/1 Evaline M. Pike, who died August 15, 1863 at Shelbyville, Ill, while John was in the Union Army. He m/2 Philindia Mallory on April 23, 1874. She died September 7, 1937. She m/2 --- Barnes. John is buried in the Oakland Cemetery at Moberly, Missouri

Children of John and Evaline (Pike) Benjamin:

1254. Abigail A. Benjamin b. 1855 in Iowa; m. Nov. 23, 1876 Thomas Jefferson Adams; resided in Oklahoma in 1908.
1255. Sarah Elizabeth Benjamin b. 1858 in Indiana; m. Feb. 11, 1880 John K.Jackson at Quincy, Ill.; resided at Ursa, Ill.
1256. Margaret Benjamin b. 1860 in Indiana.

Children of John and Philindia (Mallory) Benjamin:

1257. John Benjamin Jr.; was married twice; active in the Salvation Army.
1258. Henry Benjamin; married but no children.
1259. Frances Benjamin; d. 1964 in Moberly, Mo.; m/1 --- Liggett; m/2 --- Padgett; m/3 ---- Daugherty; m/4 Charles Albright. Had step children only.

Resources: Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

1510. MARY BENJAMIN[8] (Samuel[7], Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born August 17, 1849 at Liberty Twp., White Co., Indiana; the dau. of Samuel and Arthia (Brown Fisher) Benjamin; died December 16, 1832 at Shelby Co., Missouri. She m/1 James Marshall Miles on June 15, 1867. He died March 11, 1874 at Camp Point, Ill. She m/2 on January 4, 1876 William M. Thorp. She m/3 March 7, 1909 Rev. Conrad Steffen, who died in 1924. There were no children from the third marriage.

Children of James and Mary (Benjamin) Miles:

1260. Enoch Benjamin Miles b. Sept. 30, 1868; d. Dec. 25, 1926; m. Emma Mae Raugh.
1261. Cyrus Ruddle Miles b. Feb. 4, 1871 at Liberty, Ill.; d. Jan. 15, 1965; m. Feb. 7, 1892 Catherine McDowell b. 1875, d. 1956.
1262. Charles Hezikah Miles b. Dec. 22, 1872 in Ill.; d. Nov. 9, 1848 in Mo.; m. May 8, 1898 Edna Ann Derringer.

Children of William and Mary (Benjamin Miles) Thorp.

1263. William Henry Thorp b. Dec. 8, 1876; d. Sept. 29, 1962; m. Bell Miller.
1264. Freddie Thorp b. Jan. 4, 1879; d. Jan. 13, 1879.
1265. George Warren Thorp b. April 27, 1880; d. Oct. 6, 1965; m. Dora Cinamon.
1266. Carrie Mary Thorp b. May 29, 1883; d. Oct. 14, 1968;

m. Scott Gunnells.
1267. Edward LeRoy Thorp b. Jan. 28, 1885; d. Oct. 8,1886.
1268. Nellie Belle Thorp b. Oct 2, 1888; m. Garett Kidwell
1269. Walter Christian Thorp b. July 18, 1892; d. June 9, 1965; m. Lula Howerton.

Resources: Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

1512. HENRY HEZEKIAH BENJAMIN[8] (Samuel[7], Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born September 27, 1852 in Liberty Twp., White Co., Indiana; the son of Samuel and Arthia (Brown Fisher) Benjamin; died September 15, 1929. He married about 1883 Sarah Ellen Huntsaker, b. Oct. 2, 1854, d. March 10, 1942.

Children of Henry and Sarah (Huntsaker) Benjamin:
1270. child, d. at birth.
1271. Harvey Harmon Benjamin b. November 22, 1886; d. Sept. 14, 1966; m. Martha Christina Franks, b. Feb. 1, 1894; no children.
1272. Lena Benjamin b. May 19, 1888; m. Orvill A. Turner; resided Hughesville, Missouri.
1273. James Arthur Benjamin b. June 12, 1893; d. April 9, 1908; buried in cemetery at Amoret, Missouri.
1274. Cora Benjamin b. November 4, 1898; d. 1902.

Resources: Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

1530. PHILIP MILLER BENJAMIN[8] (Philip[7], Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born September 2, 1844 in Jasper Co., Indiana; the son of Phillip and Pheriba (Burns) Benjamin; died August 6, 1932 in the Vet's Hospital in Los Angles, Calif. He married/1 November 6, 1867 Elizabeth Hornbeck, who d. June 17, 1888. He m/2 June 12, 1889 Mrs. M. G. Engle. He m/3 June 1903 Mrs. Agnes Miller.
He served in the Civil War in Co. G., 9th Indiana Volunteer Inf.

Children of Philip and Elizabeth (Hornbeck) Benjamin:
1275. Rebecca Pheriba Benjamin b. August 21, 1868; m. Feb 2, 1887 at Monticello, Ind. to Robert Jackson Nelson.
1. Dr. P. Mabel Nelson b. Nov. 9, 1887; d. Feb. 19, 1963; unm.
2. Owel Benjamin Nelson; m. Lela Howard.
3. Earl Nelson; m. Alvina Williams.
4. Elizabeth Nelson b. 1897; m. B. L. Kylberg.
1276. Maggie Mae Benjamin b. April 24, 1872; m. Harry Bott.
1. Walter Merle Bott.
2. Raymond C. Bott b. 1898.

Resources: Records of Dr. P. Mabel Nelson and of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

1533. MARY MALISSA BENJAMIN[8] (Philip[7], Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1855 in Jasper Co., Indiana; the dau. of Philip Miller and Anna (Eastwood Alma) Benjamin; died in 1915. She married November 14, 1880 David William Hughes, who was born July 30, 1857 in Logansport, Ind. and died July 30, 1908.

Children of David and Mary (Benjamin) Hughes:
1277. Marion Hughes b. 1882; d. 1945; m. Ella Hart.
1278. Anna Lee Hughes b. 1884; m. Henry F. Rankin; resided at Monticello, Ind.
1279. Inez Hughes b. 1886; d. March 9, 1963; m. Lawrence Miller.
1280. Ellen Hughes b. 1891; d. 1952.
1281. Lula Mae Hughes b. 1893; d. 1894.

Resources: Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

1534. MARTHA JANE BENJAMIN[8] (Philip[7], Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1857 at Jasper Co., Indiana; the dau. of Philip Miller and Anna (Eastwood Alma) Benjamin; died in 1929. She married Omar Fross, who died in 1894.

Children of Omar and Martha (Benjamin) Fross:
1282. Ada Fross; d. 1895.
1283. Stella Fross b. Dec. 29, 1887; d. April 1905.
1284. Cora Catherine Fross b. Sept. 22, 1889; m. Cloyd Thompson; resided Delphi, Indiana.
1285. Fay Fross b. April 14, 1892; d. Oct. 8, 1910; m. Benjamin Bowsher.

Resources: Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

1535. KATHERYN BENJAMIN[8] (Philip[7], Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born in Jasper Co., Indiana; the dau. of Philip and Anna (Eastwood Alma) Benjamin. She married William Gaby.

Children of William and Katheryn (Benjamin) Gaby:
1286. Dilleno Philip Gaby.
1287. Herrick LeRoy Gaby.
1288. Ivy Pauline Gaby; m. --- Richerson.
1289. Walter Gaby.
1290. Frances Marie Gaby.
1291. Eugene Benjamin Gaby.
1292. Marth Juanity Gaby; m. ---- Roberts.

Resources: Records of Nobel Benjamin of Monticello, Int.

1536. HERRICK BENJAMIN[8] (Philip[7], Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born in January 29, 1859 in Jasper Co., Indiana; the son of Philip and Anna (Eastwood Alma) Benjamin; died March 1938. He married May Louisa Henderson, who was born January 10, 1865 and died January 9, 1952.

Children of Herrick and Mary (Henderson) Benjamin:

1293. Edna Benjamin b. October 6, 1894; d. Aug. 25, 1896.

1294. Josephine Benjamin;d. November 17, 1961; unm.

1295. Clarence Otis Benjamin b. March 3, 1893; m/1 Agnes Stellhorn; m/2 Hattie Ruggles; resided in Monticello, Ind.
   1. Mary Emma Benjamin; m. Howard Dunlap.
   2. Claris Benjamin; m. Aaron B. Giles.
   3. Bessie Mae; d. 1928.
   4. Jessie Benjamin; m. Maurice Ward.
   5. Herrick Benjamin; m. Helen Luse.
   6. Joy Ellen Benjamin m. Vernon Edward Meyer.
   7. Anna Benjamin; m. Harold Zarse.
   8. Katheryn Bell Benjamin; m. Donald Apple.
   9. Ferrell Maurine Benjamin; m. Robert Browne.
   10. Vera Benjamin; m. Dale Timm.
   11. Clarence Otis Benjamin; m. Maryln Ford.
   12. Patricia Benjamin; m. David Tolley.

1296. Nobel Henderson Benjamin b. April 25, 1905; m. Ogla Josephine Million; resided at Monticello, Ind.
   1. James Edwin Benjamin b. 1933; m. Marilyn Mathers.
   2. Carol Ann Benjamin b. 1936; m. Raymond Kazmierczak.

Resource: Records of Nobel H. Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

1537. PETER BENJAMIN[8] ((Philip[7], Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard[2] -1) born in 1861 in Jasper Co., Indiana; the son of Philip and Anna (Eastwood Alma) Benjamin; died in 1940. He married Sarah Matilda Brown, b. 1871, d. 1959. They were married in Paulding, Ohio on August 20, 1888.

Children of Peter and Sarah (Brown) Benjamin:

1297. Bessie Benjamin b. August 18, 1889; d. October 5, 1916; m. Hector Hunt.

1298. Grover (Russell LeRoy) Benjamin b. November 16, 1892; d. July 23, 1963; m/1 Verdie Wilson; m/2 Beth ---, and had no children of the 2nd m.
   1. Russell LeRoy Benjamin; m. Anna Gudla.
   2. Edith Clara Benjamin; m. Donald J. Mize.
   3. Mary Eileen Benjamin; m/1 Arthur Fredrick Wilhelm; m/2 Charles M. Fogarty.
   4. Edwin Eugene Benjamin; m. Harriet Mitten.
   5. Ruby Pearl Benjamin; m. Dr. Henry R. Ziegler.
   6. Robert David Benjamin; m. Gloria Spinelli.
   7. James Phillip Benjamin; m. Laura M. Golden.
   8. Erma Louise Benjamin; m. Alec ---.
   9. Shirley Ann Benjamin; m. --- Delerson.

1299. Ernest Cloyd Benjamin b. September 25, 1895; m. Gertrude Templeton; resided at Keytesville, Missouri.
   1. Ruth Darlene Benjamin; m. Bill Lee Masteller.

2. Dale Vernon Benjamin b. 1938; d. 1948.

1300. Edith Gail Benjamin b. December 5, 1901; m/1 --- Rohrabaugh; m/2 Clay Wickersham; reside at Monticello, Ind.

1301. Elsie Jane Benjamin b. September 13, 1904; m. Leonard Burris; reside Winchester, Indiana.

Resource: Records of Nobel H. Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

1539. ELIZABETH BENJAMIN[8] (Abel[7], Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard 2-1) born July 3, 1847 at White Co., Indiana; the dau. of Abel R. and Mary (Conwell) Benjamin; died July 28, 1931. She married James Hughes, born February 11, 1838 and died December 4, 1910.

Children of James and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Hughes:

1302. Frank Hughes b. September 29, 1870; d. May 26,1940.

1303. Alva Jeptha Hughes b. Jan. 5, 1872; d. Jan. 24, 1946.

1304. Mary Lute Hughes b. Jan. 23, 1847; d. June 25, 1946

1305. Estella Hughes b. June 7, 1876; d. Sept. 29, 1897.

1306. Thomas Hughes b. Feb. 11, 1879; res. in Calif.

1307. Pearl Hughes b. April 18, 1881; m. --- Fross.

1308. Ethel Hughes b. May 10, 1883; d. March 2, 1942.

1309. Cloyd Hughes b. March 2, 1885; d. Feb. 25, 1940.

1310. William Owen Hughes b. Nov. 5, 1886; res. Monticello, Indiana.

Resource: Records of Nobel H. Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

1540. GEORGE BENJAMIN[8] (Abel[7], Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born November 6, 1848 at White Co., Indiana; the son of Abel and Mary (Cowell) Benjamin; died in 1937. He married Tabitha Hickman, who was born in Ohio. They lived at Trenton, Nebraska. He was a member of the 123rd Indiana Volunteer Inf. in the Civil War.

Children of George and Tabitha (Hickman) Benjamin:

1311. Silas Marion Benjamin b. Sept. 15, 1869; unm.

1312. Mertie M. Benjamin b. July 24, 1874; m. Robert Stearns; resided at Trento, Neb.

1313. Lillie B. Benjamin b. March 20, 1876; m. --- Hinkle. Resided at Thermopolis, Wyoming.

1314. Thomas Earl Benjamin b. March 14, 1879; married.
1. George Benjamin.
2. Floyd Benjamin.
3. Mary Benjamin.

1315. Willa Hinkle Benjamin b. Jan. 7, 1883; d. August 9, 1962; married.

1316. Grover C. Benjamin b. October 22, 1884; d. March 25 1961; no issue.

1317. Franklin Elden Benjamin b. Dec. 1, 1886; resided at Oxford, Nebraska.
1. Elden Ed. Benjamin.

2. Dallas Delphis Benjamin.
3. Fayetta Irene Benjamin; m. --- Green.

Resources: Records of Nobel H. Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

1541. SAMUEL HOWARD BENJAMIN[8] (Abel[7], Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born July 20, 1850 at White Co., Indiana; the son of Abel R. and Mary (Conwell) Benjamin; died April 6, 1915. He m/1 Adeline Baer. He m/2 Lydia Warrick and probably had no issue of the 2nd marriage.

Children of Samuel and Adeline (Baer) Benjamin:

1318. Charles Benjamin b. Nov. 25, 1878; d. Dec. 2, 1941; unm.
1319. Albert Benjamin b. Nov. 1, 1880; d. Dec. 22, 1929; m. Gladys Bungor; resided Logansport, Indiana.
   1. Stell Benjamin; m. Walter Hare.
   2. Edith Benjamin; m/1 Earl Thomas; m/2 Walter Mattix.
   3. Thelma Benjamin.
1320. Frank E. Benjamin b. Jan. 25, 1882; d. Sept. 4, 1953; m. Ollie Fisher; resided Monticello, Ind.
   1. Laverne Adeline Benjamin; m. Walter Hare.
   2. Marion Samuel Benjamin; m. Lois Leasonby.
   3. Leila Elizabeth Benjamin; m. Harold Lytle.
   4. Frank Edwin Benjamin; m. Martha D. Carr.
   5. Una Mae Benjamin; m. Bernard R. Rozzi.
   6. David Fisher Benjamin; m. Virginia Replogle.

Resource: Records of Nobel H. Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

1542. SILAS B. BENJAMIN[8] (Abel[7], Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born May 6, 1852 at White Co., Indiana; the son of Abel and Mary (Cowell) Benjamin; died October 24, 1924 and buried in Monticello, Indiana. He married Mary Malissa Hughes on November 21, 1871 at White Co., Ind. She was born November 2, 1852 and died in 1932 near Monticello.

Children of Silas and Mary (Hughes) Benjamin:

1321. Abel Rowland Benjamin b. December 16, 1887; d. Oct. 19, 1918; m. Cora Mae Luse b. Sept. 1, 1889; d. March 26, 1930.
   1. Margery Madeline Benjamin; m. Warren Bowsher.
1322. Florence M. Benjamin; b. Nov. 29, 1872; d. Dec. 22, 1872.
1323. Alva Jasper Benjamin b. Oct. 20, 1879; d. June 25, 1896; unm.
1324. Anna Laura Benjamin b. Oct. 20, 1879; d. Oct. 12, 1942; m. Francis/Frank Marion Harrison b. May 30, 1964, d. Jan. 6, 1933.
   1. Silas Ray Harrison; m. Edith C. Ingels.
   2. Cecil Eli Harrison; m. Vesta C. Elder.
   3. Mary Harrison; m. George Hull.
   4. Madge Z. Harrison; m. William G. Whitehead.

1544. FRANCIS MARION BENJAMIN[8] (Abel[7], Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born March 4, 1856 at White Co., Indiana; the son of Abel and Mary (Conwell) Benjamin; died October 4, 1927. He married Catherine J. Adams, who was born in 1848 in Ohio? and died November 6, 1918 in White Co., Indiana.

Children of Marion and Catherine (Adams) Benjamin:

1325. William Benjamin b. July 1880; d. Nov. 1949; m. Margaret ---, who died in 1957.
   1. Jane Benjamin
   2. William Benjamin; both reside Waynesboro, Pa.

1326. Edward Benjamin b. March 21, 1882; d. August 7, 1928; m. Nellie Childers on March 18, 1909.
   1. Mary Catherine Benjamin.
   2. Ruth Benjamin; m. Dr. Kenneth O. Neuman.
   3. John Marion Benjamin; res.: Battle Ground, Ind.

1327. Mary Ellen Benjamin b. July 24, 1885; d. January 2, 1934; m. William Hepp, b. Dec. 25, 1879, d. Dec. 3, 1928.

1328. Gertrude Benjamin b. November 10, 1886; d. February 2, 1922/3; m. John Edward Fry on October 21, 1903.

Resource: Records of Nobel H. Benjamin of Monticello, Ind.

1545. ISAAC SMITH BENJAMIN[8] (Abel[7], Jno.[6], Herrick[5-4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born September 26, 1858 at White Co., Indiana; the son of Abel and Mary (Conwell) Benjamin; died December 14, 1918 and buried in the Old Fellows Cemetery in Monticello. He married Lydia Ann Hughes on November 10, 1881 in White Co., Ind. She was born January 28, 1856 at White Co., Ind. and died June 3, 1945 and is buried with her husband.

Children of Isaac and Lydia (Hughes) Benjamin:

1329. Galen Benjamin b. October 25, 1882; d. April 18, 1941 at Lafayette, Ind.; m/1 Retta Lauretta Grossmeyer; m/2 Mary Armour O'Neil.
   1. Isaac Dean Benjamin; m. Thelma Ruth Lods.
   2. Galen Keith Benjamin; m. Etta ---.
   3. Eileen Benjamin; m. Roy Dilling.
   4. Murvell Dwight Benjamin.

1330. Mary Catherine Benjamin b. September 16, 1884; m. John Miles Kendall, b. Sept. 26, 1884; resided at Villa Grove, Ill.

1331. Bernice Benjamin b. July 1, 1888; m. Raymond Baer, b. July 9, 1886, d. Nov. 30, 1943; resided at Royal Center, Indiana.

Resources: Records of Dr. P. Mabel Nelson and records of Nobel H. Benjamin of Monticello, Indiana.

1547. JOHN E. BENJAMIN[8] (Herrick[7], Jno.[6-5], Herrick[4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born January 8, 1834 in Tompkins Co., New York; the son of Herrick and Rhoda (Hariyan) Benjamin; died April 10, 1903 (gs) and is buried in the Slaterville

Springs Cemetery. He married ElectaA. Stewart, who was born June 6, 1844 (?1849) and died February 2, 1918 (gs). His will is on file in the Tompkins Co., Surrogate Office (#H-51). He resided at Caroline Tompkins Co., N.Y.

Children of John and Electa (Stewart) Benjamin:
1332. Nettie Benjamin.
1333. Minnie Benjamin; m. --- Bessemer.
1334. Fred J. Benjamin b. 1865; d. March 10, 1866, age 4 mos. and buried in the Newfield Cemetery in Tompkins Co., N.Y.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1552. MAJOR GEORGE J. BENJAMIN[8] (Selley[7], Joseph[6], Jno.[5], Herrick[4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1836 in New York; the son of Seeley T. and Mary (Townly) Benjamin; died October 8, 1885 (gs) in Texas. He m/1 Sarah L. ---, who was born in 1838. He m/2 Dora Gesseke/Griesick in 1871. She died in 1902.

Children of George and Sarah (---) Benjamin:
1335. Millie L. Benjamin b. 1862 in Elmira, N.Y.; d. 1925
1336. Fred Lincoln Benjamin b. 1865 in Elmira, N.Y.
1. Robert Weston Benjamin.
2. Merle W. Benjamin.
3. John Benjamin.
4. James Benjamin.
5. Maddly E. Benjamin b. 1905; m. 1923 Robert Austin Evans, b. 1902.
6. Marion L. Benjamin b. 1905; m. 1926 Raymond T. Swenney, b. 1903.
7. Beatrice Benjamin.
8. Frances Benjamin b. 1901; m. 1918 Frank Doland, b. 1898.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1556. CHARLES G. BENJAMIN[8] (Seeley[7], Jos.[6], Jno.[5], Herrick[4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1854/5 in New York; the son of Seeley and Catherine (Welch) Benjamin. He married Phebe Mirache.

Children of Charles and Phebe (Mirache) Benjamin:
1337. Carl Benjamin.
1338. Carrie Benjamin.
1339. Elias Benjamin.
1340. Lillian Benjamin.
1341. Addie Benjamin.
1342. Kate Benjamin; m. --- Vaughn.
1343. Orval Benjamin.
1344. Fred Benjamin.
1345. Elsworth Benjamin.
1346. Frank Benjamin; d. 1922; m. Sarah ---.

1. Phoebe Benjamin.
2. Carrie Benjamin.
3. Frank Benjamin.
4. Fred Benjamin.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1559. LUTHER U. BENJAMIN[8] (Seeley[7], Jos.[6], Jno.[5], Herrick[4], Jno.[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1867 in New York; the son of Seeley T. and Catherine (Welch) Benjamin. He married Mary Dalrymble, who was born in 1868 and died in 1948.

Children of Luther and Mary (Dalrymble) Benjamin:
1347. Henry A. Benjamin b. 1887; d. 1838/9; m. Bertha Foster; d. 1945; no issue.
1348. Violet Benjamin b. 1900; d. 1974; m. --- Nedrow.
1349. Fredrick R. Benjamin b. 1902; d. 1973.
1350. Theodore Benjamin b. 1905; m. Frances May Williams.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y., which included a visit with Mrs. Nedrow in 1973.

1604. EDGAR LAING BENJAMIN[8] (Charles[7], Daniel[6-5], Richard[4], Amaziah Richard[2-1]) born November 23, 1867 at Hudson, New York; the son of Charles and Elizabeth (Dakin) Benjamin; died January 26, 1936 at Port Richmond, Staten Island, New York and is buried in the Fairview Cemetery on Staten Island. On September 12, 1893 at Staten Island, N.Y. he married Joanna H. Egbert. She was born in 1869 and died 1964.

Children of Edgar and Joanna (Egbert) Benjamin:
1351. Charles Egbert Benjamin b. August 9, 1894; d. 1928; unm.
1352. Marjorie Edgar Benjamin b. January 1, 1896; d. Feb. 1, 1967; m. Dr. Thomas Eliot Snyder b. 1885, d. 1970; resided at New Orleans, La.
1353. Alan Dakin Benjamin b. November 28, 1898; m. Helen Elizabeth Quinlan; resided Beaumont, Calif.; no issue.
1354. Alice Elizabeth Benjamin b. December 27, 1902; m/1 Joseph Breckenridge Handy Jr.; m/2 William Raymond Lawrence.
1355. Edith Hubbell Benjamin b. July 12, 1909; m. Frances William Xigues.

Resource: Records of Mrs. W. R. Lawrence of St. Michaels, Maryland.

1628. CHARLES E. BENJAMIN[8] (Lewis[7], Ogden[6], Josiah[5], Richard[4], Amaziah[3], Richard[2-1]) born about 1857 in Schoharie Co., New York; the son of Lewis and Abby (Robinson) Benjamin; died January 2, 1938 at Gilboa, Schoharie Co., New York. The name of his wife is unknown.

His will is on file in the Schoharie Co. Probate Of-

fice Case #6 Box 9B.

Children of Charles E. Benjamin:
1356. Grace Benjamin; unm. of South Gilboa, N.Y.
1357. Evelyn Benjamin; m. --- Scutt; resided at Alexandria, Virginia.
1358. Maude Benjamin; m. --- Hellijas; resided at Gilboa.
1359. James H. Benjamin; resided at Stamford, N.Y.
1360. William Benjamin; resided at Gilboa, N.Y.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1642. HIRAM FRANCIS BENJAMIN[8] (Francis[7], Usher[6], Amaziah[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born May 28, 1850 at East Moriches, Long Island, New York; the son of Francis and Lorinda (Youngs) Benjamin; died June 14, 1915, age 65-0-16 (gs) and is buried in the Mt. Pleasant Cemetery at Moriches. He married Laura Cordelia Benjamin on April 2, 1875 at Riverhead (vr); the dau. of Sidney H. and Louisa (Raynor) Benjamin. She was born June 13, 1854 and died May 25, 1931 at Southampton, Long Island. (See #1648).

Children of Hiram and Laura (Benjamin) Benjamin:
1361. Mary Ann Benjamin b. Jul 6, 1875.
1362. Sarah F. Benjamin b. September 1, 1877; d. Nov. 10, 1877.
1363. Franklin H. Benjamin b. Feb. 10, 1879; d. Aug. 6, 1885; drowned age 6 yrs. 6 mos.
1364. Louise R. Benjamin b. August 29, 1880; m. W. Fletcher Raynor.
1365. Sidney M. Benjamin b. March 15, 1883; d. March 2, 1957; m/1 Elizabeth Murdock b. 1878, d. May 22, 1944; m/2 Minerva J. ---, who d. Dec. 31, 1959.
1366. Elsie Benjamin b. Jan. 24, 1892; m. LeRoy Griffing; resided at Brookhaven, L.I.
1367. Bessie Benjamin; m. --- Murdock; resided a Blue Point, L.I.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y; Records of S. L. Wilcox of Speonk, N.Y.

1644. GILBERT MILLER BENJAMIN[8] (Usher[7-6], Amaziah[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born January 7, 1861 at Brookhaven, Long Island, New York; the son of Usher H. and Mary (Raynor) Benjamin; died March 14, 1939, age 78-1-25 (gs) and is buried in the Mt.Pleasant Cemetery at Moriches. He m/1 October 17, 1884 Clara J. Hallock, the dau. of Joseph H. and Harriet E. (Wicks) Hallock. She was born March 5, 1865 and died January 1, 1898 (gs) and is buried with her husband. He m/2 Elnora M. Carter b. December 22, 1868 and died July 24, 1920, age 51-7-2 (gs) and is also buried with her husband. He m/3 Esther L. Mosely, who was bornin 1874 and died 1949.

His will is on file in the Riverhead Surrogate's Of-

fice (#169-1939) and mentions widow, sons and daus. and land given to him by Usher Benjamin.
He lived at East Moriches, L.I.

Children of Gilbert and Clara (Hallock) Benjamin:
1368. Wilbur H. Benjamin b. November 2, 1889; buried in Westhampton Main Road Cemetery; m. Almira E. Case b. 1886.
1369. Elwin/Elwyn Joseph Benjamin b. March 17, 1893; m. Freida Susan Bauer.
1370. Gertrude E. Benjamin b. July 2, 1897; m. Thomas R. Bayless; resdied at Middle Island.

Children of Gilbert and Elnora (Carter) Benjamin:
1371. Erstine Benjamin d. May 16, 1901, age 1 yr. 9 mos.
1372. Evelyn M. Benjamin b. July 27, 1899; d. May 23, 1901. (Perhaps the Erstine above).
?1373. Howard C. Benjamin.
1374. Marion Benjamin; m. --- Darrow; died before her father.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

1646. HOWARD HAMPTON BENJAMIN[8] (Usher[7-6], Amaziah[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born January 20, 1877 at East Moriches, Long Island, New York; the son of Usher and Mary (Raynor) Benjamin; died February 18, 1962, age 85 (gs) and buried in the Mt. Pleasant Cemetery at Moriches, L.I. He married Josephine M. Moyer on October 23, 1904, the dau.of George and Carrie (Howell) Moyer. She was born October 21, 1884 and died June 11, 1966, age 82 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Children of Howard and Josephine (Moyer) Benjamin:
1375. Gilbert H. Benjamin b. 1919; d. 1959 (gs) and buried with his parents.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

1649. PRESTON HOWELL BENJAMIN[8] (Sidney[7], Howell[6], Amaziah[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born May 7, 1865 at East Moriches, Long Island New York; the son of Sidney H. and Louisa (Raynor) Benjamin; died 1944 (gs) and is buried in the Mt. Pleasand Cemetery at Moriches, L.I. He m/1 Elizabeth Adams Griswold on December 14, 1885 at Moriches, the only dau. of William Griswold and Huldah (Hallock). She was born 1867 and died April 27, 1887, age 19 yrs. 2 mos. (gs) at E. Moriches. He m/2 Nettie C. ---, who was born in 1866 and died 1942 (gs).
He resided at Rockville Centre, N.Y.

Children of Preston and Elizabeth (Griswold) Benjamin:
1376. Dwight S. Benjamin b.July 28, 1899; d. Oct. 4, 1900

(gs) and buried with his parents.

1377. Helen Elmeda Benjamin b. 1894; d. Feb. 25, 1958, age 64 (gs) and buried in same cem. as parents.

1378. Norman V. Benjamin b. May 20, 1900; d. Oct. 11, 1900 (gs).

1379. Norma A. Benjamin; buried in same cemetery; no dates on gravestone.

1380. Lloyd Benjamin.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1693. EDWARD T. BENJAMIN[8] (John[7-6], Israel[5], Amaziah[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born 1871 in Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of John A. and Ann (Terry) Benjamin; died 1955 (gs) and is buried in the Baiting Hollow Cong. Church Cemetery. He married Charlotte E. Hulse on January 5, 1892, the dau. of George Tuthill and Huldah (Edwards) Hulse. She was born in 1874 and died January 23, 1941 (gs) at Brookhaven and is buried with her husband.

He lived at Port Jefferson, N.Y.

Children of Edward and Charlotte (Hulse) Benjamin:

1381. Edward LeRoy Benjamin b. 1893; d. August 20, 1894, age 1-4-23 (gs) and buried with parents.

1382. Dwight S. Benjamin b. 1898; d. 1921 (gs) and buried with parents.

1383. Althea Benjamin b. July 18, 1905; d. August 15, 1905 (gs) and buried in the Riverhead Cemetery.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego and Riverhead, N.Y.; Cemetery records.

1706. FRANKLIN HOWELL BENJAMIN[8] (Daniel[7-6], Nathan[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born May 28, 1851 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of Daniel and Azubah (Mosley) Benjamin; died January 24, 1926, age 75-7-27 (gs) and is buried in the Milford, Conn. Cemetery, lot #1-1. He married Dora Belle Raynor on September 7, 1875. She was born February 25, 1860 and died 1927, age 66 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Children of Franklin and Dora (Raynor) Benjamin:

1384. Mabel E. Benjamin b. February 10, 1877 at Riverhead

1385. Mary F. Benjamin b. November 22, 1878.

1386. Clarence F. Benjamin b. July 31, 1882.

1387. Annie Belle Benjamin b. July 20, 1888.

1388. Jesse Ross Benjamin b. January 21, 1891; d. 1917 (gs) and buried in the Riverhead Cemetery; m. January 21, 1913 Charlotte Elina Swezey, the dau. of Edward Franklin and Bertha May (Cleveland) Swezey. She was b. Jan. 21, 1890 and d. Feb. 3, 1927, age 36-11-18 (gs) and buried with her husband. (Note: Another record gives her maidan name as Taber--with all other info. coresponding.)

1. Margorie May Benjamin b. Jan. 26, 1914.

2. Franklin Ross Benjamin b. June 22, 1915.
3. Dora Isabel Benjamin b. June 15, 1917, d. July 17, 1958 (gs); unm.; bur. Riverhead.
4. Charles Arthur Benjamin b. June 9, 1919.
5. Bertha Elizabeth Benjamin b. July 27, 1920.

1389. DeForest H. Benjamin b. June 9, 1893 at Riverhead; m. 1928 Olive C. ----.
1. Alfred Benjamin.

Resources: Records of Mrs. DeForest H. Benjamin of Milford, Conn.; p. 585 Refugees of 1776 from L.I. to Conn., Mather; Edwards and Tabor Gen. Manus. at Suffolk Co. Hist. Soc., via Mr. James P. Ferguson.

1709. ELWIN/EDWARD C. BENJAMIN[8] (Daniel[7-6], Nathan[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born November 15, 1863 at Middleroad, Long Island, New York; the son of Daniel and Azubah (Mosley) Benjamin; died January 18, 1929, age 65-2-3 (gs) and is buried in the Riverhead Cemetery. He married Lottie I Gordon, who was born September 4, 1870 and died July 12, 1929 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Children of Elwin and Lottie (Gordon) Benjamin:

1390. Roselle Gordon Benjamin b. September 13, 1891; d. March 29, 1963 (gs), age 71 and buried in the Riverhead Cemetery; m/1 Georgianna Downs b. Jan. 5, 1896; d. Nov. 17, 1952 (gs); m/2 Ruby G. ---, b. Sept. 19, 1896.
1. Mary Charlotte Benjamin.
2. Raymond G. Benjamin; m. Mary Jean Dzukenmiller.
3. Doris E. Benjamin b. 1925; d. 1926.
4. Allen Roselle Benjamin; m. Joan Voss.
5. Joyce A. Benjamin; m. Fredrick D. Overton.

1391. Edward LeRoy Benjamin b. 1893; d. 1894.
1392. Althea Benjamin b. 1905; d. 1905.

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego and Riverhead, N.Y.

1720. ELLSWORTH ORRIN BENJAMIN[8] (George[7], Daniel[6], Nathan[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born February 21, 1859 at Manorville, Long Island, New York; the son of George O. and Esther (Robinson) Benjamin; died November 16, 1935, age 76-8-26 (gs) and is buried in the Riverhead Cemetery. He married Mary Ella (Tombstone says Ella M.) Raynor on May 9, 1880 at Eastport. She was the dau. of Henry Fanklin and Minerva Jane (Hawkins) Raynor and was born August 17, 1860 at Eastport and died December 14, 1939, age 79-3-27 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He was a chicken farmer. His will is on file at River head Surrogate Office (#462P1935) and names widow Mary Ella of Riverhead, son Frank G. of Riverhead, dau. Orie Corwin of Westhampton, grandson Samuel Oldshaw of Islip.

George O. Benjamin was a witness.

Children of Ellsworth and Mary (Raynor) Benjamin:

1393. Frank G. Benjamin b. April 22, 1881 at Riverhead; d. September 17, 1951 at Brookhaven(vr); and buried in the E. Moriches Cemetery; m. Ethel Joy Holman, b. June 12, 1882; d. May 20, 1970.(gs).

1394. Orie Ellen Benjamin b. August 12, 1883; m. George W. Corwin, b. August 9, 1883; d. July 2, 1968 (gs and buried in the Riverhead Cemetery.

1395. Mary E. Benjamin b. 1881; d. 1960; buried in the Hampton Bays Cemetery; next to the Raynor Stone.

1396. Lizzie Benjamin; m. --- Oldshaw/Oldershaw.

Resources: Records of S. L. Wilcox of Speonk, L.I.; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead, L.I.

1722. ROSCOE MAYNARD BENJAMIN[8] (George[7], Daniel[6], Nathan[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born April 24, 1862 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of George O. and Esther (Robinson) Benjamin; died March 3, 1933 at Bridgehampton and buried in the Bridgehampton Cemetery. He married Mary Esther Homan on December 5, 1888 at Riverhead. She was the dau. of Daniel Uriah and Esther Ann (Hulse) Homan and was born October 23, 1863 at Calverton, N.Y. and died June 29, 1946, age 82-8-6 at Southampton and is buried with her husband.

He belonged to the Methodist Episcopal Church at Riverhead and was the owner and proprietor of the Roanoke Market at Riverhead. At the age of 8 years, he went to live with his Uncle Jehiel in Middleroad, on the farm that had been his grandfather's. This farm was left to Ellsworth and Roscoe--50 acres to each. Later Frank Benjamin, son of Ellsworth, came into possession of the entire farm.

Children of Roscoe and Mary (Homan) Benjamin:

1397. Roscoe Havens Benjamin b. February 28, 1894 at Riverhead; d. June 5, 1961 at Albany, N.Y.; m/1 Marie Sammis and had 5 children. He m/2 ?.

1398. Esther Marguerite Benjamin b. May 31, 1896 at Riverhead; m. August 12, 1921 Roy Irving Barnett.
1. Roy Irving Barnett Jr.

1399. Lottie Belle Benjamin b. April 11, 1899 at Riverhead; d. November 10, 1960; m. Harold Anthony Shanahan.
1. Althea Shanahan; m. --- Bishop.
2. Dorothy Shanahan; m. --- MacEan; m/2 ---Wells.
3. Robert Shanahan.

Resources: Records of Mrs. Roy Barnett of Alhambra, Calif.

1723. ROY EDWARD BENJAMIN[8] (George[7], Daniel[6], Nathan[5-4-3], Richard[2-1]) born July 12, 1867 at Riverhead; Long Island, New York the son of George O. and Esther (Robinson) Benjamin. He married Minnie M. Reeve on Devember 26, 1888, the dau. of

Oliver T. Reeves. She m/2 --- Mostrand, but had no issue of the second marriage.

Children of George and Minnie (Reeves) Benjamin:
1400. Lewis Benjamin.
1401. Marie Benjamin b. 1882; m. Harold Robinson.
1402. Earl Benjamin.

Resources: Records of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

1725. SELDEN BENJAMIN[8] (Egbert[7], Selden[6], Phineas[5], Nathan[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born August 20, 1871 at Bayshore, Long Island, New York; the son of Egbert and Mary (Cheshire) Benjamin. He married Maude Harrizetta Rosemon, who was born August 12, 1871.

Children of Selden and Maude (Rosemon) Benjamin:
1403. Harrison Rosemon Benjamin b. July 2, 1894; m. Amelia ---; had no issue.
1404. Marion Claire Benjamin b. June 12, 1897; m. January 1, 1918 Harold Mackenzie Wyckoff.
1. Donald McKenzie Wyckoff b. April 11, 1921; m. Arlene Patrick on Jan. 18, 1941.
2. Malcomb Stuart Wyckoff b. Dec. 31, 1923; m. Dec. 19, 1943 Alberta Wittenborn.
3. Marion Faith Wyckoff b. Oct. 4, 1933; m. Oct. 4, 1958 LeRoy Payne.
1405. Constance Maude Benjamin b. June 29, 1899; m. Arthur Eugene Earp. She d. April 9, 1933.
1. Arthur Eugene Earp b. April 8, 1925.
2. Robert Earp b. May 27, 1928.

Resources: Records of Mrs. H. M. Wyckoff of Carmichael, California.

1726. EUGENE BENJAMIN[8] (Egbert[7], Selden[6], Phineas[5], Nathan[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born August 16, 1874 at Bayshore, Long Island, New York; the son of Egbert and Mary (Cheshire) Benjamin; died 1954 (gs) and is buried in the Oakwood Cemetery at Bayshore. He married June 21, 1899 in New York City to Elsie Meister of Baltimore. She was born 1879 and died 1901 (gs). and is buried with her husband. He m/2 Margaret Lorsbach b. 1881 and died 1964 (gs) and is buried with her husband, also.

Buried in the same cemetery plot with Eugene and his two wives are: Erna Benjamin b. 1899, d. 1928; Louise L. Benjamin b. 1849, d. 1914; Edmund L. Benjamin b. 1874, d. 1914; and Nan V. Benjamin b. 1894, d. 1964.

Children of Eugene and Elsie (Meister) Benjamin:
1405. Carlton Benjamin; m. and had 4 daus.

Children of Eugene and Margaret (Lorsbach) Benjamin:
1406. Eugene Benjamin b. 1908; had 2 daus.
1407. Stanley Benjamin b. 1910; unm.

1408. Gretchen Benjamin b. 1915; m. C. J. Van Bourgondien, Jr.

Resource: Information from Mrs. C. J. VanBourgondien of Bozman, Maryland.

1727. CLINTON BENJAMIN[8] (Egbert[7], Selden[6], Phineas[5], Nathan[4-3], Richard[2-1]) born July 20, 1876 at Bayshore, Long Island, New York; the son of Egbert and Mary (Cheshire) Benjamin. He married Jenny/Jemima Kent, and resided at Northport, L.I.

Children of Clinton and Jenny (Kent) Benjamin:
1409. William Benjamin; m. Marion --- b. 1914, d. 1975.
1410. Emily Benjamin.

Resources: Records of Mrs. VanBourgondien and Mrs. Wyckoff.

1735. WELLS DAVID BENJAMIN[8] (David[7], Samuel[6-5-4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born April 18, 1858 at Southampton, Long Island, New York; the son of David W. and Sarah (Hallock) Benjamin; died December 16, 1916 (gs) and is buried in the East Quogue Methodist Church Yard. He married Emily Jane Smith on October 13, 1878 at either Easthampton or Baiting Hollow. She was the dau. of John and Emily Jane (Carter) Smith and was born March 29, 1861 and died October 25, 1903, age 42-6-26 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

Children of Wells and Emily (Smith) Benjamin:
1411. Ada Frances Benjamin b.May 13, 1881; d. Juné 8, 1948; unm.
1412. Edward Wells Benjamin b. April 30, 1885; d. February 21, 1961 (gs) and buried at Riverhead Cem.; m. September 2, 1908 Margaret Annette Clifford.
1413. Mary/Marie Elizabeth Benjamin b. April 30, 1887 at E. Quogue, L.I.; m/1 Sept. 8, 1907 Herbert Griffing; m/2 October 17, 1919 Edward F. McCormack.
1414. Sally Hallock Benjamin b. January 28, 1893 at E. Quogue; buried in Oakwood Cemetery at E. Quogue; m. May 4, 1914 Wilfred Schuyler Walter; had no issue.
1415. Milton W. Benjamin b. January 15, 1899; d. October 24, 1942 (gs) buried in Oakwood Cem. at E. Quogue, L.I.; m. May S. --- b. Aug. 12, 1911, d. May 7, 1969. (gs).

Resource: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

1741. DAVID NEWMAN BENJAMIN[8] (Newman[7], David[6], Samuel[5-4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born February 2, 1851 at Washington, Warren Co., New Jersey; the son of Newman and Sarah (Doland) Benjamin; died January 18, 1930 (gs) at Pompton Lakes, New

Jersey and buried in the North Hardyston Cemetery in Sussex Co., N.J. He married Sarah Ann Dennis. She was born October 15, 1854 in Sussex Co., N.J. and d. July 25, 1917 (gs).

Children of David and Sarah (Dennis) Benjamin:

1416. John S. Benjamin b. July 25, 1880 at Beaver Run, N. J.; d. Feb. 3, 1946.

1417. Harry D. Benjamin b. February 14, 1884; d. July 11, 1936.

1418. Jackson N. Benjamin b. May 22, 1886; d. February 17, 1950.

1419. Roscoe D. Benjamin b. September 26, 1888; d. October 1929.

1420. Laverne A. Benjamin b. May 30, 1893; d. November 22, 1949.

1421. Frank Jones Benjamin b. December 17, 1890 at Beaver Run, New Jersey; d. December 2, 1921; m. Bridget Elizabeth Kelley on November 22, 1813 at Philadelphia, Penn. She was b. Jan. 7, 1885 in Ireland and d. August 30, 1920 at Philadelphia.

1. David Edward Benjamin b. June 3, 1914 at Philadelphia; m. 1935 Mary L. Mallory.

Resources: Records of David Benjamin of Cleveland, Ohio.

1742. ISAAC SHARP BENJAMIN[8] (Newman[7], David[6], Samuel[5-4], Nathan[3], Richard[2-1]) born in 1854 in Washington, Warren Co., New Jersey; the son of Newman and Sarah (Doland) Benjamin; died 1931. He married Jennie Shaw on December 7, 1882. She was born December 7, 1859 and died January 1945.

Children of Isaac and Jennie (Shaw) Benjamin:

1422. Robert Hiles Benjamin b. June 12, 1889; m. October 6, 1889 Lorna Francis Lumbert.

Resources: Records of Robert H. Benjamin, courtsey of David E. Benjamin of Cleveland, Ohio.

1771. MILFORD TUTHILL BENJAMIN[8] (VanRensellear[7], David[6], Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born August 17, 1847 at Aquebogue, Long Island, New York; the son of VanRensellaer and Mary (Wells) Benjamin; died July 7, 1918, age 70-9-18 (gs) at Riverhead, L.I. (vr). He m/1 Deborah J. Hallock on December 8, 1880, the dau. of Benjamin L. and Mary (Mayo) Hallock. She was born June 25, 1853 at West Mattituck and died October 4, 1886 at Jamesport, age 33 (gs). He m/2 Olive Arlena Tuthill on December 26, 1887 at Aquebogue, the dau. of Daniel and Caroline C. (Wells) Tuthill. She was born December 30, 1849 at Aquebougue and died December 16, 1922, age 72-11-15 at Riverhead (vr).

He was a farmer.

Children of Milford and Deborah(Hallock) Benjamin:

1423. Mary Ethel Benjamin; m. Edwin D. Fishel of Riverhead. Had dau. Betsey Fishel, m. --- Tuccio.
1424. Albert Halsey Benjamin; d. March 6, 1970 at the Islip, L.I. State Central Hospital; resided at Riverehad.

Resources: p. 239 Hallock Gen., Lucius Hallock, 1906; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, NY

1792. SIMEON TERRY BENJAMIN[8] (William[7-6], Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born January 2, 1840 at Elmira, Chemung Co., New York; the son of William F. and Elizabeth (Terry) Benjamin; died May 20, 1910, age 70 (gs) at Elmira and is buried in the Woodlawn Cemetery in Elmira. He married Anne Jane Carr on September 25, 1867 at Portsmouth, New Hampshire (vr), the dau. of James Merrill and Mary (Parker) Carr. She was born July 4, 1844/5 at Portsmouth, N.H. and died May 19, 1910, age 66 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He was a druggist at Brooklyn, N.Y.

Children of Simeon and Anne (Carr) Benjamin:
1425. Marion Carr Benjamin b. 1877; d. 1942 (gs) and burin Elmira, N.Y.; m. Samuel R. VanCampen.
1. Alden VanCampen.
2. Marion VanCampen.
3. Katrina VanCampen b. 1908; d. 1943.
4. Benjamin VanCampen.
1426. Walter Adams Benjamin b. 1878; d. 1931 (gs), age 52 and buried in the Elmira Cemetery; m. Ruth S. --- b. 1882, d. May 8, 1957, age 74-9-10 and buried at Easthampton, L.I.
1. Elizabeth Sterling Benjamin.
2. James A. Benjamin; d. age 12 yrs. in Lynn, Mass.

Resources: p. 164 Hallock Gen., Lucius H. Hallock, 1906; p. 1451 Hist. of John Adams 1632-1897, Andrew Adams, 1898; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, NY

1815. JOHN H. BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Moses[6], Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born in 1845; the son of John and Margaret (Esselstein) Benjamin; died February 12, 1873 at Mecosta Co., Michigan, by a falling tree. He married Hannah M.--- who m/2 Mr. --- Moultes.

He was a farmer. He enlisted in the Civil War September 3, 1864. His will is listed in the Surrogate's Office in Elmira, N.Y. (Chemung Co. packet #369 and 370), which gives the death date in Michigan and that he left assets of $321. in Erin, N.Y. He was listed in the 1870 census at Erin, Chemung Co., N.Y.

Children of John and Hannah (----) Benjamin:
1427. Emma J. Benjamin bc. 1865.

1428. Cora A. Benjamin bc. 1867.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

1816. MOSES SIMEON BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Moses[6], Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born about 1850/1 probably in Chemung Co., New York; the son of John and Margaret (Esselstein) Benjamin; was still alive in 1915. He married Amelia Argetsinger, who was born about 1854 and was still alive and living with her dau. Pearl in Elmira, N.Y. in 1925.

He lived at Erin Chemung Co., N.Y. in 1905 but was living in Van Etten Twp., Chemung Co., N.Y. both in 1892 and in 1915.

Children of Moses and Amelia (Argetsinger) Benjamin:

1429. Frank D./O. Benjamin bc. 1876; buried in an unmarked grave in Rumsey-Getman Cemetery at Van Etten, N.Y.; m. Lucy L. ---, who was born in 1874 and d. 1945 (gs).

1430. Pearl Benjamin bc. 1887; m. February 28, 1909 to Benjamin Jenkins in Chemung Co., N.Y., b. 1884.
   1. Louise M. Jenkins b. Nov. 12, 1912; m. 1931 Mr. Shirley Gray.
   2. Annabelle Jenkins b. 1914.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

1819. TRACY B. BENJAMIN[8] (John[7], Moses[6], Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born about 1863 probably in Chemung Co., New York; the son of John and Margaret (Esselstein) Benjamin; died in 1937 and is buried in Elmira, N.Y. He married Estella Getman, who was born about 1868.

He lived in 1892 at Van Etta, Chemung Co., N.Y. and in 1915 at Mt. Zora, Chemung Co., N.Y.

Children of Tracy and Estella (Getman) Benjamin:

1431. Manley Benjamin b. June 17, 1884; buried in the Berlin plot of Woodlawn Cemetery at Elmira, N.Y.; d. December 31, 1918 (gs); he m. Clara Spencer.
   1. Mabel Louise Benjamin.

1432. Mabel Benjamin bc. 1885; d. 1970; m. --- Coverly

1433. Dora Benjamin bc. 1887; d. 1950; unm.

1434. Clara Benjamin b. 1892; m. June 1, 1914 Claud L. Shaw b. 1898 in Chemung Co., N.Y.

1435. Elizabeth Benjamin bc.1899; m. --- Fuller.

1436. Bessie Benjamin bc. 1902; d. 1972; m. --- Mead.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

1820. THADDEUS NEWTON BENJAMIN[8] (Moses[7-6], Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born October 4, 1861 Riverhead, Long

Island, New York; the son of Moses F. and Helen (Aldrich) Benjamin; died November 23, 1923, age 62-0-18 (gs) at Riverhead and is buried in the Riverhead Cemetery. He married November 30, 1892 (Bible rec.) Cora E. Farrington. She was born July 16, 1863 and died February 26, 1950, age 86-7-10 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He was a pharmacist at Riverhead.

Children of Thaddus and Cora (Farrington) Benjamin:

1437. Everett Farrington Benjamin b. November 10, 1895, d. October 12, 1918 of pneumonia in Texas, buried in Riverhead Cemetery; Lt. in U.S. Army.

Resources: Family Bible Records; Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

1823. DR. FRANK EVERETT BENJAMIN, M.D.[8] (Moses[7-6], Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born May 11, 1868 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of Moses F. and Helen (Aldrich) Benjamin; died April 30, 1939, age 70-11-19 (gs) and is buried in the Riverhead Cemetery. He married Ruth Robinson Mallman, the dau. of Jacob E. and Ruth (Robinson) Mallman. She was born February 4, 1879 and died April 23, 1934, age 55-2-19 (gs) and is buried with her husband.

He was a physician at Riverhead and a Republican.

Children of Frank and Ruth (Mallman) Benjamin:

1438. Jeanette Benjamin b. 1899; d. 1970 (gs) and buried in the Riverhead Cemetery; m/1 --- Carlucci; m/2 --- Marks.

1439. Madeline Benjamin b. 1902; d. 1954 (gs) and buried at Riverhead Cemetery; m. Douglas Tuthill; no issue.

1440. Clinton DeWitt Benjamin b. 1905; m. Eleanor Sherman.
   1. F(rank) Everett Benjamin b. 1939.
   2. Barry DeWitt Benjamin b. 1943
   3. Wayne Douglas Benjamin b. 1945.

1441. Frank Everett Benjamin b. 1908; unm.

Resources: p. 559 Portrait and Biog. of Suffolk Co., N.Y. Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

1424. DR. MARK DEWITT BENJAMIN[8] (Moses[7-6], Richard[5], William[4-3], Simeon[2], Richard[1]) born September 27, 1872 at Riverhead, Long Island, New York; the son of Moses F. and Helen (Aldrich) Benjamin; died November 22, 1941 (gs) and is buried in the Riverhead Cemetery. He married Anne/Nan L. Patterson, who was born November 21, 1874 and died February 25, 1957, age 83-3-4 and is buried with her husband.

1442. Bradford DeWitt Benjamin b. October 1, 1905; d. October 24, 1964 (gs) and buried in the Riverhead Cemetery.

1443. Meredith Franklin Benjamin b. October 23, 1911; m. Barbara Joan Bloxham on April 12, 1946.
   1. Bradford Leigh Benjamin b. March 25, 1947.
   2. Lindsay Ann Benjamin b. Feb. 15, 1950.

Resources: Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

Chapter 18

OTHER EARLY BENJAMIN LINES NOT RELATED TO JOHN[1] OR RICHARD[1].

1. JOSEPH BENJAMIN born 1748 (or 1768 according to the Penn. SAR) in England; the son of a well-to-do English yeoman; died in 1830 in Cecil Co., Maryland. He married Elizabeth Grace Winchester about 1779.

He emigrated in 1774 and in 1775 was in West Virginia. He is listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Hartford Co., Maryland with: 2-3-3. When the Revolutionary War broke out, he enlisted and was placed on the pension rolls of Cecil Co. Maryland in 1818 for his service as a trumpter in the Virginia Light Horse Line.

Children of Joseph and Elizabeth (Winchester) Benjamin:

2. George Washington Benjamin b. April 1780 or 1782 in Cecil Co., Maryland; d. 1865; m. Sarah Taylor, who was b. 1781, d. 1874.
    5. Joseph Benjamin b. 1812; d. 1895; m. Mary Ann Johnson in 1838. She was b. 1821, d. 1893.
        10. Indiana Benjamin b. 1847; m. 1869 Amos J. Kelly b. 1848.
    6. Isaac Benjamin.
    7. George Washington Benjamin Jr. b. 1818; d. 1892; m. Frances Krider in 1842. She was b. 1814 and d. 1900.
        11. Albert Jefferson Benjamin b. 1843; d. 1906; m. 1868 Olive Naisby b. 1848.
        12. Martin Oscar Benjamin b. 1853; d. 1928; m. 1881 Frances Louisa Faust. Had a son: Oscar Faust Benjamin b. 1884; m. Virginia Miles Bouse.
3. Isaac Benjamin; d. in 1855; moved to Talbot Co. and became Sheriff and was a soldier in the War of 1812. Six of his seven sons held commissions in the U.S. Army and were killed in battle, 2 in the Mexican War and the others in the Civil War. He m. Rebecca Alexander in 1818, the dau. of Abraham Alexander, who d. in 1849.
    8. Justus Benjamin b. 1820 in Maryland; d. 1849; m. Anna Elizabeth Dobson, b. 1821.
        13. Dowling Benjamin b. 1849 in Baltimore, Md m. Sarah Cooper White in 1878; resided in Camden, N.J.
        14. William T. Benjamin, killed in the Battle of Five Forks.
        15. Mary A. Benjamin; m. George Wainwright.

16. Sarah C. Benjamin; m. George H. Harriss.

9. Isaac Nelson Benjamin b. 1782; d. 1905; m. Adaline Kufer in 1851. She was b. in 1834.

4. William Benjamin.

Resources: The Benjamin Family of Maryland, Brown; Vol. 85 p. 155, Vol. 87 p. 290, Vol. 111 p. 132, Vol. 89 p. 80, Vol. 33 p. 190 DAR Lineage Books.

1. WILLIAM BENJAMIN came with his wife (name unknown) and five children from Cardiff, Wales in 1804. He landed at Perth Amboy, New Jersey and settled at Dover, New Jersey. Later a portion of the family moved to Brooklyn, New York.

2. Lydia Benjamin b. February 11, 1795; d. Oct. 19, 1863; m. May 13, 1820 John Wilson and had 9 children.

3. Mary Benjamin.

4. Thomas Benjamin.

5. Richard Benjamin; m. Matilda Hardy.

10. Mary Ann Benjamin; m. Mr. Sloan and had 3 children: John, Thomas, and Charles.

11. Lydia Benjamin.

12. Matilda Benjamin.

6. William Benjamin b. 1798 or 1800 in Wales; d. April 29, 1853 at Homestead Plantation, Carroll Parrish, Louisanna; m. Rachel Graham (the Widow Hood), who was b. July 23, 1806, d. August 6, 1851. He acquired a large plantation of over 1000 acres and a number of slaves in that rich section of the Mississippi Delta about 8 miles belove Lake Providence, in Ward 2 of the Parish of East Carroll. He sent sons to Brooklyn, N.Y. for their schooling, and all three graduated from Columbia College.

13. Mary Eleanor Benjamin b. April 17, 1835; d. April 6, 1834.

14. William Washington Benjamin b. Nov. 17, 1835; d. March 6, 1836.

15. Thomas Jefferson Benjamin b. Feb. 2, 1837; d. Oct. 1, 1867 of fever; m. Georgia Watson, had one son who d. in infancy, in Missouri.

16. Richard Graham Benjamin b. Aug. 23, 1839; d. Feb. 28, 1864; killed by guerillas near Lloyd, La.

17. William Harbert Benjamin b. Sept. 30, 1841; d. Oct. 5, 1905 of yellow fever; m. Sept. 20, 1871 Cecelia Caroline Breithaupt, who d. Oct. 30, 1900.

18. Caroline A. Benjamin b. June 25, 1872; m. William S. Slack; had 3 children.

19. William Breithaupt Benjamin b. Jan. 24, 1874; m. Elizabeth McCulock. Had 3 children, all girls.

20. Harbert Wilson Benjamin b. Feb. 2, 1878;

m. Abbie Cleveland, had 2 girls.

21. Arthur Graham Benjamin b. 1881; d. 1881.
22. Percy Ozier Benjamin b. Sept. 24, 1882; m. Sadie Guthrie.
23. Rachel Louise Benjamin b. Feb. 4, 1885; m. Leonard Barber Watt; had 4 children.

7. Infant; d. Jan. 7, 1844.
8. Mary Elizabeth Benjamin b. Dec. 9, 1844; d. Sept. 15, 1849.
9. Infant; d. July 5, 1848.

Resource: p. 238 Slack Family, Rev. W. S. Slack, 1930.

Chapter 19

UNPLACED BENJAMINS

(Only thoses born before 1800 are included.)
(Arranged alphabetically and chronologically).

--- BENJAMIN, early settler of Ketchum Corners (a settlement commenced in 1750), Saratoga Co., N.Y.**p. 390 Hist. of Saratoga Co., N.Y.

--- BENJAMIN born about 1714; d. Jan. 1809, age 95 yrs. at Tinmouth Vermont.**Cong. Church records.

--- BENJAMIN of Baskingridge, N.J. (Somerset Co.); m. Sarah Young, b. August 2, 1782 at Brookhaven, L.I., the dau. of James and Ruth (Halsey) Young.**p. 137 Young Gen., Selah Young, 1907.

--- BENJAMIN m. Dorothy ---, bc. 1800; listed as a widow in the 1850 census of Starkey Twp., Yates Co., N.Y. Children were: Emerancey (male), age 19 bc. 1831; Julia age 14; Mary age 10. Apparently resided with David Smith age. 44 (bc 1806) and Nancy Smith age 43.**Census records.

--- BENJAMIN; m. 1845/1851 Sarah Rutan, who was b. Sept. 22, 1803 at Champaign Co., Ohio. She had m/1 Andrew Stewart in 1825. Had children: Catherine Steward m. --- Mosier; Elizabeth Benjamin and Andrew Benjamin.**Records of Mrs. Kelly Wheaton of Napa, Calif.

MISS BENJAMIN 1790 Federal Census; Boston, Suffolk Co., Mass:0-0-2

MRS. BENJAMIN 1790 Federal Census Boston, Mass.: 0-0-1.

MRS. BENJAMIN; died Feb. 23, 1818 at Weston, Middlesex Co., Mass.vr

ABBIE BENJAMIN from 1860 census at Flanders, Southampton, L.I., NY; female, age 68 (bc. 1791) with Benjamin Benjamin, age 27 (b. 1832), farm laborer. **Census records.

ABRAHAM BENJAMIN (of Conn.) and Katherine Willis (of New Jersey); had dau. Eliza b. 1807 at Patterson, N.J., d. Feb. 28, 1886 in town of Naples, Ontario, N.Y.**Town record.

ABRAHAM BENJAMIN 1840 census Windham Twp., Bradford Co., Penn.: 1 m. b. 1790-00; 1 m. b. 1820-25; 1 m. 1825-20// 1 f. 1790-180 1 f. b. 1810-20

ALEXANDER BENJAMIN b. before 1765. 1810 census Upper Providence Twp., Montgomery Co., Penn. p. 214. He 45+ and 1 f. age 26-45. Alexander Benjamin took oath of allegience to the state of Penn., Nov. 17, 1777 in Lancaster Co.**Vol. 3 Nov. 1966 Penn. Traveler.
Drum Major Alex Benjamin was present for roll call on Dec. 25, 1781, a member of the 2nd Batt. of Lancaster Co. Militia. He was an instructor Apr. 1777 to Apr. 1780.**Penn. Archives Vo.7

ALLEN BENJAMIN bc. 1735-38 in Wallkill Twp., Orange Co., N.Y.; wife unknown; but had about 10 children. Issue that is known: James, who went to Wayne, Mich. about 1840; Mathew, who had a

dau. Martha Benjamin who m. --- Monroe and resided at Bridgewater, Mich.; Samuel Benjamin b. in Orange Co., N.Y.; d. March 29, 1856 at Deposit, Delaware Co., N.Y. Allen was an Indian Scout and served under Daniel Morgan for 7 years, but never enlisted in the Army. He also served under General Sullivan, in the Battle of Newton, outside Elmira, N.Y.**Records of Charles Benjamin of Elmira, N.Y.

ALVIN BENJAMIN 1800 census Barre, Orleans Co., N.Y. p. 22 0-0-0-0-3//0-0-0-0-1.

ANDREW BENJAMIN 1820 census Pleasant Twp., Clark Co., Ohio. 2 m. 0-10; 1 m. 10-15; 1 m. 25-45 (bc. 1775-95)// 2 f. 0-10; 1 f. 10-15; 1 f. 26-45.

ANNA BENJAMIN (poss. a widow); m. Oct. 19, 1729 in Plainfield, Conn (vr 2-14) Ebenezer Harris b. July 6, 1705, d. 1779.**p. 143 Vol. 32 Dau. of Pat. and Founders of America.

ANNE BENJAMIN (widow); d. 1809 in Long Island, N.Y. **Salmon Record

ANNE BENJAMIN bp. March 23, 1777 at East Hartford Conn. (cr 1-43).

AUGUSTUS BENJAMIN; had dau. Martha B. Benjamin b. 1820; d. Sept. 4, 1839, age 18-6-0 (gs) and buried in the Corliss Cemetery, Newark, Caledonia Co., Vermont. (vr).

AUSTIN BENJAMIN; d. 1834-6; m. Elizabeth ---; resided at Pittstown, Rensselaer Co., N.Y. Will is on file in that county (#1032). Issue: Oliver; Harman; Nancy m. --- Crandall; Jemima m. --- Slason; Rachel; Charity m. --- Ryan; Almira m. --- Niles; Emily m. --- Austin; dau. m. --- Osborn.**Probate Records.

BAILEY BENJAMIN Capt. of Matross Co., 20th Regt. of Militia, to take rank from April 28, 1803.**p. 204 Public Rec. of State of Conn. Vol. XI.

BARRETT BENJAMIN 1810 census Derby, Orleans Co., Vermont. 1-1-1-0-1//1-0-1-1-0.

BARTHOLOMEW BENJAMIN a member of the 14th Penn. Regt., Commanded by Col. Anthony Wayne.**Penn. Archives, Vol. 2.

BENJAMIN BENJAMIN Had son Elijah bp. June 9, 1745 at Wilton, Fairfield Co., Conn. (Cong. cr 2-23).

BENJAMIN BENJAMIN Pvt., Conn., died March 30, 1778.**p. 23 Known Military Dead during the Rev. War., Clarence Peterson, 1959. Benjamin Benjamin enlisted Sept. 15, 1777 in Fitche's Co. for three years.**p. 185 Conn. Military Records, 1889.

BENJAMIN BENJAMIN; m. Dec. 1804 Betsey Dix at Hebron, Conn. (cr1-91)

BENJAMIN BENJAMIN On Grantee Index of Schoharie Co., N.Y. for Nov. 28, 1808 (#C-60) land sold by John Lansing Jr. Benjamin listed as a farmer in town of Blenheim. **Land Records.

BEN BENJAMIN of Hebron, Conn.; m. Dec. 10, 1837 Harriet Watson of Columbia, Hebron, Conn. (cr 1-289 and Hebron vr 4-34M).

BENJON BENJAMIN Cornet, New York State Milita, N.Y. Co., 1818.

BETSEY BENJAMIN; m. Jesse Andrews. They had 14 children. Issue: Richard Andrews b. Oct. 13, 1813 at Stillwater, Saratoga Co., N.Y., m. Amy Ann Brooks b. March 12, 1814 on Nov. 1, 1834 at Peru, Huron Co., Ohio. They moved to Nobel Co., Indiana in 1845-9. Jesse Andrew also had: Elsie; Nancy; and Herman. ** Records of Mrs. H.G. Burgess of Pratt, Kansas.

BETSEY BENJAMIN; m. --- Kelly. They were listed in the 1810-20 census of Tioga Co., N.Y. Had son John Kelly b. 1765 in N.Y. m/1 Hannah ---, who d. before 1820. Issue: Ezra; David; Jesse; George; Anna; Julia; Lanor; Fanny; and Eliza. He m/2 c. 1821 Martha Jones Wade, dau. of Elijah and Hannah (Raymond) Jones. Issue: Hannah; Susan; and Sally. John bought a tract of land in Chemung Co., N.Y. about 1800.**Records of Mrs. Verne Simons of Huston, Texas.

BUEL-BEUEL BENJAMIN See REUEL of this section.

BOND BENJAMIN 1790 census Fawn Twp., York Co., Penn. (Another records says Hillan Twp., York Co., Penn.) 1-0-6.

CALEB BENJAMIN Capt., Asst. Deputy Quarter Master General on May 28, 1814. Hon.Discharged June 15, 1815**Conn. Militia.

CALVIN BENJAMIN 1790 census Walkill, Ulster Co., N.Y. 1-3-4.

CATHERINE BENJAMIN; m. April 7, 1806 William Duff of St. James P.E. Church at Perkiomen, Penn.**p. 3 Rec. of Penn. Marriages prior to 1810, Vol. 2, 1968.

CATY BENJAMIN witnessed will of David Brooks of New York, dated June 27, 1794, had son Henry Sands Brooks. **Vol. 38 p. 323 Hist. Soc. Collection of N.Y.

CHARLES BENJAMIN Drummer in Capt. Chadwick's Co., Col. Grisley's Artillery Regt.; enlisted June 26, 1775, age 19 (bc 1756) at Charlestown, Mass. He was a tailor. Also listed as "of Boston".

CHARLES BENJAMIN b. 1768; d. Dec. 27, 1818, age 50 at Salem, Mass. (vr); m. Sally (Sarah) Swasey on Sept. 10, 1799 at Salem, Mass. (vr). She b. 1769, d. 1801, age 65 at Salem, Mass. (vr). Issue: Child b. & d. 1801 at Nocker's Hole, Mass. (cr St. Peter's Episcopal Church of Salem); Charles W. b. May 16, 1805 at Salem (also Danvers, Mass. vr), m. Hannah Cree at Danvers, Mass.; Elizabeth Benjamin b. Nov. 30, 1809 at Salem, m. 1834 John Tore/Torr at Salem; Phoebe Benjamin. **Vital Records.

CHARLES BENJAMIN 1830 census Monroe, Orange Co., N.Y. 2 m. 0-5; 1 m. 5-10; 1 m. 10-15; 1 m. 30-40 (bc 1790-1800)// 1 f. 0-5; 1 f. 20-30. (Note: Daniel Benjamin lived very close.)

CHARLES BENJAMIN 1850 census Verona, Oneida Co., N.Y. p. 34 He was 51 yrs. (bc. 1799) in Mass., a laborer; Sally age 50 b. Conn.; --- (perhaps Lane) age 80 b. Conn. (perhaps her father?)

CHRISTIANA BENJAMIN widow, 1810 census Swinesboro Twp., Northumber land Co., Penn. 1 f. over 45 (bc. before 1765); 2 f. 16-26; 2 f. 10-16.

CHRISTOPHER BENJAMIN 1800 census Barre, Orleans Co., N.Y. p. 18. 2-0-0-2-1//0-0-0-0-1.

CHRISTOPHER BENJAMIN 1830 census Rochester, Monroe Co., N.Y.; listed as a clerk in the 1830 and 1834 city direcotry of Rochester, N.Y. 1 m. b. 1820-25; 1 m. b. 1825-30; 1 m. b. 1790-1800// 1 f. b. 1820-25; 1 f. b. 1800-1810.

CHRISTOPHER BENJAMIN; m. Nancy A. Beanjean of Oceola on Sept. 26, 1839 at Mont Lake, Michigan. Had sons: Nelson S. and Henry D. Will is on file at Orleans Co., N.Y. (Book 3 p. 89) dated Dec. 19, 1848 at probated Sept. 17, 1849 with Henry D. as executor.

CLARA MARILLA BENJAMIN b. Sept. 8, 1791; d. May 19, 1851 at Castile, Wyoming Co., N.Y.; m. 1812 Elias Ensign. They resided at Hampden, Delaware Co., N.Y. Issue: Mary Ann; Charles; Clara Marialla; Charles; Elias Benjamin; Amos Merchant; Ezekiel Dickinson; Silas Benjamin; and George Washington Ensign. **Record of Philip Davis of Vestal, N.Y.

COLT BENJAMIN Pvt. from Mass., d. 1781. **p. 23 Known Military Dead During Rev. War 1775-1783, Clarence Peterson, 1958.

CORNELIUS BENJAMIN 1820 census Mansfield, Warren Co., New Jersey. 1 m. 15-20// 1 f. 40-50.
1840 census Mansfield, Warren Co., N.J.
1 m. 15-20; 1 m. 40-50// 1 f. 5-10; 1 f. 10-15; 1 f. 15-20; 1 f. 30-40. (Note: Daniel, age 70-80, resided near.)

CYRUS BENJAMIN b. July 11, 1800 in Long Island, N.Y.; m. Sarah --- before 1825. She b. Sept. 25, 1807, d. July 24, 1832, age 25. He may have m/2. Issue: Sarah Ann b. July 1, 1825, m. John Landon Craft in 1841 **Record of Mrs. Don Turner of Tulsa, Ok

DANIEL BENJAMIN had bought (along with John Wells) 15 acres of "drowned meadow" bounding to the east and west line of the boundries of Orange and Ulster Counties, prior to May 1, 1740. Deeds or Mortgages 7.7 Liber B. p. 261 Suffolk Co., N.Y. Clerks Office. **Quoted in notebook of James C. Coleman, 1908.

DANIEL BENJAMIN farmer, born Conn. c. 1752; enlisted July 5, 1775 with Orange Co. Troops. **N.Y. Hist. Document Vol. 15 p. 166.

DANIEL BENJAMIN 1830 census Marshfield, Warren Co., New Jersey. 1 m. 17-80 (bc. 1750-60); 1 m. 5-10// 1 f. 20-30.

DANIEL BENJAMIN b. 1759; d. Dec. 1854, age 95; resided in Washington, Warren Co., N.J. **p. 96 Vol. 8 N.Y. Register.

DANIEL BENJAMIN b. 1759; d. Nov. 24, 1853. Was a private in the Rev. War; enlisted in 1775 at Warwick, Orange Co., N.Y. Served under Capt. John Wisner in Regt. commanded by Col. Nicolles for 4 mos.; for 5 mos. under Capt. Wm. Blair in same regt. of N.Y. Line; was allowed a pension on his application while a resident of Vernon Twp., Sussex Co., N.J., which was executed April 16, 1818. He referred to his wife Amey, age 57/8 and children: William, age 13 (b. 1805) and Amy, age 10. **Pension record.

DANIEL BENJAMIN 1840 census of Blooming Grove, Orange Co, N.Y. 1 m. b. 1780-90// 1 f. b. 1780-90; 1 f. b. 1835-40; 1 f. b. 1810-20. (Note: He lived near Horance and Richard.)
1820 census of Blooming Grove, N.Y.
1-1-0-0-1-0//3-0-0-1-0. 1 engaged in agric.
1830 census Blooming Grove, Orange Co., N.Y. (For Daniel S./L.
1 m. 40-50; 1 m. 5-10// 1 f. 40-50; 1 f. 10-15.

DANIEL BENJAMIN a pioneer settler of Middlefield, Otsego Co., New York; settled prior to the Rev. War. (about 1755). ** p. 13 Hist.. of Otsego Co., N.Y. 1740-1878, Hurd.

DANIEL BENJAMIN 1810 census Bloomfield Twp., Livington Co., N.Y. 1 m. 0-10; 1 m. 16-26 (bc. 1784-94)// 1 f. 0-10; 1 f. 16-26. (Note: David and Jonathan Benjamin living in same area.)

DANIEL BENJAMIN d. 1807 at East Hartford, Conn. (vr 1-65) **Barbour

DANIEL BENJAMIN 1800 census Chatham Twp., Columbia Co., N.Y.
1-2-0-1-0//2-2-0-1-0.
1-1-1-1-0//2-1-0-1-0.
DANIEL BENJAMIN 1800 census Canaan Twp., Columbia Co., N.Y.
1-1-1-2-0//2-1-0-1-0.
DANIEL V. BENJAMIN; m. Aug. 9, 1818 Eleanor Talbot (Muskingum Co., Ohio vr.
DAVID BENJAMIN bc. 1754; a farmer, enlisted age 23 in 1777 under Capt. Daniel Denton, New York Militia.
DAVID BENJAMIN 1800 census Warwick, Orange Co., N.Y.
1 m. 26-45// 1 f. 26-45; 1 f. 0-10.
DAVID BENJAMIN JR. 1830 and 1840 census Vernon, Sussex Co., N.J.
1 m. b. 1790-1800; 1 m. b. 1815-20; 1 m. b. 1830-35; 1 m. b. 1835-40// 1 f. 1790-00; 2 f. 1820-25; 3 f. 1825-30; 2 f. 1830-35; 1 f. 1835-40.
DAVID BENJAMIN 1830 census Green Co., Ohio.
2 m. 0-5; 1 m. 5-10; 2 m. 10-15; 1 m. 40-50 (bc 1780-90)// 1 f. 5-10; 1 f. 10-15; 1 f. 30-40.
1840 census Linton Twp., Coshocton Co., Ohio.
2 m. 10-15; 1 m. 50-60// 1 f. 10-15; 1 f. 50-60. (Note: James Joseph, and Daniel Benjamin were in the same area.)
DAVID BENJAMIN 1810 census Bloomfield Twp., Livingston Co., N.Y. (then Ontario Co.) 4 m. 0-10; 1 m. 10-16; 1 m. 26-45 (bc. 1765-84)// 1 f. 0-10; 1 f. 26-45. (See Daniel and Jonathan.)
DAVY BENJAMIN bc. 1765/6; d. Jan. 25, 1859, age 93 at Hartford, Conn. **Hale's Collection of Conn. Vital Records.
DEBORAH BENJAMIN; m. Feb. 6, 1808 William McDowell Sussex Co., N.J. vr.
DEBORAH BENJAMIN age 72 (bc 1773) resided with Abraham Peter, age 49 b. Va. and Edith Peter, age 49 b. N.J. 1850 Wood Co, Ohio Census, Henry Twp. Deborah b. N.J.

EBENEZER BENJAMIN 1800 census Stephentown, Rensalaer Co., N.Y.
0-2-0-0-1//2-0-1-0-1 (between James Hempstead & Thom. Wilbor.)
EBENEZER BENJAMIN; m. Hannah Adsit b. 1782, the dau. of Ebenezer and Betsey (Alger) Adsit. Ebenezer Adsit resided at Lyme, Conn. about 1775, then moved to Canada, Columbia Co., N.Y., and later to Westbrook, Ontatio, Canada. **p. 7 Desc. of Joh Adsit of Lyme, Conn., Newman Ward Adsit.
EDWARD BENJAMIN bc. 1775; dc. August 1840, age 65. **Hale's Collection of Conn., Newspaper Obits.
ELEANOR BENJAMIN named in the will of her father, Robert Preble of Denton, Mass. His will dated March 2, 1634 and proved July 7, 1635. ** p. 118 Vol. 50 N.Y. Gen. and Hist. Register.
ELERY BENJAMIN b. 1784-5. 1850 census Shoreham, Addison Co., Vt. He was b. N.Y. and was a ship's carptenter, apparently living alone.
ELI BENJAMIN of Windham, Conn.; m. March 24, 1830 Hannah Leason/ Gleason of Lebanon, Conn. Lebanon vr 1-463.
ELIAS BENJAMIN 1810 census Fletcher, Franklin Co., Vermont.
2-0-0-1-0//1-0-0-1-0 (He bc. 1765-84).
ELIAS BENJAMIN bc. 1775, d. May 1813, age 38 in Conn. **Hale's Col

lection of Conn. Newspaper Obits.

ELIJAH BENJAMIN, son of Benjamin Benjamin, bp. June 9, 1745 at Wilton, Fairfield Co., Conn. **Cong. cr (Van Hooser Copy) and Conn. cr 2-23.

ELISHA BENJAMIN 1840 census Dover Twp., Athens Co., Ohio. p. 403. 2 m. 20-30//1 f. 0-5; 1 f. 10-15; 1 f. 20-30.

ELIZABETH BENJAMIN 1790 census Montgomery Ward, New York City, NY 0-0-1.

MRS. ELIZABETH BENJAMIN 1790 census Medford, Middlesex Co., Mass. 0-0-3.

ELIZABETH BENJAMIN; m. Sept. 25, 1794 Flavel Case at Cutchogue, L.I N.Y. **Am. Gen.

ELIZABETH BENJAMIN, dau. of Sherman Benjamin; m. David Hawley Wheeler, b. Nov. 10, 1789, son of Franklin Wheeler **p. 418 Wheeler Gen.

ELIZABETH BENJAMIN and dau. Susanna were warned near the time of their arrival, not to make the town libel for their support on Jan. 10, 1792. **p. 27 Person's Warned out of Danvers, Mass. Hist. Col. of Danvers Hist. Soc. Vol. 3, 1915.

MRS. ELIZABETH BENJAMIN; m. Stephen Larrabbee Jan. 22, 1810 at Danvers, Mass. vr.

ELIZABETH BENJAMIN 1840 census Salisbury, Herkimer Co., N.Y. (bc 1789-90, prob. a widow) 1 m. 15-20; 1 m. 20-30// 1 f. 10-15; 1 f. 20-30; 1 f. 30-40; 1 f. 50-60.

ELIZABETH BENJAMIN; m. Oct. 21, 1802 John Houton Sussex Co., N.Y. vr.

ELLEN BENJAMIN, dau. of Simeon Benjamin; d. Oct. 6, 1828, age 4 yrs **Records of Presby. churchof Newtown, now Elmhurst, L.I.,NY p. 58 Gen. of Desc. of 1st Settlers of Schenectady, Pearson.

ELSEY BENJAMIN bc. 1779 in Conn. (age 71) in 1850 census of Sangerfield, N.Y.; resided with Tom or Don P. Sheldon, farmer, age 29 b. N.Y. and Mary A. Sheldon age 26.

ESTHER BENJAMIN bc. 1725; d. August 4, 1768, age 23, at Griswold, Conn. Cemetery, lot #2-47 **Hale's Conn. Cemetery Collection.

ESTHER BENJAMIN; m. Nov. 18, 1735 at Salem, Mass to Stephen Baker. They resided at Swansea and Gloucester, R.I.**Hartford Times March 6, 1948.

FANNY BENJAMIN, dau.of Lois Benjamin, bp. Oct. 19, 1783 at East Hartford, Conn. cr 5-54. **Hale's Col. of Conn. Church records

MRS. FLORA BENJAMIN bc. 1771/2, d. Nov. 6, 1858, age 86, in Conn. **Hale's Coll. of Conn. Newspaper Obits.

FREDERICK BENJAMIN of Dorchester, Mass. Receipt for bounty paid him by Ebenezer Davenport of Class #9 of the town of Dorchester, to serve in the Continental Army for a term of 3 years, dated Boston April 13, 1782, enlisted April 13, 1782. **p. 940 Sailors and Soldiers of Mass. in Rev. War.

FREDERICK BENJAMIN 1830 census Westhersfield Twp., Trumbull Co.,O. (bc. 1790-1800) 1 m. 5-10; 1 m. 30-40// 1 f. 30-40; 2 f. 10-15
1840 census Green Twp., Brown Co., Ohio.
1 m. 0-5; 1 m. 5-10; 1 m. 40-50// 3 f. 10-15; 1 f. 15-20; 1 f. 20-30.

GEORGE BENJAMIN 1830 census Scott Twp., Brown Co., Ohio. (bc 1790-1800) 2 m. 0-5; 1 m. 5-10; 3 m. 10-15; 1 m. 30-40// 1 f. 10-15; 1 f. 30-40. (Listed in the 1840 census for Scott Twp., Brown Co., Ohio were: H.H.; George b. 1810-20; and James b. 1810-20, which may be possible sons.)

GEORGE R. BENJAMIN; came from Oneida Co., N.Y. about 1818 to Amity, Allegany Co., N.Y.; wife unknown. Issue: Lee Benjamin b. May 10, 1824, m. Loranda Baker of Andover, N.Y. and had 4 children which included George R. Benjamin b. Feb. 7, 1846 at Andover, N.Y. **Records of Ira Bishop of Ill.

HANNAH BENJAMIN; m. Jan. 20, 1742 at Boston, Mass. to Edward Drinker. **p. 243 Report of Record Commission, Boston, 1898.

HANNAH BENJAMIN 1810 census Riverhead, Long Island, N.Y. (bc 1765-84) 0-2-0-0-0//1-1-0-1-0.

MRS. HANNAH BENJAMIN 1790 census Minisink, Orange Co, N.Y. 1-2-5.

HANNAH BENJAMIN; m. June 20, 1801 John Collins. *Sussex Co., N.J.vr

HANNAH BENJAMIN b. April 9, 1795; d. April 2, 1858, buried at Middletown, Conn. Cemetery, lot #30245. **Hale's Col. of Conn. Cemetery Records.

HARRIET E. BENJAMIN; m. 1814 James D. Wasson, who d. May 11, 1866, age 75 (bc. 1791). They had 6 children. Harriet d. 1839. **Hist. of Albany, N.Y., Vol. 2, 1870.

HARRIET BENJAMIN of Poughkeepsie, N.Y.; m. Feb. 5, 1817 Luther Hartwell of Cooperstown, N.Y. **N.Y. Mar. and Deaths of Dutchess Co., N.Y., Reynolds, 1930.

HARVEY BENJAMIN 1840 census Madison Twp., Lake Co., Ohio. (bc 1780-90) 1 m. 5-10; 1 m. 10-15; 1 m. 15-20; 1 m. 50-60// 1 f. 10-15; 1f. 20-30; 1 f. 50-60. (Note: Levi Benjamin lived in same area.)

HENRY BENJAMIN Pvt., from Groton, Conn., under Stephen Billings, August 14, 1812 in War of 1812 in the Conn. Militia.

HENRY BENJAMIN 1830 census Blooming Grove, Orange Co., N.Y. (bc 1790-1800) 1 m. 0-5; 1 m. 5-10; 1 m. 20-30; 1 m. 30-40// 2 f. 5-10; 1 f. 10-15; 1 f. 15-20; 1 f. 20-30; 1 f. 40-50.
1820 census Blooming Grove, Orange Co., N.Y.
0-0-0-0-1-0//3-1-0-1-0.

HEPZIBAH BENJAMIN; m. Nov. 20, 1786 John Handley. They were both "of Concord, Mass." at time of m. **Concord, Mass. vr.

HESTER BENJAMIN 1830 census Vernon, Sussex Co., N.Y. (bc 1790-1800 2 m. 5-10;// 1 f. 0-5; 1 f. 5-10; 1 f. 30-40.

HULDAH BENJAMIN; m. March 6, 1802 Joseph Holly at Goshen, Orange Co., N.Y. **First Presby. cr of Goshen, N.Y.

ISAAC BENJAMIN 1820 census Sycamore Twp., Hamilton Co., Ohio (bc 1775-95) 2 m. 0-10; 1 m. 24-45// 1 f. 26-45.

ISAAC BENJAMIN 1820 census Orwell, Bradford Co., Penn. (bc 1780-90 2-1-0-0-1//2-1-0-0-1.
1840 census Orwell, Bradford Co., Penn.
0-0-2-0-0-0-1// 1 f. 50-60.

ISRALIAH BENJAMIN b. March 8, 1758 (or 1856??) at West Greenwich, or Exeter, R.I.

J. or JEA. (?) BENJAMIN 1810 Lansingburg, Rensalaer Co., N.Y, censu J.--3-0-0-1-0//2-1-0-1-0.
1820 census Lansingburg, N.Y.
Jea. or Sea.--5-2-1-1-0-1//1-1-1-0-0. 1 in agric.

JACOB BENJAMIN; m. Jan. 17, 1768 Jane Fluck at German Reform Church of Philadelphia, Penn. **p. 655 Rec. of Penn. Marriages Prior to 1810, 1968.

JACOB BENJAMIN Inventory made by Jacob Benjamin and Charles Axford Jr. on April 20, 1782 for James Hill of Trenton, Huterdon Co., N.J. Jacob Benjamin, of city of Trenton, Huterdon Co., with wife Mary, gave real and personal estate after he death to such children or child that he may have then. Witness to his will: Samuel Paxson, William J. Leslie, and John Anderson. Dated August 28, 1805, proved Jan. 24, 1807. Inventoried Sept. 30, 1806. Value: $976.45.

JACOB H. BENJAMIN 1820 census Oxford Twp., Huron Co., Ohio (bc. 1790-1800) 1 m. 26-44//2 f. 0-10; 1 f. 26-44.
1830 census Green Creek Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio.
1 m. 0-5; 1 m. 30-40// 1 f. 0-5; 2 f. 15-20; 1 f. 30-40.

JACOB BENJAMIN 1800 census Warwick, Orange Co., N.Y. (bc 1755-74) 2-1-0-1-0//0-0-0-1-0.

JACOB BENJAMIN 1840 census Cen...Twp., Hamilton Co., Ohio.
p. 46. 1 m. 40-50 bc. 1790-1800)// 1 f. 30-40.
p. 107 1 m. 5-10; 1 m. 30-40// 1 f. 20-30; 1 f. 30-40; 1 f. 50-60. (Note: 2 Jacobs living in same township at same time.)

JAMES BENJAMIN b. 1727; d. 1777; resided Long Island, N.Y.

JAMES BENJAMIN b. 1753 at Southold, L.I., N.Y.; buried in a private cemetery in the woods at Flanders, L.I. d. either 1808/9 or 1819. He m. Feb. 18, 1773 at Mattituck, L.I. to Mary Phillips the dau. of William and Mary (---) Phillips. She was b. 1755-65. He was listed in the 1790 Federal Census at Southampton, L.I. with 1-3-3 and was also listed there in the 1800, 1810, and 1820 census. He signed the Association Test at Brookhaven in 1775 and served in the Suffolk Co. Militia in the First Reg under Col. Josiah Smith of Suffolk Co. Minutemen. He also served in Col. Chester's Conn. Regt. On March 6, 1777 he removed to Conn. and resided at Guilford. On May 21, 1782 Josiah Goodale Jr. sold lands near the head of the Peconic River at Flanders, 15 miles inland from Aquebogue to James. Issue: James b. 1772 at Southampton, L.I.; Julia bc. 1775; Mary (Polly) b. March 11, 1776, m. 1797 Joshua Tuthill, son of John and Sarah (---) Tuthill; William Phillip b. 1780; Zachariah b. 1783; Sylvester b. 1797; and Anna b. March 1801; prob.m. Walter Havens. **Vol. 145 p.222 DAR Lineage Book; Hist of Fanning Fam. of Am., Brooks, 1905; Parish Records of Mattituck and Aquebogue 1751-1809, Craven; Records of Southampton L.I., N.Y., Vol. 2 p. 289; Tuttle-Tuthill Lines in Am., Tuttle 1968; p. 169 N.Y. in the Rev. as a State and Colony, Roberts, 1898; Records of Mabel Lipetz of Riverhead, L.I. and Leigh

Phillips of Westhampton Beach, N.Y.

JAMES BENJAMIN JR., son of James and Mary (Phillips) Benjamin (of this section); d. March 27, 1818, age 46 (gs) and buried in the woods in Flanders, L.I., N.Y.; m. Jerusha --- b. 1771, d. Aug. 20, 1845, age 74 (gs) and buried with James; m/2 --- Yarrington?? His will is on file at Southampton, L.I., dated May 1818. Jerusha listed in the 1820 census with: 0-1-0-1-0-0 //0-0-0-0-1. Had son Daniel Yarrington b. 1807, d. Dec. 20, 1825, age 18 yrs. 6 mos. (gs) and buried with her. He may possibly be a son of James and adopted by her second husband?? Also possibly had a son b. Dec. 7, 1797 at Flanders. **Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Riverhead and Owego, N.Y.

JAMES BENJAMIN SR. assessed Sept. 1775 5.11.1 pounds in Dist. #9, Orange Co., N.Y.

JAMES BENJAMIN JR. assessed Sept. 1775 5.2.7 pounds in Dist. #9, Orange Co., N.Y.

JAMES BENJAMIN 1790 census Warwick, Orange Co., N.Y. 1-0-1.

JAMES BENJAMIN b. 1788; d. Dec. 1, 1853, age 65 (gs) and buried in the Pitcher Twp., Cemetery, Chenango Co., N.Y.; m/1 Sally Latham, who was a desc. of Mary Chilton of Mayflower fame; m/2 Permelia/Purmelia --- b. 1794 in Conn. and d. Feb. 2, 1883, age 89 (gs) and buried with her husband. Issue: Sally; Lyman L. of Tully Valley, N.Y.; Daniel/David; John of -?- Grove, Ill.; William B. of Sterling, Ill.; Hannah Mercy, m.--- Stevenson; Alfred b. 1816, d. 1853, age 37 (gs) and buried with parents; Mary m. Alonson Campbell; Samantha b. 1820, m. --- Bentley. **p. 68 Vo. 2 Cem. and Town Rec.,Chenango Co.,NY.

JAMES H. BENJAMIN Will recorded 1812 (Adm #3939) at Warwick Twp., Bucks Co., Penn. **Index of Wills of Bucks Co., Penn.

JEMIMA BENJAMIN; m. Aug. 21, 1814 Abraham Wright Sussex Co., N.J. vr.

JARVIS BENJAMIN see Rosal of this section.

JESSE BENJAMIN 1800 census Manheim, Montgomery Co., N.Y. 2-0-0-1-0//0-0-0-1-0/

JESSE BENJAMIN 1800 census Minisink, Orange Co., N.Y. 1-0-0-1-0//2-0-0-1-0.

JESSE BENJAMIN 1830 census Cornwall Orange Co., N.Y. 1 m. 0-5; 2 m. 5-10; 1 m. 10-15; 1 m. 20-30; 2 m. 30=40// 1 f. 5-10; 1 f. 10-15; 2 f. 30-40.

JESSE BENJAMIN; wife's name unknown; Issue: Nathaniel Palmer Benjamin b. Dec. 2, 1823 at Newburg, Orange Co., N.Y. or Mattawan, N.Y.; John b. 1820-25; Susan, m. Seeley Bridgeport; Caroline b. 1829, m. George Kershaw; Isaac b. 1825-30; William. **p.329 Stowell Gen. Henry H. Stowell, 1922, Wilson Papers.

JOEL BENJAMIN Ensign in Cayuga Co., N.Y. State Militia in 1822.

JOEL BENJAMIN and wife Elsie of New York City, deeded land in Howard, N.Y., called the Elisha Matteson land, about 1850, and received land in Hornellsville from Sarah Lefferst, widow of Charles Lefferts about 1850. ** Steuben Co., N.Y. Land Deeds.

JOHN BENJAMIN (Capt.) b. 1721, d. July 5, 1806, age 85 in Renselaer Co., N.Y. **Deaths 1797-1820 Early Troy Newspapers.

JOHN BENJAMIN bc. 1735. A miner, age 40, sailed from Flintshire,

England from the port of London on Jan. 1775, between the 24th and 30th. Came on the Ship "The Jane" as an indentured servant. The Captain of the ship had permission to dispense of the passengers for a number of years to defray passage expense. He landed in Maryland. (See Joseph in "Other Early Benjamin lines" section of this book.) **Vol. 65 p. 23 N.E. Hist. and Gen. Register.

JOHN BENJAMIN; m. Eunice --- b. 1729 in the vicinity of Boston, Mass., d. August 15, 1772, age 45 yrs. at Preston, Conn. vr.

JOHN BENJAMIN of Roxbury, Mass.; had dau. Sally Benjamin bp. June 25, 1786. (cr).

JOHN BENJAMIN 1800 census Squwangunk, Ulster Co., N.Y. 0-0-1-0-0//1-0-1-0-0. (bc 1775-84).

JOHN BENJAMIN 1800 census Riverhead, Suffolk Co., N.Y. 1-1-0-0-1//0-1-0-1-1. (bc. before 1755).

JOHN BENJAMIN 1800 census Troy, Rensalaer Co., N.Y. 0-0-1-0-0//2-0-1-0-0 (bc. 1774-84).

JOHN BENJAMIN 1810 census Norriton Twp., Montgomery Co, Penn. 1-1-1-1-0//3-1-1-0-1 and 1 free colored. (bc 1765-84)

JOHN BENJAMIN bc. 1775; m. Elizabeth Tupper on May 9, 1797. She b. 1781. Issue: Eliza Benjamin b. Aug. 5, 1798, d. 1851, m. 1824 at First Presb. Church in Tompkins Co., N.Y. to Floris Bancker VanVleck b. 1801; John Sherman Benjamin b. 1802 m. Catherine Ann Hoes. ** p. 289 Van Vleck Gen.

JOHN BENJAMIN and John Arnold were witness on Oct. 30, 1782 when John and Elizabeth Case sold land to John Corwin Jr. ** Vol. 2 Southold, L.I. Town Records, 1884.

JOHN BENJAMIN of Stoneham, Mass. Private, under Capt. Samuel Sprague's Co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775, service 7 days. **p. 940 Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in the Rev

JOHN BENJAMIN Private in Capt. Jonathan Gate's Co.,; enlisted Oct. 1, 1777; service 25 days at Saratoga; reported in camp 19 days **p. 940 Mass. Sailors and Soldiers in Rev. War.

JOHN BENJAMIN; m. Nov. 15, 1804 Jerusha Spencer of Hartland Co., Conn. He was "of Hillsdale, Columbia Co., N.Y." **Hartland 2nd cr 1-217.

JOHN BENJAMIN of North Carolina, a seaman of schooner "Maria Latham" d. at Charleston Dec. 28, 1816. **Index to Obits of Mass. Centinel, 1961.

JOHN BENJAMIN b. 1785, d. Oct. 11, 1869 at Dryden, Tompkins Co., N. York; wife unknown. Issue: John of Jonesville, Michigan; Susan m. --- Cuffman of Groversville, Summit Co., Penn.; Cassandra m. --- Thomas of Dryden. **Abstracts of Estates of Tompkins Co., N.Y., 1830 census of Dryden.

JOHN BENJAMIN 1790 census North Cornwall, Orange Co., N.Y. 1-2-3

JOHN BENJAMIN (grandson of Herrick Benjamin); m. Hannah Burnett of Hanover, New Jersey; built a tavern in Vernon, N.J. about 1780

JOHN BENJAMIN; m. Elizabeth Young; had son John Benjamin bc. 1794 at Blooming Grove, Orange Co., N.Y. m. Maria Tuthill Hudson b. Sept. 4, 1796, dau. of William and Susanna (Tuthill) Hudson He m/2 Esther Mapes. **Tuttle-Tuthill Lines in Am., 1968.

JOHN BENJAMIN 1825 and 1830 census Prattsburgh, Steuben Co., N.Y.

1 m. b. 1770-80; 1 m. b. 1815-20; 1 m. b. 1820-25// 1 f. b. 1770-80; 1 f. b. 1825-30.

JOHN BENJAMIN; m. Jan. 9, 1812 Hannah Smith Sussex Co, N.J. vr.

JOHN BENJAMIN: m. Dec. 1, 1821 Hester Edsall Sussex Co., N.J. vr. (see Hester of this section).

JOHN BENJAMIN 1830 census Barre, Orleans Co., N.Y. p. 8 1-0-0-0-1//1-0-0-0-1.

JOHN BENJAMIN 1830 census Blooming Grove, Orange Co., N.Y. 2 m. 0-5; 1 m. 10-15; 1 m. 15-20; 1 m. 30-40// 1 f. 0-5; 1 f. 5-10; 1 f. 30-40.

JOHN BENJAMIN 1840 census Rush Creek Twp., Fairfield Co., Ohio. 1 m. 10-15; 1 m. 40-50 (bc 1790-1800)// 1 f. 5-10; 1 f. 10-15; 1 f. 15-20; 1 f. 40-50.

JOHN A. BENJAMIN 1790 census Bucks Co., Penn. 2-0-1.

JOHN REEVE BENJAMIN pt. Dec. 7, 1788 at Mattituck, L.I., N.Y., the son of Deborah Benjamin. (This was done on the same day as were bp. Eunice Wines and Elinor Wines as adults and Benjamin Wines, son of Eunice. **Parish Records of Mattituck, Craven

JONAS BENJAMIN 1800 census Reading, Winsor Co., Vermont. 1 m. 0-5; 5 m. 16-26; 1 m. 26-45// 1 f. 0-10; 1 f. 10-16; 1 f. 16-26; 1 f. 26-45.

JONATHAN BENJAMIN bc. 1738; d. Aug. 26, 1841, age 103 in Conn. ** Hale's Collection of Conn. Newspaper Obits.

JONATHAN BENJAMIN bc. 1764, d. July 1810 or 1850 (hard to read), age 46 in Conn. **Hale's Col. of Conn. Newspaper Obits.

JONATHAN BENJAMIN Township #19, Homer Military Tract, Lot #21. 2nd N.Y. Regt., Co. Hamtramch, d. April 9, 1781. ** p. 189 Tree Talks, Dec. 1968.

JONATHAN BENJAMIN: m. Feb. 18, 1804 Elizabeth Roalaborth Sussex Co., N.J. vr.

JONATHAN BENJAMIN Private in Capt. Daniel Whiting's Co., Col. Asa Whitcomb's Regt., muster roll dated Camp at Ticonderoga Nov. 27, 1776; enlisted Jan. 1, 1776.*p. 942 Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in Rev. War.

JONATHAN BENJAMIN Private in Capt. John Cleason's Co., Col. Joshiah Whitney's Regt.; return dated North Kingston June 26, 1777. *Ibid.

JONATHAN BENJAMIN Watertown, Mass., Private, Capt. Samuel Barnard Co., Col. Thomas Gardner's Regt., which marched on the alarm on April 19, 1775; service 3 days; also, Capt. Abner Craft's Co., Lt. Col. William Bond's (late Gardner's) 37th Regt; company return dated Cambridge Oct. 7, 1775; also, order for bounty coat or it's equivalent in money dated Cambridge Nov. 13, 1775; also, list of men mustered in Suffolk Co. by Nathaniel Barber, Muster Master, dated Boston Mar. 16, 1777; Capt. Alexander's Co., Col. Wigglesworth's Regt.; residence Watertown; enlisted for town of Watertown, enlistment 3 years; also Sergeant, Capt. Ebenezer Smith's Co., Col. Calvin Smith's (late Wiggleworth's) Regt., etc. **Ibid.

JONATHAN BENJAMIN Private, Capt. Thomas Brintnal's Co., Col. Cyprian Howe's Regt.; enlisted July 30, 1780; discharged Oct. 30, 1780; service, 3 mos. 4 days. at Rhode Island; enlistment

3 mos.; company raised to reinforce Continental Army. **Ibid.

JONATHAN BENJAMIN Sergeant, Capt. Abijah Rowlee's Co., pay roll dated July 6, 1775 (service not given). **Ibid.

JONATHAN BENJAMIN Deerfield, Private, Capt. Hugh Maxwell's Co., Col. Prescott's Regt.; Muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775, enlisted May 1, 1775; service 3 mos. 2 days; also, company return (prob. Oct. 1775); also, order for clothing, dated Sewall's Point Dec. 27, 1775. **Ibid.
(NOTE: The above service records for Jonathan Benjamin from Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in the Rev. War might be the service record of only several, instead of 6 different individual

JONATHAN BENJAMIN 1810 census Bloomfield, Livingston Co., N.Y. (then Ontario Co.) 3 m. 0-10; 1 m. 26-45 (b. 1765-84)// 1 f. 16-26. (Note: Daniel and David living in same area.)

JONATHAN BENJAMIN 1800 census Granby, Essex Co., Vermont. He was married and there were 2 other males and 1 other female in his family.

JONATHAN BENJAMIN bc. 1776; d. March 18, 1817, age 41 yrs. and buried in the Rockaway, Cemetery. He married Rebecca Ann Sanford, the dau. of John and Rebecca (DeBow) Sanford and was b. 1790 and died Dec. 23, 1815, age 24-6-26 (gs) and buried at Rockaway, N.J. (vr). (Morris Co., N.J.) They had son: Edward I. Benjamin and perhaps son Jonathan Jr. b. 1806. **p. 221 Thomas Sanford. Carlton Sanford, 1911.

JOSEPH BENJAMIN 1830 census Newark, Tioga Co., N.Y. p. 306. 1 m. b. 1770-80; 1 m. b. 1800-10;// 1 f. 1770-80; 1 f. b. 1800 1810; 1 f. b. 1810-15.

JOSEPH R. BENJAMIN; had son William H. Benjamin of New York City b. 1815, d. Feb. 14, 1884, age 69 yrs. **Wilson papers.

JOSHUA BENJAMIN 1820 census Putnam Twp., Muskingum Co., Ohio. 1 m. b. 1810-15; 1 m. b. 1775-85// 1 f. b. 1825-30; 1 f. b. 1810-20; 1 f. b. 1795-1805. (Note: There was a Joshua in the 1830 census at Springfield Twp., Muskingum Co., Ohio and a Samuel Benjamin listed in the same area in the 1840 census.)

JOSHUA BENJAMIN m. July 3, 1813 Sarah Willson. Sussex Co., N.Y. vr.

JUDAH BENJAMIN 1790 census Luzerne Co., Penn. 1-0-2.
1810 census Orwell Twp., Luzerne Co., Penn. p. 710. 2 m. 10-16; 1 m. 16-26; 1 m. 45+// 2 f. 10-16; 1 f. 16-26; 1 f. 45+.

JUDAH BENJAMIN 1810 census Rush Twp., Luzerne Co., Penn. 1 m. 0-10; 1 m. 45+// 2 f. 10-16; 1 f. 45+; 6 slaves.

JUDAH BENJAMIN 1800 census Geneaseo Twp., Ontario Co., N.Y. 2-0-0-1-0//2-1-0-1-0.

JUDAH BENJAMIN 1830 census Nichols, Tioga Co., N.Y. 1 m. 20-30; 1 m. 50-60 (bc 1770-80)// 1 f. 15-20; 1 f. 20-30; 1 f. 50-60.

L. BENJAMIN age 36, male, merchant, bc. 1784; from Holland on Ship "Unity" and arrived in Baltimore, Maryland. With him were: R., female, age 28; E., felame, age 6; and S., age 5, male. **List of Passengers Arriving from Oct. 1819-1820, 1821.

LAVINIA BENJAMIN bc. 1786, d. 1853, age 67; m.1810 Thomas Baxter b. Kinderhook, Columbia Co., N.Y. 1776, d. at Milo, Yates Co., N.Y. in 1864, age 88. Member of the Baptist Church **p. 78 N.Y. Gen. and Hist. Record.

LAWRENCE BENJAMIN bc. 1794-5 in Mass. or Vermont; age 55 in census of 1850 and living with Levi and Ruth Drew at Woodbury, Washington Co., Vt. Have another note that he was listed in the same census as residing with Simeon (age 32)and Diantha (age 25) Gilman in the same agea. **Census records.

LEVAN BENJAMIN 1830 census S.C. Twp., Green Co., Ohio. 2 m. 0-5; 1 m. 5-10; 2 m. 10-15; 1 m. 40-50 (bc. 1780-90)// 1 f. 5-10; 1 f. 10-15; 1 f. 30-40.

LEWIS (LOUIE) BENJAMIN, SQUIRE b. 1797; m. Philista/Philislia Wheeler of Monroe, Penn. in 1823 at Orwell, Penn. (vr). He was listed in the 1850 census of Wysox Tp. Bradford Co., Penn. Issue: Hannah, m. --- Burdick; Almeda b. 1829; Orlando b. 1830, m. Mary ---; Amanda b. 1836; Emmeline b. 1843; and Emazella Burdick b. 1848 (prob. a dau. of Hannah). He was a farmer.

LEWIS BENJAMIN b. 1784; d. 1850-55; m. Elizabeth (Betty) ---, b. 1790. Had grandchildren Elizabeth b. 1846 and Mary b. 1847. Listed in the 1850 census of Richfield, Otsego Co., N.Y. Betty is listed as a mulatto.

LIBERTY BENJAMIN b. 1774, d. May 22, 1839, age 64 yrs. 8 mos. (gs); m. Polly --- b. 1784, d. Nov. 20, 1864, age 80 (gs) and both are buried in the Terrytown Cemetery (also known as the Tinker Hollow Cemetery, #96) in Madison Co., N.Y. **p. 1 Vol. 183 Madison Co., N.Y. Cem. Rec. (Note: Reuel of this sectionwas in same are.)

LOIS BENJAMIN bc. 1780, d. Nov. 17, 1834 in Conn., either at Hartford or Litchfield. *Hale Col. of Conn. Newspaper Obits.

LUCY BENJAMIN received communion Dec. 30, 1759 at East Hartford, Conn. **First Presbyterian cr.

MARGARET BENJAMIN; m. Feb. 10, 1760 --- Hutchens. Suffield, Conn. cr.

MARGARET BENJAMIN; m. 1801 in New York City Samuel Lambert.

MARGARET (VERNON) BENJAMIN; m. Dec. 30, 1815 Calvin Simmons. Sussex Co, New Jersey vr.

MARGARET BENJAMIN; m. Jan. 5, 1823 Samuel Ketcham Sussex Co., N.J. vr.

MARGARET BENJAMIN; m. JohnDeGraw; had son John DeGraw b. Oct. 4, 1807 in New York City; m. Hannah Burgess. **p. 163 Gen. of Benjamin Cleveland, Cleveland, 1879.

MARRICA BENJAMIN; m. Nellie Van Dusen bc. 1797 in Conn., the dau. of Harry/Henry and Lorain (Peck) Van Dusen. Harry was b. 1773 in Salisbury, Conn. and d. Carlton, Orleans Co., N.Y. and served in the war of 1812 in Capt. Silas Wright's Co. of Vermont Militia. He m. in 1794 in Salisbory, Conn. **Hartford Times June 8, 1957; p. 226 Van Deursen Fam., Van Deusen, 1912.

MARY BENJAMIN; m. Jan. 25, 1809 John Wilkes. Sussex Co., N.J. vr.

MARY BENJAMIN; resided with Edward Broomhead on March 12, 1727 of

N.Y., a vintner. **p. 102 Vol. 35 Unrecorded wills, N.Y. Hist. and Biog. Record.

MARY BENJAMIN signed the covenant at the Church of Christ at Plainfield, Conn. on Sept. 5, 1768. **Vol. 70 p. 177 N. E. Gen. and Hist. Register.

MARY BENJAMIN bc. 1754, dc. Sept. 1829, age 75, in Conn. (Note: There were quite a few obits for this person.) ** Hale's Col. of Conn. Newspaper Obits.

MARY BENJAMIN; m. Robert Kerr, the son of Daniel Kerr. He had m/1 Mary Christina (Pitts) Parcell. He was a Rev. War soldier. Issue: Samuel Benjamin Kerr; David Kerr; Sarah Kerr; George Kerr.

MARY BENJAMIN b. March 11, 1776 at Flanders, L.I., N.Y.; the dau. of James and Mary (Phillips) Benjamin (of this section); d. Sept. 9, 1837; m. 1797 Joshua Tuthill b. 1768, d. 1827, the son of John and Sarah (---) Tuthill. Had son Elisha Tuthill b. 1805, d. 1885, m. Harriet Hogerts b. 1807, d. 1894.

MARY BENJAMIN, spintress, witness to will of Josiah Goodale Jan. 15, 1786 in town of Southampton, L.I., N.Y. His wife was Sarah Goodale. ** Vol. 38 p. 47 N.Y. Hist. Soc. Collection.

MARY BENJAMIN 1800 census Stratford, Conn. (bc 1774-84). 0-0-1-0-0//0-0-1-0-0.

MARTHA BENJAMIN; m. George DeKay bc. 1760, the son of William Willett and Christiana (Duncan) DeKay, who resided at Cold Spring, L.I., N.Y. He m/2 Temperance Morris. ** Vol. 34 p. 33 Am. Gen.

MEHETABLE BENJAMIN; bc. 1771; d. July 17, 1825, age 54. Plot also contains graves of: Francis M. Benjamin d. Jan. 15, 1831 age 18 mos. and Ellen G. Benjamin d. Sept. 6, 1828, age 4 yrs. 6 mos. She is probably the wife of Simeon Benjamin. **Vol. 230 p. 11 DAR Record, First Preby. Church of Newton Cem., Elmhurst.

MOLLY BENJAMIN b. 1749; d. Oct. 27, 1824, age 75 yrs.; buried in Whiteford Cem. in Saratoga Springs, N.Y. She had a dau. by her first marriage--Lucy Taylor b. 1773, m. William Waite b. 1762, resided in Stillwater, Saratoga Co., N.Y. in 1790. Obviously she m/2 --- Benjamin. ** Records of Mrs. Philip Wait of Newton Center, Mass.

MYER BENJAMIN 1774 Newport, Rhode Island Census: 2 m. over 16; 1 m. under 16; 1 f. over 16; 7 females under 16.

NANCY BENJAMIN; m. Jan. 22, 1809 Lawrence Meholas. **Boston, Mass vr. Intentions to m. Dec. 23, 1803 to Guidion Murray Jr. **Boston, Mass. vr.

NATHAN BENJAMIN; had son John Benjamin bp. May 29, 1743 at Preston, Conn. **vr 7-9.

NATHAN BENJAMIN; d. Dec. 1851; m. Hannah ---, who d. Jan. 20, 1861. **Rixtown, Conn. Burial Grounds record.

NATHAN BENJAMIN; m. Chloe Tyler. Dau. Lucy Benjamin bc. 1826; d. July 16, 1887, age 61-3-9 at Lebanon, Mich. She had m. --- Haynes. Also had dau. Sophronia Benjamin b. 1824; m. Jan. 29, 1840 Rev. Lafayette Church, son of Willard Church, b. July 16

1816 at Ontario, Wayne Co., N.Y., d. Jan. 2, 1907 at Alma, Mich. ** p. 194 Desc. of Richard Church, John Church, 1913; Book 2 p. 213 Clinton Co., Mich. death records.

NATHAN BENJAMIN; m. Oct. 11, 1824 Elizabeth Force. Sussex Co., N.J. vr.

NATHANIEL BENJAMIN Watertown, Mass., Private, Capt. Samuel Barnard's Co., Col. Thomas Garner's Regt., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775, service: 4 days. Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in the Rev. War. (Note: Samuel #221 was on the same alarm.)

NATHANIEL BENJAMIN 1820 census Twin Twp., Preble Co., Ohio. Was also listed in the 1830 and 1840 census at same location. bc. 1794 in N.J.; m. Hannah Johnson Nov. 7, 1818 at Preble Co. Ohio (vr); had dau. Catherine b. Oct. 16, 1819 at New Lexington, Ohio, m. Annin Wiggins Dewey on April 14, 1842; son: Nathaniel bc. 1834.
2 m. b. 1795-1805; 1 m. b. 1825-30; 1 m. b. 1795-1800// 1 f. b. 1795-1800; 1 f. b. 1815-20; 1 f. b. 1820-25; 1 f. b. 1825-30. **Census records; p. 1061 Life of George Dewey, 1898.

NATHANIEL BENJAMIN: m. Polly ---, b. 1792, d. Nov. 15, 1819, age 27 (gs) and buried in Leraysville, Penn. cemetery.

MRS. PARK BENJAMIN bc. 1793-1801; d. Jan. 31, 1815, age 21 or 22 in Conn. **Hale's Collection of Conn. Newspaper Obits.

PATIENCE BENJAMIN; m. Feb. 26, 1820 Jacob York. Sussex Co., N.J. vr.

PENEL BENJAMIN of Sangerfield, Oneida Co., N.Y., m. (intentions) March 4, 1804 Sally Cowing. *p. 110 Fam.of Chesterfield.

PETER BENJAMIN 11 CL Dec. 1776; retired Sept. 15, 1778**Virginians in the Rev. War, John H. Gawtmey, 1938.

POLLY BENJAMIN; m. Daniel Morris of Boston, Mass., b. Feb. 12, 1672, resided at Bridgeport, Conn. **Vol. 71 p. 10 Morris Fam. of Western Conn; N.E. Hist. Society.

PAHLY (POLLY) BENJAMIN; m. Dec. 4, 1798 Mahlon Long at the Reform Church, Falkner Swamp, Penn. **p. 602 Rec. of Penn. Marriages prior to 1810, Vol. 2, 1968.

POLLY BENJAMIN; m. Oct. 4, 1801 to Thomas Gillinghouse. Sussex Co. N.J. vr.

POLLY BENJAMIN 1850 census Hamilton Twp., Madison Co., N.Y,, age 63 (bc. 1787) in Vermont; residing with Lyman Woods, age 55, b. in Mass., cooper; Almira Woods, age 44 b. N.Y.; and family.

POLLY BENJAMIN bc. 1790, d. June 12, 1858, age 68, in Conn. **Hale Collection of Conn. Newspaper Obits.

POLLY BENJAMIN; m. Dec. 23, 1824 Joel Avery, son of Joseph Avery, b. Mar. 8, 1803 in Brookfield, N.Y. She d. Jan. 6, 1827. p. 892 Groton Avery Clan, Avery, 1912.

R. BENJAMIN 1810 census Oneida Co., N.Y.
1-0-0-1-0//3-0-0-1-0.

RACHEL BENJAMIN; m. Oct. 2, 1775 John Amos at Wade's Church, Philadelphia, Penn. **p. 303 Reco.of Penn.Marriages prior to

1810, Vol. 2, 1968.

RACHEL BENJAMIN bc. 177-; m. Jesse Smith; resided L.I. **Records of James P. Ferguson of Speonk, N.Y.

REUEL BENJAMIN bc. 1775/6; d. Jan. 25, 1849, age 73 (gs); m. Elsey --- b. 1779 in Conn., d. April 21, 1853, age 74 (gs). Had dau. Patty b. 1811, d. April 17, 1826, (gs). All are buried in the Tinker Hollow Cemetery, #96. He owned land in Sangerfield, Onida Co., N.Y. in 1814, 1830, and 1835. Elsey Benjamin is listed in the 1850 census of Sangerfield, N.Y. with Tom or Don Sheldon, age 29, b. N.Y. and Mary A. Sheldon, age 26, Asa P. Sheldon, age 7; Mary A. Sheldon, age 3, and William P. Sheldon, age 1. **Madison Co., N.Y. Cem. Rec. p. 1 Vol. 182. (Note: Liberty is buried in the same cemetery.)

RENSALLAER BENJAMIN bc. 1790. 1820 census Canaan, Wayne Co., Penn. m. Elizabeth Clark, who m/2 Daniel Fox. Had son: Francis V.R. or O.R. Benjamin b. March 25, 1820, m. 1839 Lodima A. Wilmot. **Records of Beverly Daniels of Sacramento, Calif.

ROGER BENJAMIN 1830 census Liberty Twp., Adams Co., Ohio. 2 m. 0-10; 1 m. 10-15; 1 m. 45+//2 f. 0-10; 1 f. 10-15; 1 f. 16-25; 1 f. 26-45. (Note: In the 1830 and 1840 census of Liberty Twp., Adams Co., Ohio is listed a David Benjamin bc. 1790-1800 and in the 1840 census of the same area is a Jeddiah Benjamin bc. 1790-1800. They might be sons.)

ROSAL BENJAMIN 1830 census Washington Twp., Clermont Co., Ohio. 1 m. 0-5; 2 m. 15-20; 1 m. 60-70// 1 f. 5-10; 1 f. 10-15; 1 f. 50-60.
1840 census, same area. p. 185.
1 m. 0-5; 1 m. 15-20; 1 m. 60-70// 1 f. 5-10; 1 f. 40-50. (Note: A Jarvis Benjamin is listed for the same area in the 1840 census, but the only male is age 0-5! The above census records do not seem correct, since they do not seem that different for a 10 year span.) The 1850 census for the same area shows: John Ford, age 53, Lydia Ford, age 51, Ahaz Benjamin, age 22 b. Ohio; Marion Benjamin, age 10; and James Baught Benjamin, age 23, and Harriet Benjamin, age 3.

RICHARD BENJAMIN from "The Presbyterian Church of Ridgebury, N.Y. 1792-1867". On June 10, 1792 at a meeting held this day at the house of Richard and wife, also Widow Hannah Benjamin present, widowof James Benjamin; agreeded unamiouslyto form the church of Ridgebury, N.Y. The house of Richard Benjamin was a large log structure, located at the upper end of the village. (Note: A Samuel Benjamin was located in Ridgebury in 1792.)

ROBERT BENJAMIN bc. 1793; m. Sarah ---. Had son John b. 1823 in England, m. 1851 in Dedham, Mass. Elizabeth Garner, dau. of Joseph and Mary A. (---) Garner. Had issue: Mary A.E. b. 1852 and Robert J. b. 1854. **V.R. of Dedham, Mass, 1894.

RUTH BENJAMIN; m. Oct. 13, 1812 George Bunell. Madison Co., O. vr.

SALLY BENJAMIN; m. Jan. 22, 1797 at Boston, Mass. to John Swan of Newbury Port, Mass. vr., Boston.

SALLY BENJAMIN; d. May 13, 1856, age 6 or 60, buried in Norwich,

Conn. Cemetery, lot #8-668. (probably age 60!) ** Hale's Collection of Conn. Cemetery Records.

SAMUEL BENJAMIN bc. 1721, d. Sept. 18, 1807, age 86 at Franklin, New London, Conn. vr 2-30.

SAMUEL BENJAMIN and wife Mary ---, on 1789 membership list of Old Baptist Church of Warwick, Orange Co., N.Y. On same list were Julia and Abigail Benjamin--with no relationship indicated. They might be daus. or sisters of Samuel.

SAMUEL BENJAMIN 1790 census of Warwick, Orange Co., N.Y. 1-2-2.
1830 census Warwick, Orange Co., N.Y. 1 m. 60-70// 1 f. 60-70
1840 census Warwick, Orange Co., N.Y. 1 m. 70-80// 1 f. 70-80

SAMMIAL BENJAMIN bc. 1763 in Orange Co., N.Y.; yeoman; enlisted at Rochester, N.Y. April 14, 1779, age 16 yrs.; listed on description rolls of the Co. of Light Infantry in the 2nd N.Y. Regt. on June 22, 1779. (Mil. Rec. 29:51) Abner French, Capt. ** p. 347 Vol. 2 Calendar of Hist. Manuscripts Relating to War of the Rev., 1868.

SAMUEL BENJAMIN Rev. War Pension Record #S 45260; filed petition June 1, 1820 in Goshen, Orange Co, N.Y., at age 59. Testified he had wife Deborah --, age 58, and was in need of aid. In 1818 he testified he enlisted in the year 1778 in N.Y. and served under Capt. Hamtamack of the 2nd Regt, as a private until the close of the war and was discharged in 1783 at New Windsor, N.Y.

SAMUEL BENJAMIN 1800 census Celia Twp., Essex Co., N.Y. 1-0-1-0-0//1-0-1-0-1.

SAMUEL BENJAMIN; m. Sept. 26, 1819 Phoebe King. Sussex Co., N.J vr

SAMUEL BENJAMIN 1810 census Cattawassa Twp., Northumberland Co., Penn. p. 236 1 m. 0-10; 1 m. 26-45 (bc 1765-84)// 1 f. 16-26 farmer and merchant.

SAMUEL BENJAMIN 1810 census Blooming Grove, Orange Co., N.Y. 1 m. 0-10; 1 m. 26-45// 3 f. 0-10; 1 f. 26-45.

SAMUEL BENJAMIN bc. 1769; d. 1865 at Patterson, N.J.; m. Jane DeGraw, who was b. in N.J. Had son: George W. Benjamin b. May 10, 1820/1 at Patterson, N.J., d. 1895 at Covington, Kentucky, m. 1860 Orpha Ann DeGraw, who was b. 1844 at Mt. Morris, N.Y., the dau. of John and Hannah (Burgess) DeGraw. They resided in the 1860's in Ohio. **p. 1297 Desc. of Cleveland Fam.; p. 163 Desc. of Benjamin Cleveland.

SAMUEL BENJAMIN bc. 1779; d. July 19, 1854, age 75; m. Hannah McConnigle b. 1788, d. Sept. 18, 1867, age 79. They are both buried in the Hooker Cem. at Ironduquort, Munroe Co., N.Y. Issue: Edgar F./T. b. May 24, 1811 at Hillsdale, Columbia Co. N.Y., d. Sept. 13, 1881 at Grand Ledge, Mich., m. Sarah Wright in 1835 at Perrinton, Monroe Co., N.Y.; Marcus Orville b. Oct. 13, 1820 at Hillsdale, N.Y., d. Feb. 10/20, 1899 at Rochester, N.Y., m. 1843 Mary Case Hooker; possibly Daniel b. May 10, 1807, d. May 16, 1880 (gs), m. Sarah Clapper and both buried in Bushnell Basin Cem. at Perrinton, Monroe Co.,NY **Vo. 4 #14 p. 35 Dec. 1960 Yesteryears; p. 1110 Groton Avery Clan; p. 280 Desc. of Rev. Thomas Hooker; Census and Cemetery Records.

SAMUEL BENJAMIN 1790 census Litchfield, Litchfield Co., Conn. 1-2-2.
SAMUEL BENJAMIN 1790 census Stratford, Fairfield Co., Conn. 1-0-1.
SAMUEL BENJAMIN 1790 census Charleston Dist., St. Phillips and St. Michael's Parish, South Carolina. 1-1-1.
SAMUEL BENJAMIN 1830 census Canaan Columbia Co., N.Y.
2 m. 0-5; 1 m. 5-10; 1 m. 15-20; 1 m. 50-60// females ???
SAMUEL BENJAMIN 1850 census Petersburg, Pike Co., Ohio. Tavernkeeper, value $1200., b. N.Y., age 60; Roind (?), age 51 b. N.Y.; Samuel, age 20 b. Ind., laborer; William, age 17, laborer b. Ind.; George, age 14, b. Ind.
SAMUEL BENJAMIN 1830 census Vernon, Sussex Co., New Jersey.
1 m. 30-40// 1 f. 0-5; 2 f. 10-15; 1 f. 30-40.
1840 census Vernon, Sussex Co., N.J.
1 m. 40-50// 1 f. 10-15; 1 f. 15-20; 1 f. 40-50.
SAMUEL BENJAMIN b. Orange Co., N.Y.; d. March 29, 1856 at Deposit, Delaware Co., N.Y.; m. Hannah Krounk in Putnam Co., N.Y. She d. 1848 at Romulus, N.Y. Issue: Charles b. June 9, 1817; d. at Deposit, N.Y.; Daniel b. 1819; William b. 1822 at Westchester Co., N.Y.; Abby Jane b. 1826; Alvah b. 1831; Allen b. 1833, d.y.; Edward Henry b. 1837; Allen b. 1842 and d. in Civil War; Angeline b. 1845; and Abraham. **Records of Charles Benjamin of Elmira, N.Y.
SARAH BENJAMIN; m. June 3, 1765 Samuel Clark. Boston, Mass. vr.
SARAH BENJAMIN 1830 census Russia, Herkimer Co., N.Y.
1 m. 40-50 (bc 1780-90)// 1 f. 20-30; 1 f. 50-60; 1 f. 70-80.
SARAH BENJAMIN bc. 1776; d. March 1843, age 67. *Hale's Collection of Newspaper Obits in Conn.
SARAH (SALLY) BENJAMIN b. June 15, 1777 at Preston, Conn. vr.
SARAH BENJAMIN; d. Sept. 19, 1838; m. Sept. 3, 1796 Thomas Wickham, son of Noyes Wickham. He b. Sept. 5, 1768, d. June 15, 1851. She was "of Middletown, Orange Co, N.Y." and they resided in Suffolk Co., N.Y. and sold land there to Peter Smith in 1804. They are buried in Pleasant Valley Cemetery in Ohio. **Records of E. W. Hale of Brooklyn, N.Y.
SARAH BENJAMIN; m. 1807 in New York City to Gabriel Fecto. cr.
SARAH BENJAMIN; m. April 1816 Joseph Butler Chapman in Conn. *Hale Collection of Newspaper articles.
SARAH BENJAMIN; m. as his 2nd wife, Thomas Carver of Barnard, Vt., the son of Rodolphus Carver of Bridgewater (Mass.?) and Barnard, Vermont. He was b. June 20, 1735 at Bridgewater. **Windsor Co., Vermont vr; Vol. 88 p. 31 New Eng. Hist. Soc. Coll.
SETH BENJAMIN 1830 census Haight Twp., Allegany Co., N.Y.
1 m. b. 1760-70; 1 m. b. 1815-20// 1 f. b. 1770-80; 1 f. b. 1815-20.
SETH BENJAMIN; m. Dec. 7, 1806 Sarah Quick. Sussex Co., N.J. vr.
SETH BENJAMIN 1820 Angelica, Allegany Co., N.Y. census.
1 m. b. 1810-20; 1 m. b. 1794-1804// 1 f. b. 1810-15; 1 f. b. 1794-1804.
SILAS BENJAMIN 1790 census New Cornwall, Orange Co., N.Y. 2-4-4.
SIMON BENJAMIN 1790 census Plainfield, Windham Co., Conn. 1-1-2.
1800 census Salisbury, Conn.

0-1-0-0-1//0-0-1-0-1.

SIMEON BENJAMIN; d. Dec. 20, 1792 at Plainfield, Conn. (vr 2-99); m. Widow Anna Starkweather Jan. 22, 1745/6 at Stonington, Conn. (vr 3-69). She b. Aug. 21, 1715 at Stonington, Conn., bp. Aug. 28, 1715 at South Society at Preston, Conn., d. Dec. 13, 1793. She had m/1 cousin Joseph Starkweather. (Note: A Simeon Benjamin m. Sept. 12, 1745 Widow Prudence Holmes at N. Stonington, Conn. (vr), so the above m. might even be his 3rd m.) On Jan. 4, 1772 Simeon Benjamin of Plainfield, Conn. sold land to David Benjamin of Preston, Conn. (prob. son of John and Margaret (Jamison) Benjamin.) Issue: Elizabeth Benjamin b. Nov. 5, 1754 at N. Stonington, Conn. (vr), m. Oct. 23, 1777 Oliver Wilbour/Wilbor; William Benjamin bp. May 26, 1752 at N. Stonington, Conn. (cr 1046). **p. 33 Starkweather Gen., 1904; p. 55 Early Conn. Marriages, Bailey.; Church records.

SIMEON BENJAMIN; d. 1838 and buried in the Presby. Church Yard at Elmhurst, L.I., N.Y. Cem. records.

SOLOMON BENJAMIN 1820 census of Herkimer Co., N.Y. 1-1-0-0-1-0//1-2-1-0-1. 1 eng. in manuf.

SUSAN BENJAMIN; m. Robert Whitlock; resided in Ridgewood or Ridgefield, Conn. and Saratoga Co., N.Y. in early 1800's. Issue: Simeon Stebbens Whitlock b. 1764; Abel b. 1772; Sally; Ann; Abigail; Peter; Ezekiel; Delinda; Nehemiah; and Friend. **Hartford Times, Dec. 1, 1945.

MRS. SUSAN BENJAMIN bc. 1798, d. Dec. 1835, age 37 in Conn. *Hale's Collection of Conn. Newspaper Obits.

SYLVESTER BENJAMIN b. 1795 (gs), d. Jan. 24, 1864, age 69 (gs), the son of James and Mary (Phillips) Benjamin (see James this section); m. Susannah or Susan --- b. 1807, d. July 28, 1870, age 63 (gs). Both are buried in the East Quogue Methodist Church Cemetery. He is listed in the 1840 and 1850 census at Southampton, L.I. as a laborer. Issue: Salem b. 1825, d. Aug. 25, 1891, m/1 Mary Jane ---, m/2 1883 Abigail Goodale; Jesse b. 1831; Susan Maria b. 1834 m. Edmond Griffin; Mary I./J. b. 1825. **Census records; research of F. Everett Benjamin. Susana was the dau. of Benjamin and Hannah (Danes) Downs and m/2 Walter Havens.

T. BENJAMIN 1840 census Twin Twp., Preble Co., Ohio. 1 m. 10-15; 1 m. 15-20; 1 m. 40-50// 1 f. 5-10; 1 f. 40-50. (Desmond and Nathaniel Benjamin living in same area.)

TABITHA BENJAMIN, wife of Capt. (---) Benjamin; admited to the church July 5, 1818 from Hanover Church. Lisbon, Conn. cr 4-102.

THOMAS BENJAMIN; resided in Hopewell Twp., Perry Co., Ohio about 1816-17. Hist. of Perry Co., Ohio.

THOMAS BENJAMIN 1790 census Cutchogue, L.I., Southould, N.Y. 1-1-4 with 4 slaves.

THOMAS BENJAMIN Record of Rev. Joseph Hull and early settlers of Piscataway Province of N.J. in 1668. "First few planters were followed by Thomas Benjamin, list of other persons, whose names all appear on Colonial Records of New Hampshire and Mass."

Vol. 12 p. 141 Old Northwest Gen. Quarterly.
THOMAS BENJAMIN; m. April 17, 1783 Anne Fuller, who was bc. 1756, the dau. of Thomas and --- (Dimmock) Fuller of Hartland, Conn. Vol. 36 p. 36 Jan. 1905 N.Y. Gen. and Biog. Record.
THOMAS BENJAMIN bc. 1788, d. June 1821, age 33 yrs., in Bay of St. Louis, Providence, R.I., drowned. R.I. Vital Records.
THOMAS BENJAMIN 1830 census Manlius, Madison Co., N.Y.
1 m. 30-40 (bc 1790-1800); 1 m. 0-5// 1 f. 40-50; 1 f. 10-15; 1 f. 5-10.
TRIPHENA BENJAMIN; m. Dec. 24, 1810 Abraham Shimer. Sussex Co., N.J. vr.
TUTTLE BENJAMIN; m. April 18, 1829 Sally Wheeler Ref. Dutch Church of Bloomingburgh, Sullivan Co., N.Y. cr.

VALENTINE BENJAMIN 1810 census Horsham Twp., Montgomery Co., Penn.
1 m. 26-45 (bc. 1765-84)// 1 f. 16-26.
VINCENT BENJAMIN 1830 census Rutland Twp., Meigs Co., Ohio.
1 m. 40-50// 1 f. 30-40.
1840 census Rutland Twp., Meigs Co., Ohio.
1 m. 5-10; 1 m. 10-15; 1 m. 40-50// 1 f. 40-50. (Would assume these were copied wrong, since he didn't seem to age in 10 years!)

W. S. BENJAMIN 1850 cenus Peoria Co., Ill.
He bc. 1799-1800 in N.Y.; Mary b. 1816-17; George b. 1849 in Ill.
WILLIAM BENJAMIN 1810 census Chatham, Columbia Co., N.Y.
1 m. 60-70 (bc. 1740-50); 1 m. 10-15; 1 m. 20-30// females ??
WILLIAM BENJAMIN b. 1782, d. June 6, 1862, age 80 yrs. at Bingham, Maine. He m. Mary ---, who d. 1852 and is buried in the Village Cem. at Bingham. Had son John D. Benjamin b. 1823/4, mc. 1857 Margaret ---, who was b. 1824/5 and had children: Albert b. 1858/9 and Cora b. 1868/9. 1870 census records of Bingham, Maine; Town Records; Cemetery records.
WILLIAM BENJAMIN; m. Caty ---. Had son William Benjamin bp. Nov. 1, 1809 (sponsor was Rose Spotten) at Dutch Reform Church of Schenectady, N.Y. Church records.
WILLIAM BENJAMIN 1820 census Union Twp., Licking Co., Ohio and 1840 census of McKean Twp., Licking Co., Ohio.
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WILLIAM BENJAMIN 1830 census York Twp., Athens Co., Ohio.
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WILLIAM BENJAMIN 1840 census Richarland Twp., Hancock Co., Ohio.
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WILLIAM BENJAMIN 1825 census Chocton, Steuben Co., N.Y.
5 males, 3 females, with 2 males of military age and 2 voters.
WILLIAM PHILLIP BENJAMIN b. May 15, 1780, the son of James and Mary

(Phillips) Benjamin (see James of this section); d. Sept. 1, 1853 at Sayville, L.I., N.Y.; m. Hannah Fanning on Jan. 17, 1808 at Flanders, L.I., the dau. of John and Mary (Aldrich) Fanning. She was b. June 2, 1790 at Flanders and d. Sept. 11, 1870 at Sayville, L.I. Issue: Mary b. 1808, d. 1822; James b. 1810, m. Joannah Fanning; William Phillip b. 1812, d. 1849; Hannah b. 1814, m. John H. Rhodes; Polly b. 1817, d. 1822; Joshua Ferguson b. 1819; Betsey Ann b. 1821, d. 1822; David Cyrus b. 1828; Prosper King b. 1830; and Alma b. 1837. **Hist. of the Fanning Family, Brooks, 1905; p. 78 Fam. of Richard Smith, Smith, 1967; Records from Family Bible, now in possession of Mrs. Egbert Wilner of Flanders, L.I.

ZACHARIAH BENJAMIN 1800 census Warwick, Orange Co., N.Y. 1 m. 26-45 (bc 1755-74); 2 m. 0-10; 1 m. 16-26// 1 f. 26-45; 1 f. 0-10; 1 f. 10-16; 1 f. over 45.

ZACHARIAH BENJAMIN; d. Dec. 19, 1834; m. Sarah Conklin, who bc. 1762, and was age 93 in 1855 at Haverstraw, Rockland Co., N.Y. She had m/1 Joseph Conklin on Jan. 19, 1781 at Haverstraw and he d. Jan. 18, 1806. He was a soldier in the Rev. and recordsof second m. of his widow were from his pension records.

ZACHARIAH BENJAMIN b. August 1782; the son of James and Mary (Phillips) Benjamin (see James of this section); d. Jan. 7, 1861 (gs), age 77 yrs. 7 mos. at Flanders, L.I., N.Y. He m. Mary C. Bennett, who was b. May 7, 1791 and d. Sept. 9, 1877. She may have m/2 James T. Downs in 1782/3. They are both buried in the Flanders Cemetery. Issue: Sarah b. Oct. 16, 1810, m. Capt. Austin Penny; Clarissa b. Aug. 28, 1811/2 m. Capt. Walter Havens; Mary Ester b. Oct. 18, 1814 m. James E. Weeks/Wicks; Zachariah b. Mar. 20, 1817, m. Elizabeth Rogers; Alanson b. 1820, d. 1822; Alanson b. Dec. 25, 1822 m. Phoebe Elizabeth Lester.

ADDENUM

p. 31 #163½ (omitted) Benjamin Huntley b. Feb. 5, 1709, d. May 20, 1737/8 at Lyme, Conn.; m. Lydia Beckwith.

p. 64 #472. DOROTHY BENJAMIN, the dau. of Caleb and Doroth (Gains) Benjamin bp. April 22, 1739 at E. Hartford, Conn. (cr p. 20). She married Richard Risley, who was born about 1730. He had m/1 Naomi ---.

Children of Richard and Naomi (---) Risley:
1. Richard Risley bp. Aug. 4, 1754.
2. Naomi Risley bp. Oct. 1756.
3. Susanna Risley bp. Feb. 4, 1859.
4. Eli Risley bp. July 1, 1765; m. Mindwell Risley.

Children of Richard and Dorothy (Benjamin) Risley:
5. Rebecca Risley bp. Oct. 28, 1770.
6. Jesse Risley bp. Aug. 4, 1776; m. Anne Risley, dau. of Moses Risley.
7. Solomon Risley bp. June 27, 1779.

Records of Mrs. Ruth Lee of Waukesha, Wis.

p. 151. Middlesex Co. Deed Vol. 199 p. 436 Daniel Benjamin of Ashburnham, Mass. sells land in Weston to L. Stimpson from the estate of his grandmother, Elizabeth Childs.

p. 300 #2734. MINER BENJAMIN, son of Clement and Betsey (Judd) Benjamin; b. September 13, 1814, d. December 3, 1868 and buried at Wellsboro Cemetery in Tioga Co., Penn. He married Sarah H. ---, who was b. January 17, 1723 and died February 28, 1905, and buried with her husband.

He was a lumberman and was killed by a falling log. He was "of St. Lawrence Co., N.Y." and came to Penn. about 1843.

Children of Miner and Sarah (---) Benjamin:
1. William Q. Benjamin b. 1848; d. 1914; m. Margaret R. ---, b. 1851 and d. 1929. Issue:
   1. Charles Benjamin b. 1878, d. 1906.
   2. Clara Mary Benjamin; d. Feb. 29, 1876, age 1 yr.
2. Elmer E. Benjamin b. 1863; d. 1942; m. Nellie W. ---, b. 1866 and d. 1926.
   1. Robert Lynn Benjamin b. 1881, d. 1972.

They are all buried in one plot.

Research of F. Everett Benjamin of Owego, N.Y.

p. 500. #4489 FRANK EDGAR BENJAMIN, son of Abijah Wheeler Benjamin, b. December 16, 1851 at Westminister, Mass.; m. July 3, 1873

Ella M. Ferrell, Dau. of George and Marena (Smith) Ferrell.

1. George W. Benjamin b. January 4, 1876 in Fitchburg, Mass., d. April 2, 1943 at Somerville, Mass.; m. June 26, 1907 Martha Fardy, dau. of John and Margaret (---) Fardy of Charlestown, Mass.
2. Florence E. Benjamin b. December 6, 1879; d. March 1962; m. June 22, 1903 Bernard Fardy.
3. Harry C. Benjamin b. November 8, 1884 in Fitchburg, Mass.; d. Feb. 14, 1953; m. February 12, 1931 Gertrude Fardy.

Resources: Records of David M. McCarty of Tewksbury, Mass.

RICHARD LINE:

p. 738 #196. JESSE BENJAMIN bought 1/4 acre of land in the town of Vernon, Sussex Co., New Jersey in 1825. The deed is recorded in 1826

p. 840 #1594. ORTHA BENJAMIN of Belmont, N.Y. b. July 17, 1845; m. October 3, 1866 James W. Barrett, the son of Alonzo D. and Hannah L. (---) Barrett. He was b. July 5, 1846 at Granby, N.Y. He served in the Army in 1862-1865 under General Sherman. He was a farmer and resided in Belmont, Allegany Co., N.Y.

1. William F. Barrett.
2. Loretta A. Barrett.
3. Charles F. Barrett.
4. Oretta S. Barrett.
5. Flora Barrett

Resource: p. 261 Hist. and Gen. of Montague Fam. in Am.

p.242 (omitted) ADELINE BENJAMIN, dau. of Allen andBeulah (Osborn) Benjamin b. August 20, 1803, d. August 24, 1873; m. January 6, 1833 George Gleason of Warehouse Point at East Windsor, Conn. (vr 1-96). They had no issue.

p. 555. #4939½ (Omitted) JAMES DELOS BENJAMIN, son of Alfred and Margaret (Kenyon) Benjamin; b. February 1, 1868; m. Sadie ---; resided in Flint, Michigan.

p. 187 (omitted) Children of ELEPHALET BRUSH and Malinda PIER:
Mary Abigail Brush b. October 1816; d. 1844; m. 1839 Daniel Kimball.
Sarah Jane Brush b. August 1821; d. July 1846; m. 1841 Charles Mayo.

p. 123. REBECCA BENJAMIN, possible dau. of ROZEL Benjamin[5]; bc. 1770; m. Sept. 12, 1787 Timothy Cooley at Chester, Mass. He was the son of Moses and Catherine (Morgan) Cooley b. Oct. 6, 1763 at Springfield, Mass., d. 1820-30 in Mantlia Portage Co., Ohio. Rebecca was listed in the 1850 census of Eaton, Ohio. Issue: Margaret b. 1788; Chester b. 1790 Sarah Cooley b. 1792; Timothy Cooley b. 1797

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Boonton...164,827
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Hainburg...859
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Newton...638,711
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Alfred...137,251,252
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Cayuga Co.
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New Berlin...635
Norwich...214,769
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Canaan...110,203,205,391, 930,943
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Deposit...927,943
Hampden...929
Roxbury...415,716,761,836, 838
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Dutchess Co.:
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Clarence...797
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Buffalo...85,240,326,347, 542,564,584,603,628,797
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Essex Co.
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Cecia Twp...942
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Madison Co.
Brookfield...250,251,454, 940
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Niagra Co.
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Oneida Co.
---...211,940
Ansville...620
Deansville...119
Forest Grove...553
Lowell...204,384,388,396
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Remsen...620
Rome...324,384
Sangerfield...250,499,940, 941
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Goshen...680,689,690,695, 701,712,932,942
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Washingtonville...753,899
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Barre...201,202,382,381, 927
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Edmonston...200,380
Exeter Center...615
Fly Creek...612,614
Garrettsville...635
Hardwick...114,211,212,213, 382,383,397,619
Laurens...619
Middlefield...929
Morris...418,635,645
Milford...613
New Lisbon...377,378,409
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Otsego...212,376,613
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Pittstown...927,172
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Troy...176,177,348,564, 591,935
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Haverstraw...947
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Canton...300,301
Madrid...240
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Corning...583
Freemont...377,612
Hornellsville...783,934
Howard...377,612,709
Prattsburg...935
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Bayshore...785,786,856,857 916
Benjaminville...722
Bridgehampton...915
Brookhaven...692
Calverton...855
Centerville...780,863
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Green Port...782,853,855
Hemstead...801
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Islip...785,786,919
Jamesport...683,780,805
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Tioga Co.
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Owego...721,773,774,826, 846
Richford...768,842
Smith Valley...761
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Tompkins Co.
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Brooktondale...757
Caroline...909
Danby...362,544,757,828
Dryden...396,935
Groton...558,794
Ithaca...440,654,760,835
Lake Ridge...208
Ludlowville...316
Newfield...760,835

Ulster Co.
Accord...169
Marlboro...823
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Walkill...169,927,929
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Galen...390
Rose...388,389,620
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Wyoming Co.
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Yates Co.
Bellona...320
Geneva...321,356
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Pen Yam...773
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Geneva...669
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Kingsville...452,669
Pierpont...174,324,325
Salem Twp...312

Athens Co.
Athens...813
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Guysville...218
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Shade...219
Troy...218
Waterloo...813
York...745,813,814,945
Waterslip...884

Brown Co.
---...814
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